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Telepsychology Services Emergency Protocol

Provider Name: _____ Date of telesession(s): _____

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Remote Location

When participating in telemedicine we follow protocols to address technical, medical, and clinical emergencies.

- Local emergency plans for site where the patient will be located during the session.
 - for example, if a patient is at a school or collaborating mental health facility, generally that facilities emergency plan will be followed.
- Emergency Protocols will include:
 - A secondary method for contacting the patient and/or staff in case of technological problems.
 - Provider and patient will have emergency contact phone numbers for the patient's location who can responded in an emergency
 - Local Police Department
 - Facility Security
 - Local Hospital Emergency Room
 - Local Psychiatric Hospital
 - Local Mental Health Provider
 - Local friend/family member
- Someone at the patient's site should be identified in case of emergencies