

**Informed Consent  
Healing Prayer Ministry**

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Healing Prayer is a specific form of prayer in which the facilitator invokes the Holy Spirit to minister healing and/or deliverance to the individual seeking healing. It has a very rich tradition in the church historically and can be a powerful venue for change. Though counseling may incorporate healing prayer at times, healing prayer ministry is not professional counseling. Your prayer minister is not a Licensed Professional Counselor or Social Worker and therefore is not bound by state regulations regarding these licenses.

**Confidentiality**

Confidentiality is an important element of the ministry process. Your identity and ongoing work will be kept strictly confidential, with the following exceptions:

1. If you are a threat to yourself or others (showing suicidal or homicidal intent) I may need to report these statements and behaviors to family and/or other appropriate mental health or law enforcement professionals in order to keep you and others safe.
2. There are a broad range of events that are reportable under child protection statutes. Physical or sexual abuse of a child will be reported to Child Protective Services. When the victim of child abuse is over age 18, I am not legally mandated to report it unless I believe that there are minors still living with the abuser who may be in danger of being abused. Elder abuse is also required to be reported to the appropriate authorities.
3. I may consult with the professional staff regarding clients with whom I work. Complete confidentiality is maintained. No identifying information is shared in such consultations unless a release form has been obtained from you for a specific consultation.

**Fees and Payment Schedule**

The standard fee for healing prayer ministry is \$85.00 for a 90 minute session, and \$65.00 for a 60 minute session.

Fees are to be paid at the beginning of each session by cash or check unless we have mutually agreed to other arrangements. A fee of \$15.00 will be assessed for returned checks. In the event you are unable to keep your appointment, a 24 hour notice is required in order to cancel without charge. Except for emergencies, you will be charged full fee for a “no show” or for a cancellation without a 24 hour notice.

**Acknowledgment and Release of Liability**

By signing this disclosure and consent statement, I acknowledge that I understand the above information. I agree to hold harmless Drennan & Associates Christian Counseling and my prayer minister from all liabilities and claims which may arise as a result of my participation in healing prayer ministry.

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Signature of client

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Date

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Signature of legal guardian

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Date

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Signature of prayer minister

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Date