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0556858
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PRC0023531

CLIENT REGISTRATION & CONSENT FORM

1 - CLIENT DETAILS

FULL NAME	DATE OF BIRTH (DD / MM / YYYY) DD / MM / YYYY
EMAIL ADDRESS	WHATSAPP / MOBILE - INCLUDE COUNTRY CODE +27 · +44 · +61 · etc.
COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	CITY / TOWN

2 - DEPENDANT DETAILS - complete only if this session is for your child or dependant

DEPENDANT'S FULL NAME	DATE OF BIRTH (DD / MM / YYYY) DD / MM / YYYY	YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO THEM e.g. mother, father
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3 - EMERGENCY CONTACT

Someone in your local area who can be contacted if you experience a crisis and we lose contact during a session.

FULL NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO YOU e.g. spouse, parent, friend	TELEPHONE (WITH COUNTRY CODE)
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4 - MEDICAL AID - South African medical aid members - skip if not applicable

MEDICAL AID NAME e.g. Discovery, Bonitas, Momentum	MEMBERSHIP NUMBER	
MAIN MEMBER FULL NAME if you are a dependant	DEPENDANT ID NUMBER	DEPENDANT CODE

5 - CONSENT & AGREEMENT

Please refer to the **Practice Information Sheet** (page 2) for full details on how sessions work, fees, and your rights.

Consent to counselling. I consent to Storme Brand using counselling and therapeutic techniques in the course of our work together.

No guarantee of outcome. Counselling does not guarantee a specific outcome. I will not hold Storme Brand liable for outcomes that do not meet my expectations, provided she has worked competently and in accordance with HPCSA ethical guidelines.

Right to end sessions. I may end counselling at any time. Storme Brand may also end or pause sessions, or recommend referral, if she believes this is in the best interest of the client.

Confidentiality. Sessions are confidential. Exceptions: risk of serious harm to the client or another person, disclosure of child abuse, or a court order.

My personal information (POPIA). I consent to Storme Brand collecting, storing and using the information on this form to provide counselling services and maintain records required by the HPCSA. My information will not be shared with third parties except as required by law.

Online counselling. I confirm I have read and understood the online counselling requirements and limitations in the Practice Information Sheet.

Jurisdiction. Storme Brand practises under South African law and HPCSA regulation. Any dispute arising from our work together is governed by South African law, regardless of where I am located.

I confirm that I have read and understood this agreement and that the information provided is accurate.

SIGNATURE	DATE (DD / MM / YYYY) DD / MM / YYYY	PLACE (CITY / COUNTRY)
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PRACTICE INFORMATION SHEET

SESSIONS

Sessions are 51-60 minutes. In-person sessions are held at Jbay Therapy Hub, 16 Oosterland Street, Jeffreys Bay. Online sessions are conducted via Zoom. Please be ready and connected at your agreed start time - sessions begin and end on time regardless of late arrival.

FEES, PAYMENT & CANCELLATIONS

Current fees and payment information are published at stormebrand.co.za/pricing and will have been confirmed with you before your first session. Cancellations are free of charge - please give as much notice as possible and get in touch via WhatsApp to reschedule.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Everything discussed in sessions is confidential. There are three situations where I am legally or ethically required to act without your prior consent:

- If there is a serious risk of harm to you or another person
- If abuse of a child is disclosed
- If required to do so by a court order

In any of these situations I will, where possible, discuss this with you before taking action.

YOUR RECORDS

I keep clinical records as required by the HPCSA. These records are stored securely and treated as confidential. They will not be shared with third parties except as required by law. To find out what information I hold about you, contact me at stormebrand@gmail.com.

GETTING IN TOUCH

WhatsApp is the easiest and fastest way to reach me:
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You can also email stormebrand@gmail.com or find the latest contact details at stormebrand.co.za.

ONLINE SESSIONS - REQUIREMENTS & LIMITATIONS

WHAT YOU NEED

- A device with a camera and microphone (phone, tablet or computer)
- A stable internet connection (minimum 10 Mbps for video)
- A private space where you will not be overheard or interrupted
- The Zoom app installed - download free at zoom.us

DATA USE

Video sessions use approximately 300-800 MB of data per hour. Please ensure you have sufficient data available, particularly if you are not on a Wi-Fi connection.

IF THE CONNECTION DROPS

If we lose connection during a session, I will attempt to call or WhatsApp you immediately. If we cannot reconnect within 10 minutes, the session will be rescheduled at no charge.

WHEN ONLINE COUNSELLING IS NOT SUITABLE

Online sessions are not appropriate if you are currently experiencing active suicidal thoughts, are in acute crisis, or require in-person clinical support. If this applies to you, please contact one of the following:

- **SADAG crisis line:** 0800 567 567 (free, 24 hours)
- **Lifeline:** 0861 322 322 (free, 24 hours)
- **Emergency services:** 112 (or your local emergency number)

You can also go to your nearest hospital emergency room.

If you are unsure whether online counselling is right for your situation, please reach out before booking and we can discuss it honestly.

FOR CLIENTS OUTSIDE SOUTH AFRICA

I am registered with the HPCSA and practise under South African law. I am not registered with professional bodies in other countries. Please satisfy yourself that using a South African-registered counsellor is permitted in your country before booking. Any dispute arising from our work together is governed by South African law.