

TRAINING PROGRAM AGREEMENT

Course 200SG – Certification Program

IMAGO RELATIONSHIPS INTERNATIONAL (Imago) is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to transform the world one relationship at a time and create a new model for marriage. To further this mission Imago is committed to the training and certification of qualified therapists (Certified Imago Relationship Therapists™).

Imago Relationship Therapy was co-created by Harville Hendrix, Ph.D. and Helen LaKelly Hunt, Ph.D. We at the Imago International Institute, the training and certifying body of IRI, are delighted to welcome you to the Imago community

We welcome you into the Basic Clinical Training Program of Imago (Program). Imago agrees to provide the basic clinical training in Imago Relationship Therapy so long as you comply with participation guidelines outlined in this agreement including the practice of “good citizenship” as evidence by respect for and compliance with the core values of the community.

Important documents related to Imago Training and Certification

Together with this document you should also be given a copy of Catalog “Section 10.4 – Important Documents related to Imago Training and Certification”. This pack includes a welcome letter, and information about membership in Imago Relationships International. It also includes extracts of some key section from other documents which relate to ongoing training and Certification relationship with Imago.

These include the following:

Policies manual which may be found at www.gettingtheloveyouwant.com/policies

Procedure 5.3 Q&A on Copyrights and trademarks

Procedure 5.4 The core community values reflected by the members of the community

Procedure 8.5 Continuing education requirements for Certification

Course Catalog which may be found at www.gettingtheloveyouwant.com/training/course_catalog/

Catalog 4.1 Course 200SG - including Course Description, Requirements for Acceptance and Requirements for Certification

Catalog 10.2 Certification Agreement

The actual content of the training may vary somewhat from that specified in promotional materials or brochures received before this date. Imago and its staff may modify course content or structures within reason as they see fit based on the needs of the Program or other trainees.

Terms and Conditions of the Training Agreement

Costs of Certification:

The tuition for the basic training is three thousanddollars. (\$3,000.00) for Level I and an additional one hundred dollars a month over a six month period (\$600) for Level II. Applicant will be required to pay a one hundred and ninety-five dollar fee (\$195) for submission of your final tape which is evaluated as a prerequisite to Certification.

Imago is committed to your successful certification as an Imago Therapist. However Certification is not guaranteed and requires a demonstrated mastery of the training and its materials. Applicant must successfully complete the training and to submit tapes of applicant's work which demonstrate the required mastery of the training. . If your first tape does not meet the required standard you may need to submit additional tapes and/or attend clinical supervision sessions. The fee for resubmitting each tape is \$150.

The requirements for certification are outlined in Course Catalog section 4.1. The Certification Agreement is Course Catalog section 10.2. We suggest Applicant review these materials prior to signing this agreement.

Guidelines during the Training Period

Permitted Used of Imago Materials:

The training program is based on the concepts of Imago Therapy and the concepts and procedures developed by Harville Hendrix, Ph.D., and Helen LaKelly Hunt, Ph.D. (Hendrix-Hunt) and are the intellectual property of Hendrix-Hunt.

Trainee shall not during training or after certification, reproduce or permit any party to reproduce any of the written materials provided to Trainee, in any manner, part or rendition without the prior written consent of the Institute, thereby upholding all copyright laws. The permitted uses of the Imago materials are outlined in the Procedure 5.3 Q&A on Copyrights and Trademarks.

Allowed Representations:

During the course of the training it is permitted to inform clients that you are being trained in Imago Therapy. You may not as a trainee, or as one who has completed the training but has not been certified by Imago, present yourself to anyone as being certified as an Imago Relationship Therapist. The attachment of the word Imago or Hendrix-Hunt in public or private notices without and until proper certification by the Imago is not permitted without specific written permission from Imago. Failure to comply with this restriction is a misuse of protected property and could result in trainee being subject to legal action.

Insurance

Trainee at all times while practicing Imago Relationship Therapy, whether during training or when provisionally or fully certified, must carry professional liability insurance in an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence. Trainee shall make Imago and additionally insured party and must provide the Institute with copies of the face sheet of your professional liability policy. If, for any reason, such policy is canceled or not renewed, we require that you not practice Imago Relationship Therapy until the policy is replaced and a copy of the certificate of insurance is provided to the Institute. Failure to have valid insurance will be grounds for immediate revocation of either the provisional or full certification. Imago, if requested by Trainee, may be able to provide assistance in the securing of appropriate insurance.

Note - Some countries outside North America are exempt from this requirement. Please contact us for details. If you are from one of these countries strike out this paragraph above and place your initials here. Exempt country name _____ Initialed _____

Required Behavior

Trainee understands and accepts that the training program and certification requires the highest levels of integrity. During the course of the program Trainee shall not engage in illegal or unethical activities nor fail to comply with the terms of this agreement. Any violation may, at the sole discretion of Imago lead to immediate dismissal from the program.

Additionally, if it is determined that Trainee has made any kind of false statements on the application, including but not limited to my professional credentials, Imago may at its sole discretion discharge Trainee from the program.

Removal from the program for any violation of the required behavior or any other violation of this agreement shall be immediate, final and without any refund of payments previously made.

Whole Agreement

Trainee will execute and deliver all instruments and documents and take all actions as may be reasonably required or appropriate to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.

This Agreement contains the entire and final agreement between Imago and Trainee and it supersedes all understandings whether written or oral, agreements, representations and warranties, if any, which precede or are contemporaneous with the execution of this Agreement. No agent or employee of Imago or Hendrix-Hunt or their agents or employees have the authority to make any representation or promise not contained in this agreement, and Trainee has not executed this agreement in reliance on any such representation or promise.

Resolution of disputes

If trainee encounters any dispute with the Imago International Institute and its staff, or my instructor, they will attempt to resolve it amicably and fairly through open-minded Imago dialogue. If for some reason we cannot resolve our disagreement, arbitration constitutes the sole and exclusive remedy for the settlement of any dispute or controversy concerning this Agreement or our relationship, including whether the dispute or controversy is arbitrable. The arbitration proceeding will be conducted in Santa Fe, New Mexico, before a single arbitrator under the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association in effect at the time a demand for arbitration is made. New Mexico law governs this Agreement, irrespective of New Mexico's or any other jurisdiction's choice-of-law principles. The decision of the arbitrator, including the determination of the amount of any damages suffered, will be exclusive, final, and binding on all parties, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, as applicable, and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The costs of arbitration, including administrative fees, fees for a record and transcript, and the arbitrator's fees, as well as reasonable attorney's fees will be awarded to the party determined by the arbitrator to be the prevailing party.

Notwithstanding the agreement to Arbitrate in this agreement trainee understands and agrees that Imago International Institute shall have the absolute right and be entitled to seek preliminary, temporary and permanent injunctive relief against trainee for breach of this agreement or any misuse of the imago intellectual property including but not limited to its copyright, trademarks, logos, and identifiable phrases and concepts whether such intellectual property is held in the name of the institute or in the name of the founders. (Harville Hendrix and Helen LaKelly Hunt). The request of injunctive relief shall be brought in the district court of Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Assignment

Imago may assign any or all of its rights ranted hereunder to any party, but this Agreement and all of Trainee's obligations hereunder are personal to Trainee and shall not, without the prior written consent of Imago, be assigned, sublicensed, or otherwise encumbered by Trainee. Any attempt by Trainee to assign, sublicense, or otherwise encumber any or all of his or her obligations hereunder shall constitute and immediate termination of this Agreement.

Waiver of terms

None of the terms of this Agreement may be waived except by an express agreement in writing signed by the party against whom enforcement of such waiver is sought. The failure or delay of either party in enforcing any of its rights under this Agreement shall not be deemed a continuing waiver of such right. This Agreement may not be released, discharged, amended or modified in any manner except by an instrument in writing signed by the parties.

Enforceability

If any provision of this Agreement is, becomes, or is deemed invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, such provision shall be deemed amended to conform to the applicable laws so as to be valid and enforceable, or if it cannot be so amended without materially altering the intention of the parties hereto, it shall be stricken and the remainder of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

Headings

Headings contained in the Agreement are included for convenience only and are not to be used in construing or interpreting this Agreement.

Counterparts

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same document, binding on all parties notwithstanding that each of the parties may have signed different counterparts.

TRAINEE EXPRESSLY ASSUMES ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM AND HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS, IMAGO INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE, INC., ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS, FOUNDERS, AFFILIATES, EMPLOYEES, AND AGENTS (THE "IMAGO PARTIES"), AND SHALL DEFEND AND INDEMNIFY THE IMAGO PARTIES FROM AND AGAINST, ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIMS, ACTIONS, LOSSES, CAUSES OF ACTION (WHETHER OR NOT CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE), INCLUDING COSTS AND ATTORNEY'S FEES, ARISING OUT OF MY ACTIONS.

I UNDERSTAND THAT EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THIS AGREEMENT IMAGO MAKES NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WITH RESPECT TO THE SERVICES RENDERED IN CONNECTION WITH THE TRAINING PROGRAM.

In consideration of the terms, covenants and conditions hereinafter, the sufficiently of which is acknowledged, parties enter into this agreement as of the ___ day of _____, 200_.

By signing this agreement I understand and agree to all of the terms included therein

Trainee (please print)

Signature Trainee

Date

Address of Trainee

Imago Relationships International, Inc.

By: _____

Date

Title: _____

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