

Compliance Agreement
Division of Public and Behavioral Health and New Beginnings Counseling Centers

This Compliance Agreement is made and entered into effective on June 18, 2020, by, between, and among the Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance of the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services of the State of Nevada (“BHCQC”), (New Beginnings Counseling Centers), a certified program for the treatment of domestic violence and the State Board of Health (“Board”).

RECITALS

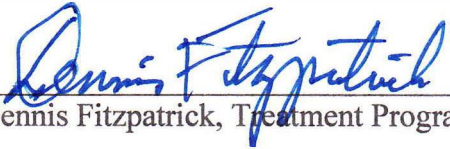
- A. The goal is to define the criteria for compliance of New Beginnings Counseling Centers, located at 3675 PECOS MCLEOD LAS VEGAS NV 89121 (“Program”), which is owned and operated by New Beginnings Counseling Centers.
- B. NAC 228.100 allows an offender who resides more than 70 miles from the nearest program to attend counseling sessions or other meetings through electronic means if certain criteria are met.
- C. Due to the COVID-19 outbreak and the need to keep individuals safe through social distancing, the Program will be allowed to conduct interactive counseling sessions and other meetings through electronic means, regardless of the distance to a certified program for the treatment of domestic violence to an offender, as long as the other provisions in subsection 3 (f) of NAC 228.100 are met.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby agreed as follows:

- 1. State Licensure. The Program falls under the provisions of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC 228). The Program is allowed to conducted interactive counseling sessions or other meeting through electronic means as long as it meets the other provisions in subsection 3 (f) of NAC 228.100. In addition, the Program must continue to meet all applicable provisions of NAC Chapter 228.
- D. Term of Agreement. This Agreement shall remain in effect until such time that the Nevada Board of Health adopts regulations allowing interactive online counseling sessions and other meetings through electronic means, regardless of the distance to a certified program for the treatment of domestic violence to an offender, as long as the other provisions in subsection 3 (f) of NAC 228.100 are met.
- 2. Requirements. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Program will maintain compliance with all applicable provisions of NAC Chapter 228.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement effective the day and year first above written.

New Beginnings Counseling Centers, a certified program for the treatment of domestic violence and the State Board of Health (“Board”).

Signed: 
Dennis Fitzpatrick, Treatment Program Supervisor

Date: 6/18, 2020

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
HEALTH DIVISION
BUREAU OF HEALTH CARE QUALITY AND COMPLIANCE

Signed: Margot Chappel, Deputy Administrator *Margot Chappel* Date: 6/18, 2020
Ihsan Azzam, P.h.D, M.D, Chief Medical Officer

Approved by Board of Health on:
Signed: _____ Date: _____, 2020
Lisa Sherych, Executive Officer of Board of Health