## **CLIENT BILL OF RIGHTS**

Consumers of marriage and family therapy services offered by marriage and family therapists licensed by the State of Minnesota have the right:

- 1. To expect that a therapist has met the minimal qualifications of training and experience required by state law;
- 2. To examine public records maintained by the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy which contain the credentials of a therapist;
- 3. To obtain a copy of the code of ethics from the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy, 2829 University Avenue SE, Suite 330, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414-3222;
- 4. To report complaints to the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy by calling (612) 617-2220;
- 5. To be informed of the cost of professional service before receiving services;
- 6. To privacy as defined by rule and law;
- 7. To be free from being the subject of discrimination on the basis of race, religion, gender, or other unlawful category while receiving services;
- 8. To have access to their records as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 144.335, subdivision 2;
- 9. To be free from exploitation for the benefit or advantage of a therapist.