Informed Consent / Client Bill of Rights

As a client of an Oregon licensee or Registered Counselor Intern in the state of Oregon you have the

following rights: (Code of Ethics (OAR 833-060-0001 (4) (h))

- To expect that a licensee/ intern has met the minimal qualifications of training and experience required

by state law.

- To examine public records maintained by the Board and to have the Board confirm credentials of a

licensee/ intern.

- To obtain a copy of the Code of Ethics.

- To report complaints to the Board.

- To be informed of the cost of professional services before receiving the services.

- To be assured of privacy and confidentiality while receiving services as defined by rule and law,

including the following exceptions: 1) Reporting suspected child abuse. 2) Reporting imminent danger

to client or others. 3) Reporting information required in court proceedings or by client’s insurance

company, or other relevant agencies. 4) Providing information concerning licensee case consultation or

supervision. 5) Defending claims brought by client against licensee.

- To be free from being the object of discrimination on the basis of race, religion, gender, or other lawful

category while receiving services.