Shared Values

1. **Autonomy**: To allow Clients the freedom to choose their own destiny

2. **Competence**: To possess the necessary skills and knowledge to treat our clients and to remain current with scientific or evidence based treatment modalities, theories and techniques

3. **Justice**: Fair and equal treatment, to treat others in a just manner

4. **Stewardship**: To use available resources in a judicious and conscientious manner, to give back

5. **Honesty and Candor**: Tell the truth in all dealing with clients, colleagues, business associates and the community

6. **Loyalty**: The responsibility to not abandon those with whom you work

7. **Diligence**: To work hard, to be mindful, careful and thorough in the services delivered

8. **Discretion**: Use of good judgment, honoring confidentiality and the privacy of others

9. **Respect**: To fully respect other people (clients and co-workers) no matter their gender, religion, race, ethnicity or sexual condition, etc.

\[\text{White, 1993}^1\]

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