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## Client Bill of Rights

Consumers of marriage and family therapy services offered by marriage and family therapists licensed by the State of Minnesota have the right to:

1. Expect that a therapist has met the minimal qualifications of training & experience required by state law;
  - Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, Minnesota Board of Marriage and Family Therapy
  - Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, California Board of Behavioral Sciences
  - Masters of Arts, Clinical Psychotherapy, Antioch University Los Angeles
  - Bachelor of Science, Accounting with Economics minor, Minnesota State University-Mankato
2. Examine public records maintained by the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy, which contain the credentials of a therapist;
3. Obtain a copy of the code of ethics from the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy, 2829 University Avenue SE, Suite 330, Minneapolis, MN 55414-3222;
4. Report complaints to the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy by calling (612)-617-2220;
5. Be informed of the cost of professional services before receiving the service;
6. Privacy as defined by the law;
7. Be free from being the subject of discrimination on the basis of race, religion, gender, or other unlawful category while receiving services;
8. Have access to their records as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 144.335, subdivision 2;
9. Be free from exploitation for the benefit and advantage of a therapist.