

**Unity Worldwide Ministries
Licensed Unity Teacher Code of Ethics**

- I.** I look to the indwelling Christ for inspiration and guidance in all that I do.
- II.** I honor myself and others and celebrate our diversity as children of God.
- III.** I use prayer as the center of my life and encourage others to do the same.
- IV.** I acknowledge the Minister as the leader of the ministry that I serve.
- V.** I maintain a professional relationship with the minister and ministry that is cooperative, supportive, honorable and keeps me in integrity. I understand the boundaries and appropriate moral behavior with members of the congregation, staff, ministers, and other teachers. I hold all confidences as sacred trusts, except where professional intervention is legally required.
- VI.** I undertake activities related to the ministry only with the knowledge and approval of the minister.
- VII.** I recognize that all formal outreach study groups must be sponsored by my parent ministry or the Expansion Department of Unity Worldwide Ministries.
- VIII.** I will, to the best of my ability, serve with excellence and empower others to live the Truth. When teaching, I will present subjects which are deemed compatible with basic Unity principles and acceptable to my minister.
- IX.** If a challenge arises, I acknowledge that direct communication with the person or the minister is essential, in an effort to reach a positive and productive solution. If the challenge is with the minister and a solution cannot be reached, I will refrain from critical discussion with members of the congregation, staff, board, and other teachers in my ministry, or other ministers. I will first take it into prayer then contact: (1) my Licensed Teacher Regional Representative; (2) the Licensed Teacher Coordinator at Unity Worldwide Ministries, for direction and support. I understand that to communicate any criticism of my minister – whether written, spoken, or even non-verbal – to any member of the congregation, staff, board, or other teachers, would be a violation of this Code of Ethics.
- X.** I, as a Licensed Unity Teacher, dedicate myself to the principles of Truth as taught and exemplified by Jesus Christ, and interpreted by Unity: World Headquarters at Unity Village and Unity Worldwide Ministries.

Licensed Unity Teacher

Date

Recommending Minister

Chair - Board of Trustees

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