

Child/Adolescent New Client Form

Client's Name: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Race: _____ Sex: _____

Parent/Guardian Completing Form: _____

Presenting Problems & Concerns:

Describe the problem(s) that brought you here today: _____

How old was your child when you first became aware of the problem? (Please describe history of problem, including date of onset) _____

Does your child believe that he or she has a problem? _____

yes no Has your child ever received mental health treatment? Please list date of treatment, provider, and reason for treatment: _____

yes no Has your child ever received psychological testing? Please provide copy of records and list date of testing and diagnosis: _____

Educational History:

Current Grade/Placement: _____ School: _____

This year's school grades: Excellent Good Fair Poor

Past school grades: Excellent Good Fair Poor

This year's school behavior: Excellent Good Fair Poor

Past school behavior: Excellent Good Fair Poor

Has your child had any of the following difficulties at school?

- Attention Problems Incomplete Homework Learning Problems
- Poor grades Detentions/Suspensions Speech Problems
- School Avoidance Attendance Problems Teased/Picked on

Yes No Has your child ever repeated or skipped a grade? _____

Yes No Has your child ever received special education services? If yes, please describe services and reason for services: _____

What do your child's teachers say about him/her? _____

Learning Style:

yes no Does your child keep notes of class lectures?

yes no Does your child have a study place at home free from distractions?

yes no Does your child seek help with his school work from teachers, parents, siblings, or peers, as needed?

yes no Does your child review notes, read a textbook, and study before a test?

yes no Does your child study material by reviewing it several times and rehearsing the answers?

yes no Does your child receive rewards from parents for school performance?

Social History:

How does your child get along with other children? _____

Please explain any concerns about how your child interacts with others, including peers, teachers, and family members: _____

What are your child's general interests and hobbies? _____

What are your child's strengths? _____

What responsibilities does your child have at home, and how does he or she fulfill these responsibilities? _____

Family History:

Please list family members and ages:

yes no Do any family members have a history of learning disabilities, ADHD, or other mental health or developmental disorder? If yes, please describe _____

yes no Are there any factors in the family that might affect your child's ability to learn (e.g., limited economic resources; lack of privacy for studying; health problems; family problems)? If yes, please describe: _____

Medical Information:

Pediatrician or Primary Care Doctor: _____

Date of last physical exam: _____ Hearing/Vision Screening: _____

Does your child have any medical problems? Please list any CURRENT health concerns:

Current Prescription Medications: None

Medication	Dosage	Date First Prescribed	Prescribed By

Current over-the-counter medications: _____

Legal Information:

If the parents are separated or divorced, what is the current child custody/visitation arrangement? _____

* Please provide a copy of pertinent custody documents

yes no Is your child currently the subject of a custody case?

yes no Has your child ever been a ward of the court with SCF/DCFS guardianship?

yes no Does your child have any legal offences pending or on record?

Guardian Signature/Relation to Patient

Printed Name

Date