

PROFESSIONAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Philosophy and Approach: I provide clinical supervision for professional counselors and licensure interns, both individually and in groups. I provide developmentally informed, ethically focused supervision, utilizing my extensive clinical and supervision training from a Humanistic, strength-based tradition. I also adopt Solution Focused, Cognitive-behavioral, Motivational Interviewing and Systems-based supervision perspectives. My approach to supervision is educational and collaborative, and my supervisees are supported as they identify specific goals and move toward increasing professional growth and development.

As a licensee of the Oregon State Board of Licensed Professional Counselors and Therapists, I will abide by its Code of Ethics.

Formal education: I hold a **Bachelor of Arts** degree in **Psychology** from the **University of New Mexico, 1981**, and a **Master of Arts** degree in **Counseling Psychology** from the **University of Notre Dame, 1985**.

Major courses included: Counseling Theory and Practice, Group Dynamics, Family Therapy, Developmental Psychology, Psychopathology, Psychological Assessment, Intellectual Assessment of Children, Racial and Cultural Issues in Counseling, Gender Issues in Counseling, Career Counseling, and Cognitive Psychology. My ongoing continuing education includes over 90 hours of specialized training in Clinical Supervision, and I regularly provide state-required 30-hour trainings for supervisors for licensure-eligible supervision.

To maintain my license, I am required by the state to participate in annual continuing education. I receive ongoing training in subjects relevant to this profession and supervision. I receive and may substitute professional supervision for part of this requirement. Sally Rasmussen, MA, LPC provides my weekly clinical supervision. I can explain what that entails and how it relates to you in supervision.

My fee is \$100 per hour, but may be adjusted on an individual basis.

As a supervisee of an Oregon Licensee and OBLPC Board-Approved Supervisor, you have the following rights:

- *To expect that a licensee 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 the credentials of a licensee;**
- *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: a) Reporting suspected child abuse, b) Reporting imminent danger to client or others, c) Reporting information required in court proceedings or by client's insurance company, or other relevant agencies, d) Providing information concerning licensee case consultation or supervision, and e) Defending claims brought by others against licensee;**
- *To be free from being the object of discrimination on the basis of race, religion, gender, or other unlawful category while receiving services.**

You may contact the Board of Licensed Professional Counselors and Therapists at:

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