**Utah Domestic Violence Solutions Conference**

**Three Critical Clients’ Rights: Confidentiality, Privacy, and Access to Records**

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1. **Why should we care about ethics?**
2. **Three Critical Clients’ Rights**
	1. **Confidentiality/Privacy**
		1. **Initial thoughts**
		2. **When can you disclose confidential information?**
			1. **Valid release of information**
			2. **Mandated reporter**
				1. **Clergy in Utah**
				2. **Cross reporting with animal abuse**
			3. **Self-harm**
			4. **Tarasoff/Duty-to-Warn**
			5. **HIPAA**
			6. **Subpoena**
			7. **Lawsuit**
		3. **What if your client is a child?**
		4. **Before you disclose confidential information**
	2. **Access to Records**
		1. **Why do clients want access?**
		2. **Do we have to provide access?**
		3. **Benefits of access**
		4. **Risks of access**
		5. **How to handle requests**
		6. **Parents of child clients**
		7. **When you disclose records…**
		8. **How long do we keep clients’ records?**
3. **Emerging Ethical Issues Related to Technology**