

## **NOTICE TO PSYCHOTHERAPY CLIENTS FOR UNLICENSED/UNREGISTERED PRACTITIONERS**

This is to notify you that the below practitioner is unlicensed/unregistered. The practitioner is a student or clinical trainee in a graduate training program formally affiliated with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health and is under the direct supervision of a licensed practitioner.

A complaint can be filed with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health (LACDMH), regarding the services received from the practitioner. This notice complies with AB 630, Chapter 229, Statutes of 2019 and SB 1024 to provide this information to clients who receive psychotherapy.

### **HOW TO FILE A COMPLAINT**

The Patients' Rights Office of LACDMH receives and responds to complaints regarding the practice of psychotherapy by any unlicensed or unregistered practitioner providing services at LACDMH. To file a complaint, contact the Patients' Rights Office at (213) 738-4888 or (800) 700-999, or by mailing:

Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health  
Patients' Rights Office  
510 South Vermont Avenue, 21<sup>st</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90020

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Practitioner's Full Name

This notice should be provided to all clients who are receiving psychotherapy services from students.

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### ATTESTATION

I attest that I have provided the below named client the Notice to Psychotherapy Clients in accord with applicable Board of Behavioral Sciences (BBS) requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Practitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Practitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

To learn more about . AB 630, Chapter 229, Statutes of 2019, and.SB 1024, refer to [https://www.bbs.ca.gov/pdf/ab\\_630.pdf](https://www.bbs.ca.gov/pdf/ab_630.pdf) or [http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill\\_id=201920200AB630](http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201920200AB630)

and

[https://www.bbs.ca.gov/pdf/required\\_notice\\_to\\_consumers\\_sb\\_1024.pdf](https://www.bbs.ca.gov/pdf/required_notice_to_consumers_sb_1024.pdf) or [Bill Text - SB-1024 Healing arts: Board of Behavioral Sciences: licensees and registrants.](#)

Upon providing the client the Notice to Psychotherapy Clients, Provider shall scan and file the completed attestation in IBHIS.

This confidential information is provided to you in accord with State and Federal laws and regulations including but not limited to applicable Welfare and Institutions code, Civil Code and HIPAA Privacy Standards. Duplication of this information for further disclosure is prohibited without prior written authorization of the client/authorized representative to whom it pertains unless otherwise permitted by law. Destruction of this information is required after the stated purpose of the original request is fulfilled.

Name:

DMH #:

Agency:

Provider #:

Los Angeles County – Department of Mental Health