



## CONFIDENTIALITY POLICY

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Living Waters leadership will hold as confidential all disclosures made in the context of the Living Waters program with these exceptions:

1. All small group leaders reserve the right to discuss matters disclosed by group members for the purpose of receiving supervision and oversight. This oversight will occur in group supervision meetings held by the group coordinator and attended by other small group leaders.
2. Any Living Waters group member who discloses intentions to take harmful, dangerous, or criminal action against another human being or against themselves will necessitate Living Waters leadership to warn appropriate individuals of such intentions. Suspected acts of child abuse or neglect will be reported. Those warned may include a variety of such persons as:
  - the person or family of the person who is likely to suffer the results of harmful behavior;
  - the family of the group member who intends to harm him/herself or someone else;
  - associates or friends of those threatened or making threats, and;
  - law enforcement officials or child protection services.

**I have read and understand this confidentiality policy, including its exceptions.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_