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## Heroic Hearts Project (HHP) Returning Participant Policy

HHP has created this returning participant policy in order to ensure that those who are most in need receive support. This policy provides a framework for the procedures necessary in order for HHP returning participants to be considered for and participate in another HHP program.

**1. Significant Need:** The significant need for another retreat experience by each HHP returning participant will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

**2. Stand Down Period:** Each returning HHP participant requires a minimum of twelve months stand down after having completed an HHP psychedelic program, a similar psychedelic-sponsored program operated by another organization, and/or a privately funded medicine retreat experience. This stand-down period allows for the appropriate amount of time in order to properly integrate your experience before coming back into medicine work.

**3. Costs for a Returning Participant:** Each returning HHP participant is required to pay for a minimum of 50% of the total costs of the program. The total cost for a HHP program for each participant averages over \$6,000. Therefore each returning HHP participant is expected to invest a minimum of \$3,000.

This can be paid either all at once, half now and half at the completion of the program or an initial \$500 deposit to hold your spot and monthly payments of \$500 until the minimum investment amount is reached.

**4. Lack of Funds Available:** If the returning participant does not have the funds available, HHP will take this into consideration and may apply a reduced sliding scale or monthly installment payment plan. These considerations will be applied on an individual basis.

**5. Use of Deposit:** As a HHP returning participant, a minimum deposit of \$500 is required to hold your spot on an HHP psychedelic program. If when the program roster closes three weeks before the start date of your scheduled retreat, a returning participant pulls out of the program without just cause, this deposit will not be returned. If there is just cause or outside of the program roster cut-off date, this \$500 deposit will either be returned or used towards a spot on another HHP psychedelic retreat program.

### **6. Coaching**

It is still mandatory for each returning HHP participant to complete all individual and group coaching requirements, 12 total hours of coaching. Failure to meet this requirement could result in removal from your scheduled program.

We appreciate your willingness to be a returning participant in an HHP program.

Sincerely,

Heroic Hearts Project Team