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### Authorized Consent to Treatment and Payment

### Acknowledgement of Receipt of Notice of Privacy Practice

Name of Individual: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Primary Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Name (or Legal Representative): \_\_\_\_\_

Individual's (or Legal Representative's) Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please initial 1-5, which corresponds to your signature above to indicate understanding and consent:*

\_\_\_\_\_ I acknowledge receipt of a copy of Empower Therapeutic Support Services, LLC Notice of Privacy Practice.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand the service that will be provided and consent to treatment.

\_\_\_\_\_ I consent to services billed to my primary and/or secondary insurance.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby authorize payment directly to Empower Therapeutic Support Services, LLC of the policy benefits otherwise payable to me, but not to exceed the provider's regular charges for the period of treatment. I understand that I am financially responsible to ETSS for all charges not covered by this authorization.

\_\_\_\_\_ Due to the nature of the therapeutic process and the fact that it often involves making a full disclosure with regard to many matters which may be of a confidential nature, it is agreed that should there be legal proceedings (such as, but not limited to divorce and custody disputes, injuries, lawsuits, etc.), neither you (client) nor your attorney, nor anyone else acting on your behalf will call on your therapist to testify in court or at any other proceeding, nor will a disclosure of psychotherapy records be requested.

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We made the following efforts to obtain written acknowledgement of receipt of the *Notice of Privacy Practices*:

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However, acknowledgement could not be obtained because:

- o Individual refused to sign
- o Communication barriers prohibited obtaining the acknowledgement
- o An emergency situation prevented us from obtaining acknowledgement
- o Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_