6. Electronic Therapy/Telehealth

- May an applicant for licensure/LAMFT engage in electronic therapy and may such hours be logged in meeting post-graduate requirements for LMFT licensure?

Yes; an applicant for licensure/LAMFT may provide electronic therapy and may log such hours in meeting post-graduate requirements for LMFT licensure. The applicant/LAMFT must be competent to provide electronic therapy or obtain education/training to develop such a competency. The individual must be under appropriate supervision of an LMFT Board-approved supervisor when providing such services. Electronic therapy must be in compliance with the MN Code of Ethics (Minn. Rule 5300.0350) and applicable HIPPA standards. (Note: Relevant HIPPA standards may change based upon type of service provided and where service is provided.) The Board has issued previous information regarding electronic therapy available for review on the Board’s website. All electronic therapy is limited by state jurisdiction. (See Jurisdictional Issues, above.)