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SUBJECT: Stuart Medical Center, P.A.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

**EFFECTIVE DATE**  
9-30-99

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

☐ \$70.00 Filing Fee  
☒ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status

☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy  
☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate of Status  
**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Alison M. Equi  
Name (Printed or typed)  
201 N. Colorado Avenue  
Address  
Stuart, Fl. 34994  
City, State & Zip  
561-286-2030  
Daytime Telephone number

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**Articles of Incorporation  
Of**

**Stuart Medical Center, P.A.**

**EFFECTIVE DATE**  
9-30-99

I, the undersigned, hereby for the purpose of becoming a corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida, by and under the provisions of the Statutes of the State of Florida, providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges and immunities of a corporation for profit.

**Article I**

**Name of Corporation**

The name of the Corporation shall be

**Stuart Medical Center, P.A.**

**Article II**

**Principal Office of The Corporation**

The principal office address in the State of Florida shall be **19 East Osceola Street, Stuart, Florida 34994.**

The Board of Directors may from time to time move the principal office to any other address in the State of Florida.

**Article III**

**Capital Stock**

The authorized capital stock of this corporation, all of which shall be fully paid and non-assessable, shall consist of one hundred (100) shares of common stock of a par value of one dollar (\$1.00) per share, and may be issued by this corporation, as, when and such considerations as may be fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors.

### **Initial Stock**

The amount of capital stock with which this corporation will begin business shall not be less than One Hundred and no/100 (\$100.00) dollars.

### **Article IV**

#### **Registered Agent**

The street address of the initial registered agent is 201 North Colorado Avenue, Stuart, Florida 34994, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Alison M. Equi.

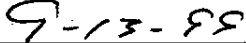
### **Article V**

#### **Incorporator**

The **name and address** of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:

**Bruce C. Equi, D.O., 19 East Osceola Street, Stuart, Florida 34994**

  
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Signature/Incorporator

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### **Article VI**

#### **Effective Date**

The effective date of the corporation shall be

**September 30, 1999**

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## Article VII

### Nature of Business

The nature of the business and the proposed objects and purposes to be transacted, promoted and carried on are to do any and all things hereinafter mentioned, as fully and to the same effect and extent as natural persons might or could do, viz:

- A. To engage in every phase and aspect of the practice of medicine and to render professional medical services to any and all persons, firms, corporations, and other entities, and to the general public, in the State of Florida and all of its political subdivisions and in every jurisdiction and before all courts and public and administrative bodies and otherwise, throughout the world, unless prohibited by law.
- B. To invest its funds in real estate, mortgages, stocks, bonds or other types of investments, and to own real or personal property necessary for the rendering of aforesaid professional services.
- C. In general, to do all things and perform all acts necessary and proper for the accomplishment of the aforesaid purposes or necessary or incidental to the achievement of the objectives of the corporation, and to have and exercise all powers of any nature whatsoever permitted or conferred by law upon corporations in general, unless specifically prohibited by the Professional Service Corporation Act of the State of Florida, including and subsequent to amendments thereto;
- D. The foregoing clauses shall be constructed both as objects and powers; and it is hereby expressly provided that the foregoing enumeration of special powers shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of this corporation.

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

AM Equi

Signature/Registered Agent

9-13-99

Date