

Soma Institute of Structural Integration

Assumption of Risk & Waiver of Liability Relating to COVID-19

COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2) has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious respiratory and vascular disease that is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person in the form of aerosols and large droplets.

The Soma Institute of Structural Integration has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, it cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, exposing yourself to contact with others will increase the possibility of contracting COVID-19.

Everyone entering the Soma Institute Clinic or Classroom is required to provide accurate and truthful COVID-19 related exposure risk and sign/symptom information. On a daily basis, students and faculty members will be assessed for signs of illness.

By signing this document, I confirm that:

- I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by receiving treatment from a student practitioner and/or the faculty at the Soma Institute and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, or death.
- I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the Soma Institute may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to the faculty, students and any model clients of a student practitioner.
- I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience.
- I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the students, the Soma Institute of Structural Integration and its faculty/staff, and the business from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto.
- I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the students and/or the faculty at the Soma Institute of Structural Integration, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after receiving bodywork.
- I have read the General, Student-Instructor, and Clinic protocols and agree to abide by them.
- I have read the information about COVID-19 and been given the opportunity to seek clarification regarding symptoms and the disease.
- I acknowledge that I could contract the COVID-19 virus from activities or interactions unrelated to any visits to the Soma Institute facility.
- I understand and accept the additional risk of contracting COVID-19 from being at the Soma Clinic, lecture facilities, and in the building the school is held.
- I will answer the COVID-19 screening questions truthfully or to the best of my ability, each time I am required to complete the health disclosure.
- I understand that by not answering the COVID-19 questions accurately, I put the health of all persons at the Soma Institute and the health of others at risk.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

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