



## **Sacred Garden Fellowship Certified Spiritual Energy Healer's Code of Ethics/Standards of Practice**

### **PURPOSE:**

To guide the practice of spiritual healing by Sacred Garden Fellowship (SGF) Certified Spiritual Energy Healers.

### **DEFINITION:**

Spiritual healing is a healing modality in which practitioners serve as a conduit for divine energy to help facilitate the physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual self-healing of their clients.

### **GOAL:**

The goal of spiritual healing is to restore our knowingness of the perfection in which we were all created through the removal of blockages to our awareness of the divine within.

### **PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY:**

Spiritual healing practitioners act in a manner that justifies public trust and confidence, enhances the reputation of spiritual healers, and safeguards the interest of individual clients. They bring healing to the world by being loving, joyful, and peace-filled to the best of their abilities. They recognize that healing can take many forms and that clients have free will to use healing energy as they choose, including through the passing on of the physical form. Practitioners conduct their business and professional activities with honesty and integrity, respecting the inherent worth of all living beings and seeing them beyond appearances as the divine beings that they are. They perform within their scope of practice and follow all policies, procedures, guidelines, regulations, codes, and requirements of any licensing or certifying organization, as well as all Federal, state, and local laws.

### **SCOPE OF PRACTICE:**

Spiritual healing practitioners integrate and practice spiritual healing within the scope of their training, education, and licensing. They represent their education, qualifications, and professional affiliations honestly and provide only those services they are qualified and legally permitted to perform. They accurately inform clients, other health care practitioners, and the public of the scope and limitations of their services and refer clients to other health professionals when appropriate.

### **EQUALITY:**

As all people are fundamentally the same within, practitioners shall not discriminate and shall treat all clients and their individual beliefs and perspectives with the utmost respect regardless of race, religion, color, creed, age, gender, sexual orientation, health status, nationality, disability, dis-ease, appearance, or other label or status.

#### INTENTION:

Practitioners set their intent to see clients (and all people) in their truth and perfection, beyond appearances, and to discern illusion and glamor from truth, love, peace, and joy. First and foremost, practitioners act with the commitment to do no harm.

#### COMMUNICATION:

Practitioners shall use discernment to recognize how best to communicate with each client at the level of the client's understanding and beliefs before, during, and after the healing, including discerning appropriate language to use for any assessment, prayers, the healing itself, and any messages given after the healing.

#### A SAFE ENVIRONMENT:

Spiritual healing practitioners provide a safe and supportive environment that is beneficial for healing and are physically, mentally, and emotionally capable of providing for the client's care and safety during the session. Practitioners are not under the influence of alcohol, recreational drugs, or anything that would impair their actions, judgment, or the safety of the clients. Clients are empowered to speak freely and practitioners will honor any physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual boundaries, consent, feedback, or ending of the session at any time. Both practitioners and clients shall not engage in any sexual or aggressive communication or touch during the session, and the practitioner or client may stop the session at any time if feeling unsafe in any way.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY:

Spiritual healing practitioners hold all client information and communication confidential unless required by law to release it. Clients may give written consent to share or disclose such information.

#### SPIRITUAL HEALING PROCESS:

The spiritual healing practitioner:

1. explains spiritual healing in clear and simple terms;
2. asks permission to confirm the client's desire for healing and honors their response;
3. asks if the client prefers hands-on or hands-off healing and honors their response;
4. begins the healing with a prayer, silent or verbal;
5. conducts the healing by being a conduit for divine spiritual healing energy, envisioning both themselves and the client in divine perfection;
6. closes the healing with a prayer;
7. shares any messages with the client with discernment and within the scope of their education and training;
8. may receive feedback about the healing from the client; and
9. keeps all aspects of the healing session confidential unless required by law to disclose it.

#### SELF-DEVELOPMENT:

Spiritual healing practitioners maintain a commitment to ongoing self-care and spiritual growth through practicing meditation, healing, reading, and other spiritual development practices that further open and clear the channel for divine healing energy, encourage seeing all things as interconnected and in perfect harmony, and support living from the divine within.