# River Woods Counseling Services

## Treatment Agreement

#### Client Rights and Responsibilities:

I affirm that I have have read and understood the Notice of Privacy Practices and Client Rights form (See Notice of privacy Practices and Client Rights form under "helpful forms" section).

#### Out of Session Contact and Emergencies:

Due to the nature of my practice, I am often not immediately available by telephone or e-mail. If you leave a message during my scheduled business days (Tuesday-Friday), I will try to reach you within 24 hours. If you call on non-scheduled days (Saturday-Monday or vacation days), I will try to reach you within 24 hours upon my return to the office.

If you are experiencing a mental health emergency when you contact me, please state this in your message. If you need immediate support and cannot wait for a return call, please call **911** or go to the nearest emergency room.

### Payment Responsibilities:

- •I have read, completed, and signed the Registration Form authorizing Liz Mau, MS, LP to process my claims and receive payment from my insurance company. I understand that my information can be shared for the purposes of claims and utilization review, quality assurance and peer review by the insurance company.
- •I agree to pay all co-payments or co-insurance required by my health plan.
- •If services I received from Liz Mau, MS, LP are not covered by my insurance company, subject to the provision of my insurance contract, if any, I agree to pay for these services myself.
- •I agree to give Liz Mau, MS, LP 24-hour prior notice of any appointment cancellation. I understand that if I do not give this notice, I may be changed a \$50.00 Late Cancelation fee for the session I missed. I am aware that insurance companies will not cover this cost. I also understand if I miss multiple appointments, I may be terminated from therapy.

#### **Treatment Authorization:**

I request Liz Mau, MS, LP to plan and provide treatment to me (or my minor child) with my participation. I understand that I may withdraw this consent and terminate treatment at any time, for any reason.	
Client's Signature (or parent/legal guardian if client is under 18 years old)	Date