



E-MAIL/TEXT MESSAGING AUTHORIZATION

Although e-mail and text messaging has become an increasingly popular mode of communication between healthcare offices/providers and patients, it's important you acknowledge that my office cannot guarantee the security of any information sent or received via e-mail or text messaging. For this reason and others, my office aims to keep outbound e-mails relatively brief and pertaining to practical (rather than clinical) matters. **Please note that Cary Scott does not conduct therapy via e-mail or text messaging, and cannot respond to urgent matters received by e-mail or text messaging.**

E-mails or text messages sent to (provider email) cary@caryscottcounseling.com
(provider phone#) 903.624.8191 will be received and managed by Cary Scott who will respond directly to you. Cary Scott will respond directly to you based upon your consent to communicate via e-mail or text messaging.

Please check one of the below options:

I **DO NOT** authorize e-mail or text messaging communication with my therapist Cary Scott.

I have read and understand the above information, and authorize **BOTH** e-mail **AND** text messaging communications with my therapist Cary Scott at the below e-mail AND texting number:

I have read and understand the above information, and authorize **ONLY** (circle one) e-mail text messaging communication with my therapist Cary Scott at the below e-mail or texting number:

E-mail: _____ Text #: _____ Name: _____

E-mail: _____ Text #: _____ Name: _____

I understand this authorization is valid until (indefinite if left blank) _____, that I may withdraw my authorization at any time, and that I have a right to receive a copy of this authorization form.

Patient's Name (Please Print)

Signature of Patient or Parent/Guardian

Date