



NEW YORK STATE
OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM & SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES
Addiction Services for Prevention, Treatment, Recovery

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July 29, 2014

UPS GROUND

Mr. Paul Ruchames
Executive Director
Backstretch Employee Service
Team of New York, Inc.
Belmont Park, Gate 6
Cottage 28B
2150 Hempstead Turnpike
Elmont, New York 11803

Re: Provider #47560
Operating Certificate #170711723
PRU #52547

Dear Mr. Ruchames:

Operating Certificate #170711723 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 Backstretch Employee Service Team of New York, Inc. to operate a Part 822-4 chemical dependence outpatient service at 2150 Hempstead Turnpike, Elmont, effective August 1, 2014.

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

Backstretch Employee Service Team of New York, 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

Mr. Paul Ruchames
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cc w/encs.: Charles W. Monson
Steven Rabinowitz
Antonette Whyte-Etere
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of New York, Inc.)

**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:	Backstretch Employee Service Team of New York, Inc.
Active Parent Corporation:	
Certified Program/Service Reviewed:	Outpatient Services

Building:	Cottage 28B
Room/ Floor	Belmont Park, Gate 6
Street Address:	2150 Hempstead Turnpike
City and Zip Code:	Elmont, 11003

Provider Number:	47560
Operating Certificate Number:	1707 11723
Recertification Review Number:	NY13263
Recertification Review Conducted:	5/20/2014 to: 5/22/2014

PRU Number(s) 52547 Capacity:

RECERTIFICATION REVIEW COMPLIANCE RATING TABLE

<u>Compliance Scores</u>	<u>Compliance Ratings</u>	<u>Term of Renewed Operating Certificate</u>
---	Quality Services Review	9 months
---	Red Flag Deficiency(ies)	6 months
0 - 1.75	Noncompliance	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	3.31	3.60		3 years
▶ Service Management	4.00	4.00		3 years
▶ Red Flag Deficiency(ies) (For specific Red Flag Deficiency(ies), please refer to Program Review Report issued at conclusion of Recertification Review)				
▶ Quality Services Review				n/a

FACILITY INSPECTION RESULTS

<u>Site#</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Site Type</u>	<u>Ins #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Deficiency</u>	<u>Renewal Term</u>
7309	Cottage 28B, Belmont Park, Gate 6, 2150 Hempstead Turnpike, Elmont 11003	ML	19915	2/26/2014	Notable	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
Backstretch Employee Service Team of New York, 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)

Cottage 28B
Belmont Park, Gate 6
2150 Hempstead Turnpike
Elmont, New York 11003-1551

- Part 822-4 Outpatient Services



Charles W. Monson 170711723
CHARLES W. MONSON EFFECTIVE DATE: August 01, 2014
ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER Renewed EXPIRATION DATE: July 31, 2017
CERTIFICATE NUMBER