## <u>Court Action Fees for ShellyWiggins LPC & Driftwood Counseling Services LLC</u> Effective 1/1/2021

Disclaimer: Although you are responsible for covering the court action fees, there is no guarantee that the therapist's testimony will exclusively favor you. Therapist's testimony will be focused on their professional opinion informed by the facts of the case. ShellyWiggins LPC & Driftwood Counseling Services LLC does not recommend clients have their therapist subpoenaed.

If client chooses to subpoen their therapist, the following fees and terms are in effect:

- 1. Phone calls (with court or attorney(s)): \$220/hr
- 2. Preparation time (for submitting records, letters to the court, or court documents): \$250/hr
- 3. Filing court documents: \$300 per document
- 4. Time required for depositions or providing testimony: \$250/hour
- 5. Additional fees due to time away from office for depositions or testimony: \$250/hour
- 6. The minimum charge for a court appearance: \$2500.00 per day
- 7. Mileage: \$0.65/mile
- 8. Client is responsible for all legal fees and costs incurred by the therapist as a result of the court action. They will be submitted to the client for 100% reimbursement.
- 9. <u>A retainer of \$1500 is due in advance</u>. If a subpoena or notice to meet attorney(s) is received with less than a 48-business-hour notice there will be an additional \$400 "express" charge.
- If the case is reset with less than 72-business-hour notice, the client will be charged \$500 (in addition to the retainer of \$1500).
- All fees are doubled if Shelly Wiggins LPC had previously scheduled plans to go out of town.

Patient/ Guardian of Patient