

# Psychological Advantages, LLC

## GM Launch PAD Program

*Greater Minnesota Psychological Assessments for Deaf, Hard of Hearing & Deafblind Children*

### **CODE OF ETHICS AND MISSION STATEMENT**

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#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We, at Psychological Advantages, LLC, are dedicated professionals committed to providing quality services. It is our overall goal to enhance the quality of life for individuals and families. Our belief is that all people are valuable and unique and should be treated with dignity and respect. While recognizing the potential for change, an assessment of the client's emotional, physical, spiritual, and life experience is provided in a caring environment. The growth of the individual is promoted through our services, developed and executed in a timely and cost effective manner.

#### **ETHICAL STANCE**

1. We dedicate ourselves to serving the best interest of each client.
2. We will not discriminate based on age, race, sex, religion, disabilities, handicaps, sexual preferences, or other protected classes, consistent with applicable law.
3. We strive to maintain an objective and professional relationship with each client.
4. We strive to respect the rights and views of other mental health professionals.
5. We will appropriately end services or refer clients to other programs when appropriate.
6. We strive to evaluate our personal limitations, strengths, biases, and effectiveness on an ongoing basis for the purpose of self-improvement. We will continually attain further education and training.
7. We strive to respect various institutional and managerial policies but will help to improve such policies if the best interest of the client is served.

If you believe any of these standards have been violated, please ask to speak to our Clinic Director, Dr. Nanette McDevitt. She can be reached at [Nanette@gmlaunchpad.com](mailto:Nanette@gmlaunchpad.com)