

University of Tampa Counseling Center

Parental Consent for Minors

There are times when minors (persons not yet age 18) are eligible to be seen at The University of Tampa Counseling Center. Florida statute allows counseling agencies to see a minor in crisis or one-time consult without parental notification. If a minor is a full-time enrolled undergraduate at The University of Tampa and wishes to receive ongoing services (such as psychotherapy or psychiatric evaluation and treatment) we must have parental consent. For the first meeting, we can call the parent for consent; however, for any subsequent sessions we must have parental consent in writing. The one-time crisis visit, or one-time consult cannot include medication. If a minor is seen for ongoing psychiatric care, treatment recommendations for psychiatric medications will be reviewed with parents. All other policies (such as no show and late cancellations) apply. If you are an emancipated minor, please provide documentation.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

University ID#: _____

I hereby give consent for my minor daughter/son (named above) to receive services at The University of Tampa Counseling Center. The University of Tampa Counseling Center is confidential and cannot be revealed to me except in the case of an emergency.

Parent/guardian name: _____

Parent/guardian signature: