



## Group Counseling Statement of Confidentiality

### *What is shared in group stays in group.*

Due to the nature of group counseling, sensitive and private information is shared by participants. It is important that group members respect the privacy of all group members by not sharing anything that is shared in the group with others outside the group, no matter how significant or seemingly insignificant it might be. This includes the names of the other group members and their family members, as well as any information shared in group. In group, we are all responsible for one another's privacy.

Despite this important group counseling rule, however, Lewisville Family Counseling cannot guarantee complete confidentiality in group counseling settings.

\_\_\_\_ I agree to abide by the group counseling rule and agree not to share any information about this group or information shared by others in this group. I also understand that my confidentiality cannot be guaranteed in a group counseling setting.

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Client Printed Name

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Client Signature

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Date

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Counselor Printed Name

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Counselor Signature

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