

# Tesfa-House Psychotherapy & Consulting.

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Please complete the following background information, leaving blank any item that you do not feel comfortable answering. Place a star (\*) next to any items you would like to emphasize.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Cell  Other \_\_\_\_\_

May I contact you/leave a message at this number?  No  Yes

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

May I contact you at this email address?  No  Yes

## Emergency Contact

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Cell  Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Referred to Therapy by:

Self  Family Member  Friend  Medical Professional  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your main reason for seeking therapy at this time?

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## Demographic Information

What is your age? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you identify your gender? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you identify your race? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you identify your ethnicity or heritage? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you identify your sexual orientation? \_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe relationship status? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your education level? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a student (if Y, school/year/GPA)? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your employment status? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your current occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been in the military (if Y, where/when)? \_\_\_\_\_

If you were raised in a particular religious/spiritual tradition, please identify below:

\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the role of religion/spirituality in your life currently:

\_\_\_\_\_

## Prior Mental Health Treatment

Have you sought counseling/psychotherapy before?       No  Yes

If yes, please answer the following questions:

When? \_\_\_\_\_

How long? \_\_\_\_\_

With whom? \_\_\_\_\_

For what? \_\_\_\_\_

What did you find helpful or not helpful about your previous counseling/psychotherapy experience:

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Have you ever been hospitalized for psychiatric reasons?  No  Yes

If yes, please elaborate (when, duration, location, reason?): \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you ever experienced thoughts of harming yourself?  No  Yes

Have you engaged in self-injurious behaviors (i.e. cutting, burning, hair pulling, etc.)?  
 No  Yes: If yes, please elaborate:

Have you seriously considered attempting suicide in the past?  No  Yes

Have you attempted suicide in the past?  No  Yes: If yes, please elaborate: \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Medical Information**

Do you have a primary care physician?  No  Yes

If yes, name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last exam: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Please list any medical conditions that you have: \_\_\_\_\_

List any medications you are currently taking below:

#### *Over-The-Counter Medications*

Name	Dose	Frequency	Reason
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#### *Prescribed Medications*

Name	Dose	Frequency	Reason	Prescribed by
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Please list any disabilities that you have: \_\_\_\_\_

**Alcohol and Substance Use**

Do you consume alcohol?  No  Yes If so, how much? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you consume caffeine?  No  Yes If so, how much? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke cigarettes?  No  Yes If so, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate what, if any, illicit or mood altering substances that you currently use or have used in the past.

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**Family History**

Please describe the relationship status of your parents/guardians? \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings and Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Children and Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Have any of your family members experienced mental health concerns? If so, please indicate who, as well as treatment history.

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**Presenting Concerns and Symptoms**

Use the scale below to indicate the degree to which each area is of concern for you. Circle a number for each item.

0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5  
**Minimal Concern** **Significant Concern**

Sadness and depression: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Grief and loss: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Nervousness and anxiety: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Obsessive behaviors: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Feelings of stress: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Feelings of frustration: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Inconsistencies in mood: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Thoughts of self-harm: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Thoughts of harming others: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Health concerns: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Sexual concerns: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Difficulty sleeping: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Eating concerns: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Body image: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Substance and/or alcohol use: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Traumatic experience(s): 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Sexual orientation: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Spirituality: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Family Relationships: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Social Relationships: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Romantic Relationships: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Work: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

School: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Financial issues: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Legal issues: 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ 0-----1-----2-----3-----4-----5

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**I appreciate your openness in providing the above information and look forward to working with you.**