

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Healing Partners, Incorporated  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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☒ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
Status

☒ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

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Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

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FROM: JoAnne Finnegan  
Name (Printed or typed)

19405 Melody Fair Place  
Address

Lutz, FL 33549  
City, State & Zip

(813) 926-3251  
Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

S. Thompson JUN 22 2000

## **Articles of Incorporation Healing Partners, Incorporated**

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under Chapter 617 of the laws of the State of Florida, hereby makes and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

### **ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation is Healing Partners, Incorporated, hereinafter called the Corporation.

### **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal office of the Corporation shall be: 8509 N 29th Street  
Tampa, FL 33604

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### **ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The charitable purpose for which the Corporation is organized and will be operated is to teach and practice spiritual, emotional, and physical healing through spiritual attunement, prayer, and touch, and to experience the greater peace and fulfillment that comes from the presence of the Creator in our lives.

In order to accomplish its purpose, the Corporation will:

- a. as permitted by provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to acquire by bequest, devise, gift, purchase, lease or otherwise, any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its amount of value, and to hold, invest, reinvest, manage, use, apply, employ, sell, expend, disburse, lease, mortgage, convey, option, donate or otherwise dispose of such property and the income, principal and proceeds of such property, in order to accomplish the charitable purposes set forth herein;
- b. as permitted by the laws of the State of Florida and provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them;

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**ARTICLE IV  
TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The term for which the Corporation is to exist shall be perpetual or until such time as it shall have been dissolved by law. In the event of its dissolution, all assets will be distributed so as to be in conformance with the laws of the State of Florida and the provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**ARTICLE V  
MEMBERSHIP**

Membership in the Corporation is open to those persons who have been trained in the Healing Protocol and Practices specified in the By-Laws of the Corporation, who have affirmed commitment to the Code of Ethical Practices of the Corporation, and who meet such participatory requirements as may be specified in the By-Laws.

**ARTICLE VI  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

All affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors that is elected by the members. The length of the terms of office and the method of election will be prescribed in the By-Laws of the Corporation.

The Board of Directors shall consist of the Officers of the Corporation and no more than three Directors at Large. Officers shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. There may be an Assistant Secretary and an Assistant Treasurer who are not voting members of the Board of Directors and who are not necessarily members of the Corporation.

The duties and privileges of the Board of Directors and for each office, as well as the eligibility requirements for Board membership and for each office, will be defined and described in the By-Laws of the Corporation.

The Board of Directors shall have power to fill all vacancies occurring in its body in the period between annual meetings.

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**ARTICLE VII  
INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS**

The names of the officers who are to manage all affairs of the Corporation until the next appointment or first election under these Articles of Incorporation are:

JoAnne Finnegan  
19405 Melody Fair Place  
Lutz, FL 33549

President/Director

Rose Mary Ammons  
1440 Riverside Drive  
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

Vice President/Director

Christine Marie Bergman  
609 2nd Street #3  
Indian Rocks Beach, FL 33785

Secretary/Director

Lisa R. Van Broekhoven  
1524 Livingston Road  
Lutz, FL 33549

Treasurer/Director

Margaret McClain  
8509 N 29th Street  
Tampa, FL 33604

Director At Large

Scottie J. Fingar  
614 S. Oregon Ave.  
Tampa, FL 33606

Director At Large

**ARTICLE VIII  
MANNER OF ELECTION**

The membership of the Corporation shall meet annually to elect the Board of Directors and to conduct such other business as may be reasonable for the welfare of the Corporation. The date for the annual meeting will be set according to requirements specified in the By-Laws.

The Board of Directors will meet annually and at such other times as specified in the By-Laws in order to manage the affairs of the Corporation.

Provision for such other meetings as may be necessary or desirable for accomplishing the purpose of the Corporation will be included in the By-Laws.

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Notification of special meetings of the Board of Directors or of the membership must be accomplished according to requirements stipulated in the By-Laws.

**ARTICLE IX  
By-Laws**

The By-Laws of the Corporation must be consistent with the Articles of Incorporation and shall be made, altered, or rescinded through a vote of three-quarters of the members of the Board of Directors, then ratified by a vote of three-quarters of the membership present and voting at the Annual Meeting or at a meeting called for the purpose.

**ARTICLE X  
HONORARY PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS**

The Board of Directors may appoint an honorary Board of Professional Advisors to enhance the charitable purpose of Healing Partners, Inc. Qualifications, responsibilities, and privileges of Professional Advisors will be provided in the By-Laws.

**ARTICLE XI  
LIMITATIONS**

No grant shall be made or received by Healing Partners, Inc. except by the consent of a majority of the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting. All such grants must be in accordance with provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

No real property held by the Corporation shall be encumbered or sold except in keeping with provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and with the approval of a majority of the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting, that approval then being ratified by a majority of the membership present and voting at the Annual Meeting or at a meeting called for the purpose.

All conveyances and other instruments in the name of the Corporation shall be signed in the corporate name by the President and by the Secretary under the common seal of the Corporation.

The Corporation shall not:

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- (a) allow any part of its net income to inure to the benefit of the Board of Directors, the Officers, or the members of the Corporation or to any other individuals, except in the furtherance of its Charitable Purposes;
- (b) attempt to influence legislation as a substantial part of its activities;
- (c) participate to any extent in any political campaign for or against any candidate for public office;
- (d) conduct any activities not permitted for organizations exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**ARTICLE XII  
CHANGES TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them, and all rights and privileges conferred upon the Members, Directors and Officers are subject to this reservation. These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, duly called and convened for such purpose, if approved by three-quarters of the members of the Board of Directors and ratified by a vote of three-quarters of the membership present and voting at the Annual Meeting or at a meeting called for the purpose.

Upon the consequent confirmation thereof by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, such amendments shall be and form a part of said Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE XIII  
REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and street address of the Registered Agent of the Corporation is:

Rose Mary Ammons  
1440 Riverside Drive  
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

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**ARTICLE XIV  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is :

JoAnne Finnegan  
19405 Melody Fair Place  
Lutz, FL 33549

*JoAnne Finnegan*  
JoAnne Finnegan  
Incorporator

6-10-00  
Date

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Having been named as Registered Agent to accept service of process for Healing Partners, Incorporated at the place stated on this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity.

*Rose Mary Ammons*  
Rose Mary Ammons  
Registered Agent

6/12/00  
Date

*Leticia Satler*  
Leticia Satler

