



## **SERVICES INFORMED CONSENT**



**We want to assure you that your privacy is important to us. Your identity and the information you share during your sessions will remain confidential. In some cases, your counselor may consult with another on-campus professional to provide you with the best possible support. If this happens, it will be done carefully and with your privacy in mind.**

### **Confidentiality**

**Your conversations with an Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) counselor are private. If your needs go beyond what we can offer, we will discuss other resources or referrals to help you.**

**There are a few exceptions where we may need to share information:**

- 1. If there are serious concerns that you might harm yourself or someone else, we will take steps to ensure everyone's safety.**
- 2. If there is a situation where you are experiencing harm or neglect and need additional support, we may be required to help connect you to the right resources.**
- 3. If a court requests information through a legal order, we may need to share relevant details.**

**In these situations, we will handle the matter with care and make sure to involve you as much as possible in the process.**

### **Your Rights & Responsibilities**

**You have the right to:**

- Be treated with kindness, respect, and understanding.**
- Feel confident that the information you share will remain private, with a few exceptions for safety reasons.**

**To make sure we're providing the best support, counselors may occasionally discuss cases with one another. This is done in a way that respects your privacy. By signing below, you confirm that you've read and understood this information and agree to these terms.**

**Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**BCC ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_**