Social Media policy update for office policies/ informed consent

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Ask for details if interested.

I will communicate by text or email but know that these are not guaranteed 100 % confidential.

I prefer to limit communication by text or email by scheduling changes or confirmation or administrative issues

I will not interact with clients on Facebook, Linked in, Instagram or any other social media as that would be a conflict of interest and not respect confidentiality and thus be unethical

I do have an X account (formerly Twitter) and sometimes post relevant clinical articles of interest which you are welcome to see. Ask me for details

I may communicate with clients by phone and do phone counseling and charge regular rates per hour and prorated. Ask for details.

I also can-do video counseling using Zoom Health care which is HIPPA compliant if you are interested. Many insurance companies and EAP companies pay for this telehealth.

Some state laws restrict this unless I am licensed in your state. I am licensed in Arizona and Michigan.

Please check with me if you are on vacation, traveling for work somewhere or moving to another state.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this please let me know.

Thank you.

Please sign and date below that you have read and understand this .

Signature _______ Date ______

Psychotherapist signature ______ Date