



Code of Ethics

Seven golden ethical principles

- Be an ethical leader.
- Practice courageous Humility .
- Model empowering limits and boundaries.
- Stay within scope of practice
- Maintain a curious mindset.
- Consider the community (local/global) interest.
- Practice the true good and beautiful of Pattern Integrity

The Practitioner's Purpose

A. Shamanic Practitioner's have for their objective serving humanity for its greatest good.
B. I honor all peoples and all paths as sacred. As a practitioner, I am open to considering all codes of ethics.

Commitment to Client

Wholeness and Healing:

1. I am committed to assisting the client in reclaiming wholeness at any or all levels of being, such as body, emotions, mind, relationships (with other people and the environment) and spirit
2. I render my service to humanity with full respect for the dignity, autonomy and sensitivity of fellow beings.
3. I view all of existence as sacred and interconnected and provide services with reverence and respect for all. Healing relationships occur within all of existence and may include people, animals, plants and the environment, locally, globally and cosmically.

Equality and Acceptance:

1. I render care to beings regardless of race, sex, cultural, national or ethnic origins, or political persuasions.
2. Healers and clients are equal partners in the process of healing.

Respect and Unconditional Regard:

1. I respect the beliefs, values, customs, choices and coping mechanisms of the individual.
2. I offer care from a safe container of love and compassion.

Qualifications

Initial Training:

1. As a healer, I provide services commensurate with my training and perform only those services for which I am qualified.
2. As a healer, I observe all laws, and uphold the dignity and honor of the practice of Shamanism.

Professional and Personal Development:

1. As a healer, I avail myself of opportunities for continuing professional education and training to maintain and enhance my competence.
2. As a healer, I work with others in my field and the healing professions in general to maintain and monitor high professional standards of care.
3. As a healer, I acknowledge that clients provide the material
4. As a healer, I recognize that their presence and way of being are as important to the healing process as the modality that they practice, so it is important that I engage in ongoing personal development.

Self-Care and Self-Healing:

1. As a healer, I identify and integrate self-care strategies to enhance their own physical, psychological, sociological and spiritual well-being.
2. As a Healer, I consciously cultivate awareness and understanding about the deeper meaning, purpose, inner strengths, and connections with self, others, nature, and Creator and Great Spirit
3. As a Healer, I model healthy behavior and engage in practices that nurture self-wholeness and well-being, teaching by example.
4. As a Healer, I recognize that every person has healing capacities that can be enhanced and supported through self-care practices.

Acknowledgement

1. As a Healer, I acknowledge the sources of my teachings as either traditional, derived through personal intuition or based upon research and study.



Code of Conduct

Guiding Principles:

1. As a Healer, I embrace the following principals in my professional behavior: reverence, respect, trust, honesty, integrity, equality, competence, generosity, courage, humility and confidentiality.
2. As a Healer, I maintain a compassionate regard for the client by demonstrating a way of being that is courteous, tactful, sensitive, accepting, empathetic and non-judgmental.

Communication and Confidentiality:

1. As a Healer, I maintain clear and honest communication with clients and keep all information, whether medical or personal, strictly confidential. I may not reveal the confidences entrusted in the course of the professional relationship, or the peculiarities I may observe in the character of clients, unless required to do so by law or to prevent harm to client or other persons.
2. As a Healer, I cooperate with other healing professionals, including physicians, nurses, other complementary/ alternative therapists, psychologists, counselors, scientists and religious personnel and other professional caregivers in the exploration and provision of healing modalities.

Availability and Accessibility:

1. As a Healer, I shall make known my availability and accessibility to clients in need of my professional services.
2. Having undertaken care of the client, I may not neglect the client.
3. Should I become unavailable, I will make appropriate referrals to other healers.
4. As a Healer, I may discontinue services only after adequate notice.

Maintaining Appropriate Boundaries and Parameters of Practice:

1. As a Healer, I maintain appropriate boundaries for self and client and do not enter into inappropriate relationships with clients or take physical, emotional, sexual, psychological or financial advantage of clients.
2. As a Healer, I do not make medical diagnoses or prescribe medications without appropriate training and licensure.
3. As a Healer, I do not recommend nutritional supplements without appropriate knowledge.
4. As a Healer, I am not associated with the development or promotion of products. Should that change I will disclose any vested interest and ensure that such products are presented in a factual and professional way.

Relationships with Colleagues:

1. As a Healer, I must know the limits of my professional competence.
2. As a Healer, I know that a patient's health and safety may depend on receiving appropriate services from members of other professional disciplines. I am responsible for maintaining knowledge of, and appropriately utilizing the expertise of such professionals on the client's behalf.
3. In referring clients to allied professionals, I will ensure that those to whom they refer patients are recognized members of their own disciplines and are competent to carry out the

professional services required.

4. If my services are sought by individuals who are already receiving similar services from another professional, consideration for the clients' welfare shall be paramount. It requires that I will proceed with great caution, carefully considering both the existing professional relationship and the spiritual/therapeutic issues involved.

Conduct in a Professional Session

Creating a Healing Environment:

1. As a Healer, I provide a safe, welcoming, supportive and comfortable environment that is conducive to healing.
2. As a Healer, I maintain a clean practice environment and professional personal appearance.
3. As a Healer, I display certification, training and educational certificates and diplomas in public view.

Disclosing Professional Information and Practices:

1. As a Healer, I provide clients with information regarding their healing philosophy and modality or modalities and what to expect during a healing session.
2. As a Healer, I inform the client of possible outcomes and side effects.
3. As a Healer, I share with clients prior to their sessions logistical considerations such as: length of session, punctuality and lateness policy, cancellation policy, and fees.

Recording, Securing and Releasing Records:

1. As a Healer, I do not record client records.
2. As a Healer, I share information with other parties only with the written consent of the client, in accordance with guidelines and regulations of their professional organization and of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

Client Education:

1. As a Healer, I understand that a person's ability to retain information is limited and therefore can provide written information about the session.
2. As a Healer, I provide clients with appropriate educational materials that will aid in the process of self-care for clients after the healing session. Educational materials might include but are not limited to: written instructions regarding specific practices or exercises to enhance well-being; dietary suggestions; visualization or meditative practices; breathing exercises; affirmations; suggestions for journaling and other educational guides specific to individual healing practices.