Consent to Treatment

- 1. I hereby consent to receiving counseling and psychotherapy from Julie Hanson, a Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)
- **2.** Knowing that my condition may require a mental health diagnosis and require treatment, I do hereby authorize and request treatment for the specific condition identified.
- **3.** I hereby release Julie Hanson, LCSW from responsibility for any injury which results from my termination of treatment, against her advice.
- **4.** I am seeking counseling of my own free will without coercion from any person or organization.
- **5.** I have been informed that Julie Hanson, LCSW, is licensed by the state of Illinois to perform therapy with individuals, families or couples.
- **6.** I have been informed that counseling is a collaborative process utilizing emotional, cognitive and behavioral processes to achieve the desired goals of treatment.
- 7. I have been informed that Julie Hanson, LCSW uses traditional and approved counseling techniques that will respect my values, beliefs, faith and relationships and do no intended harm.
- **8.** Julie Hanson, LCSW has informed me of the benefits and risk of therapy and I am entering therapy with full knowledge that my anxiety depression and discomfort may increase before any relief is experienced and the desired goals may be reached with mixed results.
- **9.** I have the right to withdraw my consent for information and agreement to treatment my informing my therapist in writing.

I have read the above statements and understand the content.	I have
asked questions to clarify what I do not understand.	

Client Signature	Date	