

Fanning/Following/Friending:

Banyan Therapy Group currently keeps professional social media accounts such as Twitter, Facebook, and LinkedIn, etc. Your privacy is top priority to us so we encourage you to use caution when following or fanning us. We do not regularly accept friend requests or respond to messages on social media sites from current or former clients.

Engaging with our practice through social media could compromise your confidentiality. If you have questions about this, please feel free to bring it up in session, as your therapist will be happy to talk more about it.

Use of Search Engines:

It is NOT a regular part of our practice to search for clients on search engines. Exceptions to this may be made during times of crisis. These are extremely rare situations.

Email:

Please be aware that email communication is not completely secure or confidential. We will do everything in our power to protect your confidentiality, but your confidentiality cannot be guaranteed with any information you transmit over the internet. Please use caution if you are corresponding with your therapist via email. You should also know that any email received from you, and any responses that is sent to you, may be printed out and kept in your treatment record.

Cell Phones:

Similar to email communication, communication via cell phone is not completely secure due to the way cell phones operate. Please use discretion with any communication you engage with your therapist via phone or text. Note that for ease of continued contact, your therapist may store your initials in my cell phone. Please notify your therapist if you would prefer them not to do so.

We take your privacy very seriously and will do whatever we can to protect your privacy in our communication. If you have any questions about our social media / communication policies please don't hesitate to ask.

Signature

Date

Signature of parent/guardian if client is a minor

Date