

MINOR CONSENT/LIMITS OF PRIVACY

Client's Name _____ DOB: _____

I hereby give permission for my minor child to be interviewed and for purposes of assessment.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Limits of Privacy when Treating Persons under the age of 18.

All references to parents include legal guardian in the absence of a parent.

- The psychologist maintains a record that contains dates of evaluation, goals of evaluation, diagnostic impressions and recommendations
- The parents of a client who is younger than the age of 18-years old have the right to read their child's/adolescent's record, which includes all information generated at PR.
- The psychologist will inform parents if he/she assessed the child/adolescent to be in immediate danger or to be a danger to someone else.
- The psychologist will also communicate to the parent a summary of the evaluation as needed or requested.
- The psychologist requests that parents otherwise respect their child's/adolescent's privacy regarding the content of the evaluation. A psychological evaluation may be more beneficial when parents do not ask to read the evaluation or ask the psychologist to reveal the content of the evaluation.
- The psychologist can refuse to give information to the parents about their child/adolescent if the psychologist predicts that disclosing such information may be harmful to the child/adolescent.