## INFORMED CONSENT AGREEMENT

## NMT: The Feinberg Method Local & Remote Session Consent Form

I understand that NeuroModulation Technique (NMT) is intended to determine the patient's Mind-Body perceptions of internal conditions that may be contributing to illness behaviors and to attempt to establish perceptions that may be more conducive to health. I understand that NMT is conducted either on a local in-office or remote basis in which I do not attend the practitioner's office and further stipulate that I understand that the remote NMT session is not considered to be a medical treatment, or therapy of any kind. I understand that the remote NMT session is not considered a telephone consultation and that this is the service which I hereby request and for which I am being charged and will pay for. I am requesting local and/or remote NMT sessions from Sharon Stone located at:

\_\_\_\_\_\_. Remote sessions may be conducted via telephone when I am unable or do not wish to physically visit her clinic. Specifically, I understand that these NMT sessions are informational in nature and not in any way to be considered chiropractic, acupuncture, or medical treatments of any kind.

I understand that under no circumstances is it appropriate to bill my medical insurance for any remote NMT sessions and agree that I will not submit such bills to my insurance. Further, I understand that remote and in-office NMT sessions may be considered investigational and may not be paid by my health or other insurance.

The NMT procedure has been explained to me, and I understand that certain adverse effects may be associated with local or remote NMT sessions that could include, but are not limited to, a temporary flare-up of my symptoms. Other possible side effects include symptoms of heightened immune function or detoxification such as fever, chills, headache, or body aches. I understand, and agree, that if any unexpected exacerbation of my symptoms should occur, if any medical emergency occur, that I am solely responsible of obtaining appropriate medical care to address those symptoms or conditions and will do so in a timely manner.

I understand that medical diagnosis requires particular types of clinical examination procedures by a physician trained in diagnosis and that NMT: The Feinberg Method is not a medical diagnostic procedure, does not diagnose any disease, and that NMT evaluation procedures are not a substitute for physical examination, laboratory testing, medical imaging, or other diagnostic procedures. By contrast, NMT is intended to determine the patient's Mind-Body perception of conditions that may be contributing to illness. I understand that Muscle Response Testing, ("MRT") employed in NMT is not 100% accurate and is only an indication of patient perceptions and not an objective measure of body conditions. I understand that sessions maybe local or remote, sessions may utilize surrogate muscle response

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Testing in which muscle response from the NMT practitioner should be considered investigational or experimental and that the efficacy of such services has not been established in published scientific literature.

I understand that alternative methods of treatment are available and have been described to me. If I am suffering from severe allergic reactions to food or other substances, or any health condition for which I have been prescribed medications to control dangerous symptoms, I will consult an appropriate physician and, if so advised, take medication (to prevent itching, tissue swelling, fever, cough, pains, etc.) to keep my symptoms under control while I am receiving remote NMT sessions.

I understand that determination of the existence and identification of particular infectious agents or cancer in the body requires specific laboratory testing. NMT is not a substitute for appropriate medical care of cancer, or any other health care condition. I understand that I am not being asked to discontinue any concurrent medical care. Moreover, I understand that it is recommended that I do not discontinue any care prescribed by any of my doctors.

I agree to cooperate and take an active role while receiving remote NMT sessions by maintaining a positive attitude toward healing, continuing contact with and treatment from my other medical practitioners and communicating progress and any possible side effects or new symptoms that may or may not be related to my NMT session to my NMT practitioner. I understand that I am to continue all medication and other treatment modalities as they have been prescribed unless otherwise directed by the doctor that prescribed them. I also understand that I am free to discontinue NMT sessions at any time but acknowledge that I am responsible for full payment of the normal & necessary fees associated with my NMT sessions. I understand that if I terminate treatment without the recommendation of my NMT practitioner, that this may adversely influence the degree or durability of my improvement. I agree that if I have allergies causing dangerous symptoms such as anaphylactic response, or condition that is aggravated by certain activities or exposures, that I will not expose myself to such risk of aggravation except as advised by my NMT practitioner under controlled and defined circumstances. I understand that if I expose myself to such aggravating factors prematurely, this may pose a risk to my health.

I understand that any services that are being provided on a local or remote basis are my sole financial responsibility, and that no aspect of such services may be billed to insurance companies for the purposes of reimbursement. I understand and authorize all charges for these services to be billed to the credit card account I have provided or that such services will be paid by the time the service is provided by other means. I understand that these charges will be billed under the name:

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I understand that the NMT session results in the selection of portions of the NMT protocol that the NMT practitioner finds appropriate for me that this information is communicated to my Mind-Body by way of intention. I further understand that if the NMT Scalar Treeview system is used in my NMT care that this computerized system will simply assemble this information that has comprised my NMT session in the form of an .mp3 or other format audio data file. That data file may be provided to me for the purpose of playing on a media player using a special scalar antenna. The purpose of this use of the audio data file is modulate (or modulation of) the scalar field produced by use of the file with the scalar antenna in such a way to create a scalar representation of that NMT session information. I understand that the scalar field has no known medical effect and that the purpose of using this scalar output of the audio data file is based on the unproven possibility that this scalar representation of the data from my NMT sessions might be perceivable by my mind-body and if so, might thereby reinforce any informational training effect that such NMT sessions may have. I also understand that if I perceive any adverse effect associated with the use of this scalar playback that I will immediately stop using it and notify my NMT practitioner.

I also understand that clinical data is presently being collected on the NMT method that requires the gathering of certain information in accordance with research protocols. I understand that the results of this study may be published in a medical or scientific journal and that a number or letter designating my case, but not my name, may be used in reports of this study and hereby give my permission for the use of such information.

I have read, or have had read to me, the above statements, and have been provided with the opportunity to ask any pertinent questions I have regarding this NMT screening and treatment program. I have been informed that I am to contact the doctor if any problems are encountered during or after my NMT sessions and agree to do so. I understand the conditions stated above hereby consent to participate in those local and/or remote NMT sessions. By signing below I agree to the terms, procedures, and permissions set forth above.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have executed the foregoing this day of,,
Patient's Signature
Patient's Printed Name
If minor, Signature of Parent or Guardian
Parent or Guardian's Printed Name