



## Forensic Social Work Services

LCSW provides forensic social work services in consulting with the judicial system which could include attorneys, law firms judges and the client, if the client is in need of services. Below you will find a copy of clinician fee agreement

### LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER-CLIENT FEE CONTRACT (HOURL Y LITIGATION)

This agreement is made between Matt Larson, a Licensed Clinical Social worker, 9442 Fairview Ave., Boise, ID 83704, with MRL Counseling LLC, referred to in this agreement as MRL Counseling LLC and \_\_\_\_\_ Referred to in this agreement as "Client" in order to set out the terms and conditions under which LCSW will represent client.

#### SECTION I

##### EFFECTIVE DATE

This agreement shall take effect upon its execution by both parties and the payment of an initial retainer as set forth in Section III of this Agreement.

#### SECTION II

##### SCOPE OF SERVICES

MRL Counseling LLC will represent client and provide those reasonable services as are necessary in adjudication case.

#### SECTION III

##### LCSW FEES

Client agrees to pay MRL Counseling LLC's fees in accordance with the following Rate Schedule:

a. Retainer	\$600
b. General administration of the file	\$70 per hour
c. Court appearance/depositions	\$200 per hour
d. General preparation for court	\$200 per hour
e. Assessments	\$170 per hour



MRL Counseling LLC will charge client for the time MRL Counseling LLC spends on telephone calls relating to client's case, including calls with client, travel time, court appearances, or any other reasonable efforts in serving the requests of the client. MRL Counseling will charge for waiting time in court and in such other place as necessary, and travel to and from court and any other case related proceedings.

#### SECTION IV

##### COSTS AND EXPENSES

a. In addition to the hourly fees set forth in Section Three of this Agreement, client agrees to pay all costs and expenses incurred in connection with client's case including, but not limited to, costs fixed by law or assessed by courts and other agencies, transcriptionist's fees, long distance telephone calls, messenger fees, delivery fees, postage, parking, highway and bridge tolls, photocopying and other reproduction costs, FAX transmission costs, clerical staff overtime, word processing charges, charges for computer research time, and other similar items. All costs and expenses will be charged at MRL Counseling LLC cost, except for the items listed on the Rate Schedule.

b. Client agrees to pay for transportation, meals, lodging and all other costs of any necessary out-of-town travel by MRL Counseling LLC personnel. Client also agrees to pay for the time MRL Counseling and his personnel spend traveling.

c. In the event it becomes necessary to hire consultants or investigators, MRL Counseling LLC will not hire these persons, unless client agrees to pay their fees and charges, and deposits with MRL Counseling LLC an amount sufficient to pay these fees and charges.

#### SECTION VJ

##### LCSW LIEN

Client grants MRL Counseling LLC a lien on all claims in which MRL Counseling represents client under this agreement. The lien shall cover any sums due and owing to MRL Counseling at the termination of MRL Counseling LLC services and will attach to any money or property recovered by client. MRL Counseling LLC shall also have a lien on client's records, money, or property in MRL Counseling LLC possession for any sums due and owing to MRL Counseling LLC at the termination of MRL Counseling LLC services.

#### SECTION VII

##### CLIENT'S DUTIES

Client agrees to tell MRL Counseling LLC the truth, to cooperate with MRL Counseling LLC, to keep MRL Counseling LLC informed of any developments that are relevant to the case, to faithfully comply with this agreement to pay MRL Counseling LLC fees on time, and to keep MRL Counseling advised of client's address and telephone number and any changes of address or telephone number.

#### SECTION VIII

##### TERMINATION AND WITHDRAWAL

Client may terminate this agreement at any time. MRL Counseling LLC may withdraw from the case with client's consent or without client's consent for good cause, such as failure to comply with client's duties as provided for in Section Seven, refusal and/or failure to promptly pay MRL Counseling LLC fees, costs and/or



expenses, failure to follow MRL Counseling LLC advice on any matter material to client's case, or if circumstances arise that would render MRL Counseling LLC continuing representation unlawful or unethical.

Upon the termination of MRL Counseling LLC services, whether or not it is terminated by client or by MRL Counseling LLC, all unpaid charges shall immediately become due and payable to MRL Counseling LLC. will likewise deliver to client all records of the case and all property of client in MRL Counseling LLC possession, except those subject to any lien.

#### SECTION IX

##### DISCLAIMER OF GUARANTEE

MRL Counseling LLC will use MRL Counseling LLC best efforts in representing client, but makes no promises or guarantees regarding the outcome of client's case. MRL Counseling LLC comments regarding the outcome of the case are mere expressions of opinion. Neither does MRL Counseling LLC guarantee any time frame within which client's case will be resolved.

By signing this document, the client acknowledges that they have carefully read and fully understood every word in this agreement and agrees to its terms and conditions, and agrees to faithfully comply with them.

