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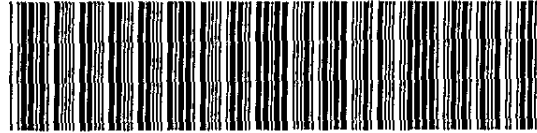
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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Crossroads Behavioral Health Center, Inc.  
**(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)**

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 &  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Sonya Finer  
Name (Printed or typed)

5801 Waxmyrtle Way  
Address

Naples, Florida 34109  
City, State & Zip

239-596-5853  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (not for profit) 05 FEB -7 PM 3: 28

### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of this corporation shall be Crossroads Behavioral Health Center, Inc..

### ARTICLE II

#### PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business shall be 5051 Castello Dr. Suite 207, Naples, Florida 34103.

(MAILING ADDRESS: 5801 Waxmyrtle Way Naples, Florida 34109)].

### ARTICLE III

#### PURPOSE

The purposes for which this corporation is formed is to provide comprehensive access to mental health and substance abuse treatment and educational services to it's community members regardless of race, religion or socio-economic status including the poor, the distressed and the underprivileged . These services will include but not be limited to the following:

To provide mental health and substance abuse treatment and educational instruction to individuals in need of such treatment with the objective of improving or developing their individual capabilities and reducing the risk of self injury or community endangerment.

To lessen the burdens of government, lessen neighborhood tensions, eliminate prejudice, eliminate discrimination, and combat community deterioration.

To aid, support, and assist by gifts, contributions, or otherwise, other corporations, community chests, funds and foundations organized and operated exclusively for charitable or educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.

To do any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining of the foregoing purposes, either directly or indirectly, and either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, whether such others be persons or organizations of any kind or nature, such as

corporations, firms, association, trusts, institution, foundations, or governmental bureaus, departments or agencies.

All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively charitable and educational purposes in such a manner that the Corporation will qualify as an exempt organization under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

**CORPORATE PURPOSES:** Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal and state income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

#### ARTICLE IV

##### LIMITATIONS

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, nor to any Director or officer of the corporation, nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to the corporation, or allowed by the corporation as a reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;
2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.
3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended.
4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation [unless such loan program is regularly conducted as part of the activities of the organization and the qualification of the individual to participate in same is determined by a panel comprised solely of non-Board members], or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

## ARTICLE V

### DIRECTORS/MEMBERS

The corporation shall have voting members but is not required to. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

The corporation's first Board of Directors shall be comprised of the following natural persons:

Gregory J. Finer  
Sonya K. Finer  
Joanne R. Stark

## ARTICLE VI

### DEBT OBLIGATIONS AND PERSONAL LIABILITY

No member, officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

## ARTICLE VII

### DISSOLUTION

Upon the time of dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed by the Board of Directors, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VIII

INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

Sonya K. Finer 5801 Waxmyrtle Way, Naples, Florida 34109

ARTICLE IX

INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporators of this corporation are:

Gregory J. Finer 5801 Waxmyrtle Way, Naples, Florida 34109


Sonya K. Finer 5801 Waxmyrtle Way, Naples, Florida 34109

The undersigned incorporators certifies both that they executes these Articles for the purposes herein stated, and that by such execution, they affirms the understanding that should any of the information in these Articles be intentionally or knowingly misstated, she/he/they is/are subject to criminal penalties for perjury.


Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Registered Agent

2/2/05  
Date

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

2/2/05  
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