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CODE OF ETHICS

As a registered member of Ortho-Bionomy Australia I agree to uphold the highest standards of professional behaviour, guided by the Code of Ethics stated below.

1. The philosophy and concepts of Ortho-Bionomy will be the guiding principles in my work with clients.
2. I will at all times give the highest quality of services for the wellbeing and benefit of my clients.
3. I will only offer skills or services which I am qualified to offer. For issues that fall beyond the scope of my practice, I will refer clients to other qualified professionals.
4. When promoting my work to the public, my oral and written statements will fairly and honestly represent my services, benefits, costs and capabilities.
5. To protect the privacy of my clients, I will keep all communications, clients' records and client identity confidential.
6. Recognising the vulnerability of the client in a therapeutic relationship, I will maintain the highest standard of professional conduct, never taking advantage of this vulnerability. I will maintain appropriate personal, emotional, physical and psychological boundaries between myself and my clients, upholding the client's physical and emotional safety during sessions and in all communications. I will always follow accepted legal, moral and ethical standards.
7. I recognise that I and my clients have an equal right to be treated with respect regardless of gender, sexuality, race, ethnicity, religion, age and ability.
8. I am responsible for providing a comfortable and safe workplace for my clients to visit me.
9. I am responsible for behaving politely and respectfully towards my clients, other students, practitioners, teachers and OBA office-bearers and staff.
10. To preserve the integrity of Ortho-Bionomy, I will make a clear distinction between Ortho-Bionomy and other modalities that I use.
11. If I observe actions or conduct of another member that appears to be professionally, ethically or morally inappropriate or contrary to standards set by Ortho-Bionomy Australia or to Australia's laws, I will discuss it with the member or will bring it to the attention of Ortho-Bionomy Australia's Board of Directors.
12. I will use all Ortho-Bionomy trademarks only in accordance with the current established guidelines and my membership level. I understand that failure to follow guidelines will lead to suspension of my entitlement to use the trademarks.
13. I will endeavour to improve my skills and professional standards through continuing professional education according to the requirements of OBA Ltd.
14. I will uphold professional relationships, never speaking negatively in public about a member of the Ortho-Bionomy community or the allied professional community.
15. Anyone in my employment will abide by this Code of Ethics and the policies and trademark regulations set by the Ortho-Bionomy Australia
16. I will provide a copy of this Code of Ethics when requested.
17. I understand that transgression of any aspect of the Code of Ethics may result in the cancellation of my membership.