

Palm Beach Family Therapy

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ADOLESCENT PARENT INTAKE FORM

To Be Filled In By The Parent

Parent(s) Name(s):

Parent(s) Phone number(s)

Adolescent's Name: _____ Date Of Birth _____

Race/Ethnic Origin: _____

PRESENTING ISSUES

Briefly describe the presenting issue(s) for which you are seeking therapy for your adolescent.

What would you like to see happen as a result of therapy?

What is most concerning right now?

CHILD'S DEVELOPMENT

Were there any complications with the pregnancy or delivery of your child?

Yes No

If yes, please describe:

Did your child have health problems at birth? Yes No

If yes, please describe:

Has your child experienced any developmental delays (e.g. toilet training, walking, talking)?

Yes No Unsure *If yes, please describe:*

Did your child display any developmentally unusual behaviors or problems prior to age 3?

Yes No Unsure

If yes, please describe:

Has your child experienced emotional, physical, or sexual trauma?

Yes No Unsure

If yes, or unsure, please describe:

TREATMENT/MEDICAL HISTORY

Has your child previously seen a therapist ? Yes No

If yes, where: _____

Approximate dates of counseling:

For what reason(s) did your child attend therapy?

Has your child accessed psychiatric/Mental Health Services? Yes No

If yes, where:

Has your child been treated at a higher level of care for mental health reasons? (e.g. inpatient, residential, partial, intensive outpatient program? Please describe:

Does your child have a previous mental health diagnosis? Yes No Unsure.

If yes, please specify:

What did you find **most helpful** about their treatment?

What did you find **least helpful** about their treatment?

Has your child taken medication for a **mental health** concern? Yes No.

If yes, please indicate names, dosages, and dates:

Does your child have other **medical** concerns or previous hospitalizations? Yes No.

If yes, please describe:

SUBSTANCE USE. Do you have any concerns with your son or daughter using alcohol or drugs? Yes No

If yes, please explain your concerns about your child's alcohol or drug usage:

INTERNET/ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS USAGE

Do you have any concerns with your child using the internet or electronic communication such as Facebook, Snapchat, Twitter, texting etc? Yes No

If yes, please explain your concern:

LEGAL ISSUES

Please list any legal issues that are affecting you, your family, or your child (at present, or have had a significant effect in the past).

SCHOOL HISTORY

Do you have any current concerns relating to your child's education? Yes No.

If yes, please explain your concern:

Does your child receive special education services through their school system?

Yes No IEP 504 Plan Speech OT PT

FAMILY HISTORY

Did either parent experience any abuse/trauma as a **child** in their home (physical, verbal, emotional, or sexual) or outside your home? Please describe as much as you feel comfortable.

Did either parent experience any abuse/trauma in their **adult** life (physical, verbal, emotional, or sexual)? Please describe as much as you feel comfortable.

Please list all of the people in what you would describe as your immediate family and answer the following questions about each:

NAME AGE GENDER RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD _____ - (BIO, STEP, ADOPTIVE). LIVING WITH CHILD? Y/N

PARENT'S MARITAL STATUS *(This question refers to the parents' relationship. Please answer the following as best as you can. I understand that you may not be able to answer some of the questions pertaining to the other parent, if applicable.)*

Single Married (legally) Divorced Co-habiting Divorce in process Separated Widower Remarried (mother) Remarried (father) Other.

Length of marriage relationship:

If divorced or separated, how old was your child at time?

Parent's Name: _____

Birth Date: _____ **Age:** _____

Ethnic Origin: _____

Occupation: _____ Place of Employment: _____

Military experience? Yes No

Current Status Single Married Divorced Separated Widowed Other

Assessment of current relationship if applicable: Poor _____ Fair _____ Good _____

Parent's Name: _____

Birth Date: _____ **Age:** _____

Ethnic Origin: _____

Occupation: _____ Place of Employment: _____

Military experience? Yes No

Current Status Single Married Divorced Separated Widowed Other

Assessment of current relationship if applicable: Poor _____ Fair _____ Good _____

Please note any custody concerns/arrangements if applicable:

FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH HISTORY

In the section below, identify if there is a family history of any of the following. If yes, please indicate the family member's relationship to your child (e.g. father, maternal grandmother, uncle, etc.)

- Alcohol substance abuse_____
- Anxiety_____
- Depression_____
- Domestic Violence_____
- Obsessive compulsive behavior_____
- Major mental illness_____
- Suicide attempts (or Suicide)_____
- Psychiatric hospitalizations_____
- Eating Disorders_____
- Other_____

FAMILY CONCERNS *(Please check any family concerns that your family is currently experiencing)*

- Fighting Disagreeing about relatives Feeling distant Disagreeing about friends Loss of fun Alcohol use Lack of honesty Drug use Physical fights Education problems Divorce/separation Financial problems Issues regarding remarriage Death of a family member Birth of a sibling Abuse/neglect Birth of a child Inadequate housing

Other concerns not listed above:

YOUR ADOLESCENT'S STRENGTHS

What activities do you feel your child enjoys?

What positive personal qualities does your child have?

Who are some of the influential and supportive people, activities or beliefs in your child's life?
Please describe:

Is there anything else you would like to share?

Please select any of the following symptoms that are affecting your adolescent:

Mild, Moderate, Severe, None.

Sadness Mild Moderate Severe None

Crying Mild Moderate Severe None

Grief Mild Moderate Severe None

Problems at Home Mild Moderate Severe None

Hyperactivity Mild Moderate Severe None

Low Energy Mild Moderate Severe None

Excessive Worry Mild Moderate Severe None

Indecisiveness Mild Moderate Severe None

Poor Concentration Mild Moderate Severe None

Unresolved Guilt Mild Moderate Severe None

Low Self Worth Mild Moderate Severe None

Irritability/Anger Issues Mild Moderate Severe None

Identity Questions Mild Moderate Severe None

Hopelessness Mild Moderate Severe None

Loneliness Mild Moderate Severe None

Social Anxiety Mild Moderate Severe None

Social Isolation Mild Moderate Severe None

Obsessive Thoughts Mild Moderate Severe None

Panic Attacks Mild Moderate Severe None

Phobias Mild Moderate Severe None

Feeling Anxious Mild Moderate Severe None

Hallucinations Mild Moderate Severe None

- Paranoid Thoughts Mild Moderate Severe None
- Racing Thoughts Mild Moderate Severe None
- Self Harm/Cutting Mild Moderate Severe None
- Impulsivity Restlessness Mild Moderate Severe None
- Elevated Mood Easily Distracted Mild Moderate Severe None
- Mood Swings Mild Moderate Severe None
- Nightmares Mild Moderate Severe None
- Drug or Alcohol Use Mild Moderate Severe None
- Trauma Mild Moderate Severe None
- Flashbacks Mild Moderate Severe None
- Headaches Mild Moderate Severe None
- Difficulty Sleeping Mild Moderate Severe None
- Anorexia Mild Moderate Severe None
- Change in Weight Mild Moderate Severe None
- Change in Appetite Mild Moderate Severe None
- Binging/Purging Mild Moderate Severe None
- Nausea/Indigestion Mild Moderate Severe None
- Suicidal Thoughts Mild Moderate Severe None
- Homicidal Thoughts Mild Moderate Severe None

Other Not Mentioned:

Special Confidentiality Notice for Parents

I appreciate your trust in me in providing care for your child. I take this responsibility very seriously.

I strongly believe that for therapy to be helpful to an adolescent, there needs to be as much confidentiality for them as possible in the therapy process.

That is, unless the issue falls into the following categories...

--your child is clearly unsafe or at risk of harming themselves

--your child is at risk of being harmed by anyone else

--your child is at risk of harming someone else

—I am by law required to comply with a court order to disclose treatment records—in which case I would follow the clinically and legally appropriate reporting requirements.

Outside of this, I will encourage your child to express themselves freely, and assure them that there will be confidentiality provided to them in this process. We need your child to be open and honest in therapy in order to understand and treat the full range of issues your child is facing, and they may be too scared, angry, or ashamed right now to share those issues with you.

I also recognize it is very important for you to know what your child is going through in order to do your job as a parent, which is why I will encourage your child to be honest with you. I will make every attempt to encourage, prepare and support your child so that they feel safe enough to share those issues with you. I will also facilitate family meetings, when appropriate.

Please print and sign your name below:

PARENT PRINTED NAME:

PARENT SIGNATURE:

DATE:

____/____/____