

## Youth Mental Health History (ages 12-17)

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### **Purpose of this Questionnaire:**

The purpose of this lengthy questionnaire is to obtain a comprehensive picture of your background. By completing these questions as fully and as accurately as you can, you will enhance your therapeutic program. The highly personal information received in this written evaluation and in your individual sessions is strictly confidential as outlined in your copy of the Colorado State Mandatory Counselor Disclosure.

If you do not desire to answer a particular question, write "non-applicable or NA."

### **CLIENT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Is it okay to leave a message Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 Religious Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously been in counseling before? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If Yes, what did you find **most helpful**? \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, what did you find **least helpful**? \_\_\_\_\_

How long did you go to therapy? \_\_\_\_\_ With Whom? \_\_\_\_\_  
 For what purpose? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Current medications or herbs used:**

Name	Miligrams	Purpose
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

### **CURRENT REASON FOR SEEKING COUNSELING**

Please provide a brief description of the reason(s) you are seeking counseling today?

\_\_\_\_\_

What would you like to see happen as a result of counseling?

\_\_\_\_\_

On the scale below please check the severity of your problem(s):

- mildly upsetting
- moderately severe
- very severe
- extremely severe
- totally incapacitating

### **PERSONAL STRENGTHS**

What activities do you enjoy and feel you are successful at when you do them? \_\_\_\_\_

Who are some of the influential and supportive people, activities (e.g. walking) or beliefs (e.g. religion) in your life? Please describe. \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY & PEERS**

List all the people with whom you currently live:

NAME	SEX	AGE	RELATIONSHIP TO YOU

Are your parents married or divorced? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you think their relationship is good? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ Unsure  
 If your parents are divorced, whom do you primarily live with? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you get along with the people you live with? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

**SCHOOL & ACTIVITIES**

What school do you go to? \_\_\_\_\_ What Grade/year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you having a hard time with kids at school or other peers or friends \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Are you happy with the amount of friends you have? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Have you ever been bullied? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Do you feel safe at school? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Are your parents happy with your friends? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Are you involved in any organized social activities (e.g. sports, scouts, music)? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Do you have at least one trusted friend you can talk to about any problems you may have? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Do you have at least one caring adult you feel comfortable talking to? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 How do you consider yourself socially: \_\_\_\_ outgoing \_\_\_\_ shy \_\_\_\_ depends on the situation.  
 Have you ever been physically or sexually abused by anyone (hit, kicked, pushed, forced or tricked into having sex, or touched in a way that made you uncomfortable)? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Do you have a job? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 What is it? \_\_\_\_\_ How many hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What sport, activities or hobbies do you do? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours of screen time (smartphone, TV, computer games, etc) do you spend most days?  
 \_\_\_\_ <2 hours \_\_\_\_ 2-4 hours \_\_\_\_ 5-8 hours \_\_\_\_ >8 hour

Do you get at least 30 minutes of exercise at least 3 times a week? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 How much sleep do you typically get each night? \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long does it take you to fall asleep? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you have nightmare? \_\_\_\_\_

**CHEMICAL USE AND HISTORY**

Have you ever used tobacco (Juil, vape, smoke, chew?) \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Does anyone you live with smoke or chew or Vape? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Have you ever tried beer, wine or other alcohol? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Have you ever used drugs like marijuana, cocaine, speed, fentanyl? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
 Does anyone in your family drink alcohol or use drugs so much that it worries you? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

**HEALTH ISSUES:** Check all that apply

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> headaches                            | <input type="checkbox"/> dizziness            | <input type="checkbox"/> fainting spells            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> palpitations                         | <input type="checkbox"/> stomach hurts        | <input type="checkbox"/> anxiety                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> diarrhea                             | <input type="checkbox"/> fatigue              | <input type="checkbox"/> no appetite                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> anger                                | <input type="checkbox"/> mean to others       | <input type="checkbox"/> insomnia                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> nightmares                           | <input type="checkbox"/> stubborn             | <input type="checkbox"/> alcoholism                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> feel tense                           | <input type="checkbox"/> eating problems      | <input type="checkbox"/> shaking                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> depressed                            | <input type="checkbox"/> suicidal thoughts    | <input type="checkbox"/> take drugs                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> unable to relax                      | <input type="checkbox"/> fearful              | <input type="checkbox"/> allergies                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> don't like weekends<br>and vacations | <input type="checkbox"/> over ambitious       | <input type="checkbox"/> shy with people            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> excessive sweating                   | <input type="checkbox"/> self-mutilatin       | <input type="checkbox"/> concentration difficulties |
| <input type="checkbox"/> can't keep a job                     | <input type="checkbox"/> inferiority feelings | <input type="checkbox"/> can't make decisions       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> financial problems                   | <input type="checkbox"/> memory problems      | <input type="checkbox"/> home conditions bad        |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> lonely               | <input type="checkbox"/> unable to have a good time |

**Words you use to describe yourself:** Check all that apply

- |                                     |  |                                       |  |   |
|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> worthless  | <input type="checkbox"/> useless       | <input type="checkbox"/> a "nobody"   | <input type="checkbox"/> "life is empty"   | <input type="checkbox"/> confident                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> inadequate | <input type="checkbox"/> stupid        | <input type="checkbox"/> incompetent  | <input type="checkbox"/> naïve             | <input type="checkbox"/> can't do anything right" |
| <input type="checkbox"/> guilty     | <input type="checkbox"/> evil          | <input type="checkbox"/> full of hate | <input type="checkbox"/> horrible thoughts | <input type="checkbox"/> hostile                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> anxious    | <input type="checkbox"/> agitated      | <input type="checkbox"/> cowardly     | <input type="checkbox"/> unassertive       | <input type="checkbox"/> aggressive               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ugly       | <input type="checkbox"/> deformed      | <input type="checkbox"/> unattractive | <input type="checkbox"/> repulsive         | <input type="checkbox"/> considerate              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> unloved    | <input type="checkbox"/> misunderstood | <input type="checkbox"/> bored        | <input type="checkbox"/> restless          |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> confused   | <input type="checkbox"/> unconfident   | <input type="checkbox"/> in conflict  | <input type="checkbox"/> full of regrets   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> worthwhile | <input type="checkbox"/> sympathetic   | <input type="checkbox"/> intelligent  | <input type="checkbox"/> attractive        |   |

**SEXUALITY**

- When and how did you obtain your first knowledge of sex? \_\_\_\_\_
- Are you comfortable with your current sexual orientation?  Yes  No
- Are you attracted to:  Males  Females  Both  Not Sure
- Are you, or do you wonder if you are gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender?  Yes  No
- Are you currently dating or going out with someone?  Yes  No
- Have you ever have sex?  Yes  No
- If yes, are/were your partners  Male  Female  Both
- If you have sex, how often do you use a condom?  Always  Sometimes  Never
- Do you have any concerns with your past sexual experiences?  Yes  No
- Have you, or are you experiencing any issues related to your age, gender or race?  Yes  No

**SENTENCE COMPLETION (Please complete the following):**

1. I like \_\_\_\_\_
2. I am \_\_\_\_\_
3. My teachers \_\_\_\_\_
4. I hardly ever \_\_\_\_\_
5. The saddest thing is \_\_\_\_\_
6. Fathers \_\_\_\_\_
7. I hate \_\_\_\_\_
8. I would like to \_\_\_\_\_
9. One of the ways people hurt me is \_\_\_\_\_
10. I hope that I never \_\_\_\_\_
11. I often daydream about \_\_\_\_\_
12. Mothers \_\_\_\_\_
13. Three wishes 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_
14. If I weren't afraid to be myself, I might \_\_\_\_\_
15. One of the things I'm angry about is \_\_\_\_\_
16. Boys \_\_\_\_\_
17. I get help from \_\_\_\_\_
18. I need to change \_\_\_\_\_
19. I get mad when \_\_\_\_\_
20. My biggest problem is \_\_\_\_\_
21. I nearly always feel \_\_\_\_\_
22. Dating \_\_\_\_\_
23. My future \_\_\_\_\_
24. Sisters \_\_\_\_\_
25. I secretly \_\_\_\_\_
26. I failed \_\_\_\_\_
27. Most students think I \_\_\_\_\_

28. I am scared when \_\_\_\_\_
29. What annoys me \_\_\_\_\_
30. I worry about \_\_\_\_\_
31. Girls \_\_\_\_\_
32. I remember \_\_\_\_\_
33. A job I would like is \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_
34. I look up to \_\_\_\_\_
35. Most adults are \_\_\_\_\_
36. A job I would hate is \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_
37. Brothers \_\_\_\_\_
38. Students at my school \_\_\_\_\_
39. My thoughts \_\_\_\_\_
40. I get frustrated when \_\_\_\_\_
41. When I was younger \_\_\_\_\_
42. I regret \_\_\_\_\_
43. The happiest thing is \_\_\_\_\_

**10. Additional Information**

- A. What else would you like your therapist to know about you now?

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.