Financial Information Form

I truly appreciate your choosing to come to me for psychological help. As part of providing high-quality services, we need to be clear about our financial arrangements.

- If you have health insurance, it may pay for a part of the cost of your treatment here. To find out if this is so, my staff and I need the information requested below. We will explain any part of this form that you do not understand.
- If you have no health insurance coverage, or do not intend to use it, please check here ❑ , complete sections A and E below, and return this form to me or my secretary.

A. Patient's name: _____ Birthdate: _____ Soc. Sec. #: _____

Address: _____ Home phone: _____

(If the patient is a dependent) Insured's/policy holder's name: _____ Occupation: _____

Employer: _____ Work phone: _____

Address of employer: _____

B. (If applicable) Spouse's name: _____ Birthdate: _____ Soc. Sec. #: _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____ Work phone: _____

Address of employer: _____

C. If you (or your spouse) have any of these kinds of insurance, please fill in the numbers and names for each one.

1. Blue Cross/Blue Shield

   Name of subscriber (if different from patient): _____

   Identification/agreement/policy #: _____ Group or enrollment #: _____

   Plan #/code or BS #: _____ Effective date: _____

   Location of plan: _____ Reciprocity #: _____

   Phone: _____ Provider's phone: _____

2. Commercial health insurance carrier/company

   Name of company: _____ Policy holder (if different from patient): _____

   Policy #: _____ Certificate #: _____

   Phone: _____ Provider's phone: _____

   Address to send claims: _____

3. Health maintenance organization (HMO)

   Name of HMO: _____ Policy holder (if different from patient): _____

   Authorization #: _____ Agreement #: _____

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Phone: _____ Provider's phone: _____

Address to send claims: _____

4. Medical Assistance

   List all numbers: _____

   (*Note:* Copayments by you are required.)

5. Medicare

   Agreement # with any letters: _____

   Railroad Medicare/Mine Workers Medicare: _____

6. Workers' compensation insurance

   Name of company: _____

   Policy #: _____ Certificate #: _____

   Address to send claims: _____

   Phone: _____ Treatment authorized by: _____ Date of accident: _____

7. Do you or your spouse have any other insurance coverage that applies here (Tricare/CHAMPUS, motor vehicle insurance for an injury, etc.)? If yes, check here ❑ and fill in an empty section above.

D. For each kind of insurance you intend to use, you and I will have to make two decisions. First, we have to decide who will find the information to answer the questions below. Will you do this, or do you want this office to do it? The information will come either from your company's benefits office or from the insurance company. Then, when we have this information, we have to examine the treatment choices allowed by the coverage you have.

1. Company: _____ Effective date of coverage: _____

   Deductible: $_____ ❑ per person or ❑ per family? ❑ per fiscal year or ❑ per calendar year or ❑ per policy year? ❑ per diagnosis?

   How much of this deductible has been used so far? $_____

   Benefit: _____% of ❑ charges ❑ Usual, customary, and reasonable (UCR) ❑ Maximum charge of $____

   ❑ Other benefits: _____

   Percent reduction, if any, for mental health? _____%

   Limitations: Number of visits: _____ Monetary limits: $_____ per _____

   Lifetime limits: $_____

   Is outpatient group psychotherapy covered? ❑ Yes ❑ No

   Must a physician refer the client? ❑ Yes ❑ No

   Is psychological testing covered? ❑ Yes ❑ No

   Does any rule about preexisting conditions apply here? ❑ No ❑ Yes: _____

   Are there any other limitations (such as conditions not covered, service settings, maximum per-session charges, need for DSM or ICD diagnostic codes or CPT service codes)? _____

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2. Company:_____ Effective date of coverage:_____

Deductible: $_____ ❑ per person or ❑ per family? ❑ per fiscal year or ❑ per calendar year or ❑ per policy year? ❑ per diagnosis?

How much of this deductible has been used so far? $_____

Benefit: _____% of ❑ charges ❑ Usual, customary, and reasonable (UCR) ❑ Maximum charge of $____

❑ Other benefits: _____

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E. If you do not have insurance, how will you pay for services from this office? _____

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F. I give this office permission to release any information obtained during examinations or treatment of this patient that is necessary to support any insurance claims on this account and secure timely payments due to the assignee or myself.

G. I understand that I am responsible for all charges, regardless of insurance coverage.

H. Assignment of benefits

I hereby assign medical benefits, including those from government-sponsored programs and other health plans, to be paid to the therapist above. Medicare regulations may apply. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered as good as the original.

_____ _____

Client's (or parent/guardian's) signature, indicating agreement to all of the statements above

Date

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Printed name