**Ripple Effect Counseling, LLC**

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Ripple Effect Counseling, LLC (REC) was founded on the belief that there are many ways to create positive Ripple Effects within a community, including through your time, your talents, and your treasures.

**About Pro Bono Services**

Pro Bono counseling is a free service available to adults and children struggling with situations that may be treated effectively using short-term counseling interventions. If at any point an individual is determined to need more intensive services due to clinical recommendations, you will be linked to the appropriate services.

* REC is committed to providing free services to 1 client per week.
* Free service includes one (1) Intake assessment and eight (8) 50-minute therapy sessions to individuals who qualify.
* Therapy Sessions must be completed in eight (8) consecutive weeks.
* Only 1 voucher can be redeemed per person with Ripple Effect Counseling.
* Sessions may be done via telehealth.

**Pro Bono Services Eligibility Criteria**

* Underinsured or Uninsured
* Commitment to Prompt Attendance
* Commitment to fully participate in therapeutic interventions and homework

**Individuals not eligible for Pro Bono counseling services would be:**

* Court or legal involvement and issues (probation, parole, deferred adjudication)
* Child protective services involvement
* Child custody cases
* Court ordered services
* Struggling with drugs and alcohol as primary issue
* Suffering from chronic mental illness

**What you need to do:**

* Complete the Consent Packet and Intake Information found under Client Forms on the website: www.betheeffects.com
* Submit the Consent Packet, Intake Information, and this Pro Bono form to info@betheeffects.com
* Pro Bono Services are reviewed based on the date that All application requirements are submitted (Consent Packet, Intake Information, and this Pro Bono form).

**Important Notice. Please Initial each line giving consent:**

\_\_\_\_\_\_My 8 free consecutive sessions begin after my first intake session.

\_\_\_\_\_\_If I cancel or do not show up for my first appointment, my voucher is no longer

redeemable, and I am no longer eligible for pro bono services.

\_\_\_\_\_\_If at any point I fail to cancel within the 24-hour cancellation time or am a “no-show” for

any of my appointments, my voucher will be cancelled.

\_\_\_\_\_\_I can continue counseling sessions with Ripple Effect Counseling, LLC, but I must pay the fee appropriate for my type of counseling.

I have read and understand the above regarding Pro Bono Counseling as an option with Ripple Effect Counseling, LLC. I understand that I will likely be placed on a waiting list until an opening becomes available and I can withdraw my application at any time. I have completed all requirements listed above and verify that I qualify. I understand that if at any point it is determined that myself or my child/dependent needs more intensive services due to clinical recommendations, I will be linked to the appropriate services. I understand that Pro Bono Counseling ends after one intake session and eight 50-minute individual therapy sessions.

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Printed Name Signature

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Date and time

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| Office use only |
| Date Full Application Received:  |
| [ ]  Consent Packet [ ]  Intake Information [ ]  Pro Bono form |
| Number on Waitlist: |
| Expected Date for Intake session: |