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Financial Hardship Consideration/Sliding Scale Policy

My standard fee is \$110 per hour for individual adult and couples counseling. I have implemented a sliding scale fee structure for cases in which the standard fee would pose a financial hardship, and would potentially prohibit the individual from seeking counseling. At or before the first counseling session, fees will be mutually agreed upon during the discussion of Informed Consent to Treatment. Client income and debts may be discussed to help determine if a financial hardship exists, and as a basis for determining a reasonable hourly fee. This policy will be in effect for clients who are not using insurance for payment, as well as for clients that have considerable insurance deductibles. The rate agreed upon will be added to the client's Informed Consent to Treatment document. In the case of clients that have insurance deductibles, once the deductible is met, the client is responsible for all copays and other fees per their contract with their insurance provider. Sliding rates will be considered from \$45 to \$110 per hour of treatment.