



March 23, 2015

UPS GROUND

Lawrence S. Brown, M.D.
Chief Executive Officer
START Treatment & Recovery Centers, Inc.
22 Chapel Street
Brooklyn, New York 11201-1903

Re: Provider #47570
Operating Certificate #180311563
PRU #6

Dear Dr. Brown:

Operating Certificate #180311563 is issued by the Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) pursuant to the New York State Mental Hygiene Law. This Operating Certificate renews authorization for START Treatment & Recovery Centers, Inc. to operate a Part 822-5 opioid treatment program at 119-121 West 124th Street, New York, effective April 1, 2015.

The three year term of the Operating Certificate is based on the scores identified on the attached *Operating Certificate Renewal Compliance Summary Sheet*.

START Treatment & Recovery Centers, Inc. is responsible for complying with applicable building occupancy limitations and securing any necessary approvals from other governmental entities.

This Operating Certificate is to be prominently displayed at the service site.

The Mental Hygiene Law requires services to be operated in accordance with the terms of the Operating Certificate. Therefore, please carefully examine this certificate and notify the Bureau of Certification immediately if it contains any inaccuracies.

Sincerely,

Janet L. Paloski
Director

Bureau of Certification and Systems Management

Enclosures

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**NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES
DIVISION OF QUALITY ASSURANCE AND PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT -- BUREAU OF CERTIFICATION**

OPERATING CERTIFICATE RENEWAL - COMPLIANCE SUMMARY SHEET

Provider Legal Name:	START Treatment & Recovery Centers, Inc.
Active Parent Corporation:	
Certified Program/Service Reviewed:	Opioid Treatment Program

Building:	
Room/ Floor	Basement, 4th and 5th Floors
Street Address:	119-121 West 124th Street
City and Zip Code:	New York, 10027

Provider Number:	47570
Operating Certificate Number:	1803 11563
Recertification Review Number:	NY14115
Recertification Review Conducted:	1/20/2015 to: 1/30/2015

PRU Number(s): 6 Capacity: 300

<u>RECERTIFICATION REVIEW COMPLIANCE RATING TABLE</u>		
<u>Compliance Scores</u>	<u>Compliance Ratings</u>	<u>Term of Renewed Operating Certificate</u>
---	Quality Services Review	9 months
0 - 1.75	Red Flag Deficiency(ies) Noncompliance	6 months 6 months
1.76 - 2.50	Minimal Compliance	1 year
2.51 - 3.25	Partial Compliance	2 years
3.26 - 4.00	Substantial Compliance	3 years

RECERTIFICATION REVIEW RESULTS

COMPLIANCE STATUS

	<u>Quality Indicator</u>	<u>Overall</u>	<u>Yes/No</u>	<u>Renewal Term</u>
▶ Case Records	3.42	3.69		3 years
▶ Service Management	3.73	3.92		3 years
▶ Red Flag Deficiency(ies) (For specific Red Flag Deficiency(ies), please refer to Program Review Report issued at conclusion of Recertification Review)				n/a
▶ Quality Services Review				

FACILITY INSPECTION RESULTS

Site#	Address	Site Type	Ins #	Date	Deficiency	Renewal Term
6132	Basement, 4th and 5th Floors, 119-121 West 124th Street, New York 10027	ML	20689	10/28/2014	None	3 years

Site Type Codes
ML - Main Location
AL - Additional Location
Apt - Apartment

Deficiency Code Examples
Red Flag - imminent structural failure; fire service sprinkler system disabled; or a required exit that is permanently blocked
Significant - pathways to exits blocked; fire alarm systems in trouble mode; or broken stair treads
Notable - any other OASAS or building code violation

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FISCAL VIABILITY REVIEWS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fiscal viability package not submitted. | 6 months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Data received insufficient to determine fiscal viability. | 6 months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Current financial position NOT viable; however, an acceptable financial recovery plan submitted. | 2 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Current financial position viable; however, overall financial position NOT viable. | 2 years |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Current and overall financial positions viable. | 3 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fiscal viability determination not applicable, given the service provider is a governmental entity or New York State Department of Health certified hospital (Article 28). | n/a |

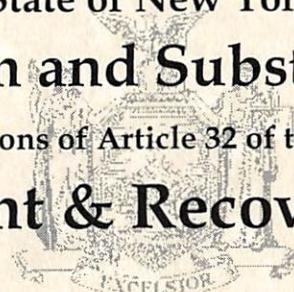
CERTIFICATE TERM The term for the enclosed Operating Certificate is three years

State of New York

Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 32 of the Mental Hygiene Law

START Treatment & Recovery Centers, Inc.



is hereby granted this

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCE OPERATING CERTIFICATE

authorizing the operation of Chemical Dependence Services, in compliance with the requirements of
14 NYCRR Parts 800 and 814 and the laws and regulations of the State of New York

Site

Program Name(s)

Service(s)

Basement, 4th and 5th Floors
119-121 West 124th Street
New York, New York 10027-4920

Starting Point Clinic

- Part 822-5 Opioid Treatment Program - 300 patients
[with ancillary withdrawal services]



Charles W. Monson

180311563

CHARLES W. MONSON
ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER

CERTIFICATE NUMBER
Renewed

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 01, 2015
EXPIRATION DATE: March 31, 2018