



Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC

Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability

I hereby acknowledge and agree:

1. The purpose of nutritional counselling is to improve the overall health, vitality and well-being of the body through nutritional education and the use of natural foods and non-medicinal nutritional supplements. **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC** does not diagnose diseases, disorders or conditions.
2. The **Registered Dietitian at Carolina Nutrition Consultants**, is a Registered and Licensed Dietitian Nutritionist, not a Medical Physician.
3. As part of the Nutritional Counseling Services, I may be asked to provide information concerning my physical habits, medical history, moods, energy levels, likes and dislikes, lifestyle and diet. This information is collected to enable the **Registered Dietitian** to: (i) assess my knowledge of nutrition, (ii) educate me about the benefits of sound nutritional practices and (iii) recommend dietary changes to improve my general health, vitality and overall well-being. The **Registered Dietitian** will hold this information in confidence and will not release or disclose this information to any other person, without my prior consent, except as required by applicable law.
4. If the **Registered Dietitian** suspects the existence of disease, disorder or condition, I will be informed of this suspicion. However, I acknowledge this is not a diagnosis or conclusion about the state of my health and that I am directed to promptly consult a licensed Physician about any suspected problems.
5. Should I request the **Registered Dietitian** to recommend dietary changes and/or nutritional supplements to enhance my body's natural ability to resist and/or overcome a known disease, disorder or condition, it is my responsibility to disclose the nature of the disease, disorder or condition and all other relevant details to the **Registered Dietitian**. If I have not previously consulted a licensed Physician about this disease, disorder or condition, I acknowledge that I am directed to promptly do so. I am not to alter or discontinue treatments prescribed by a licensed Physician or other licensed health professional without consulting the individual who prescribed the treatment.
6. In providing Nutrition Counseling Services to me, the **Registered Dietitian** is relying upon the truth, accuracy and completeness of all information I have provided to her. Any recommendations I follow for changes in diet, including the use of nutritional supplements, are entirely my responsibility.

7. **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC** is in no way liable for my health or safety.

8. In consideration of my participation in the **Nutritional Counseling Services**, I hereby accept all risk to my health, including injury or death that may result from such participation and I hereby release **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC**, on my behalf and on behalf of my personal representatives, estate, heirs, next of kin, and assigns from any and all costs, claims, causes of action and damages arising from any and all illness or injury to my person, including my death, that may result from or occur as a result of my participation in the **Nutrition Counseling Services**, whether caused by negligence or otherwise.

9. I understand that **24 hours** is required for cancelling appointments. Appointments cancelled within the **24 hour window of your appointment time, or no shows**, will result in **full payment** of your scheduled service.

10. All nutrition counseling packages are nonrefundable. Any appointment made in relation to a nutrition counseling package **that is not cancelled within 24 hours of scheduled appointment** will be deducted from the remaining appointments of the package.

11. **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC** reserves the right to cancel and refund nutrition packages at its discretion.

12. I understand that any therapies I undertake at **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC** are undertaken of my own free will. I accept that the ultimate responsibility for my health care is my own and that **Carolina Nutrition Consultants, LLC** is here to support me in this. I understand that my practitioner reserves the right to determine which cases fall outside their scope of practice, in which event an appropriate referral will be recommended. I hereby agree to assume full responsibility for any manner of loss, injury, claim or damage whatsoever, known or unknown, incurred as a result of same and I, my heirs, executors, administrators or assigns for any loss, injury, claim or damage sustained as a result of my attendance and/or participation. I have read the above release and waiver of liability, and fully understand its contents and voluntarily agree to the terms and conditions stated.

Client Signature

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND AGREE TO THE TERMS OUTLINED ABOVE. I UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT TO BE A FULL AND FINAL RELEASE OF ALL COSTS, CLAIMS, CAUSES OF ACTION AND DAMAGES OF ANY KIND ARISING FROM OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE **NUTRITION COUNSELING** SERVICES.

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Print Name:

Date: