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Court Testimony Policy

In the event that your therapist is subpoenaed to testify or participate in court proceedings, your signature below constitutes understanding that the following terms will apply:

- 1. The hourly fee is \$160.00
- 2. There are up to 6-hours of preparation time allotted for testifying. The average amount of time spent preparing for testimony is 3-hours. This will be included in the initial retainer fee. This equals \$480.00.
- 3. The average clinical day at Resolute Therapy is 8-hours. Given the therapist will need to clear their schedule, a retainer of the equivalent amount for one day will be included in the initial retainer fee. This equals \$1280.
- 4. A charge of \$.65 per mile (2023 IRS standard mileage rate) will be charged per number of miles traveled to testify. This will be clocked from the Resolute Therapy's Hiawatha office, to the court house, and back. This will be deducted from the initial retainer fee.
- 5. Due to court dates changing, leaving it unclear how many days the therapist will need to take off from work in order to fulfill the subpoena requirements, an **initial retainer of** \$3000, along with the estimated miles needed to travel to the identified court house, will be required 3-business days prior to the subpoenaed date.
- 6. Should no additional time beyond 1-day be required to fulfill the subpoena requirements the remaining amount of the retainer will be returned, via check, within 15 days of last testimony.
- 7. Should additional time beyond 1-day be required to fulfill the subpoena requirements, additional fees will be subtracted from the initial retainer amount. If fees and subpoena requirements (i.e., therapist cleared schedule for testifying on certain day but the court date was moved) go beyond the retainer amount, the client agrees to the same charges stated in numbers 1-5.
- 8. Should the therapist with Resolute Therapy require more than 3-hours of preparation time, the additional charges will be either deducted from initial retainer amount or billed to the client at the time that decision is made by the therapist.

By signing this document, I agree to the stipulations stated above. This includes agreeing to the charges of the initial retainer, plus mileage charges, and additional preparation fees deemed necessary, and providing the payment 3-business days prior to the court proceedings.

Signature of Client	Date	
Signature of Therapist	Date	