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FROM: JoAnn Eaccarino

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT
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APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM CON PROCESS
Form 2010

All persons who are requesting an exemption from the Certificate of Need process under the requirements of Connecticut General Statutes, Sections 19a-639(d), 19a-639(e), 19a-639b and 17a-678 must complete this form. Please submit the completed forms to the Commissioner of the Office of Health Care Access, 410 Capitol Avenue, MS#13HCA, P.O. Box 340308, Hartford, Connecticut 06134-0308.

SECTION I. APPLICANT INFORMATION

If this proposal has more than two Applicants, please attach a separate sheet, supplying the same information for each additional Applicant in the format presented in the following table.

	Applicant One	Applicant Two
Full Legal Name	Grasso Technical High School Based Health Center	
Doing Business As	SAME	
Name of Parent Corporation	CHILD & FAMILY Agency of Southeastern CT, INC.	
Applicant's Mailing Address, if Post Office Box, include a street mailing address for Certified Mail	SBHC Administration 75 Granite St. NEW LONDON, CT 06320	
What is the Applicant's Status: P for Profit or NP for Nonprofit	NP	
Does the Applicant have Tax Exempt Status?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Contact Person, including Title/Position: This Individual will be the Applicant's Designee to receive all correspondence in this matter.	JoAnn M. Eaccarino, M.S., FNP-BC	
Contact Person's mailing address, if PO Box, include a street mailing address for Certified Mail	SBHC Administration 75 Granite St. NEW LONDON, CT 06320	

SECTION V. EXEMPTION AFFIDAVIT

To be completed by each Applicant

Applicant: CHILD & FAMILY Agency of Southeastern CT, INC.

Project Title: Grasso Technical High School Based Health Center

I, Thomas P. Gullotta, C.E.O.
Name of the authorized representative Title

of CHILD & FAMILY Agency of Southeastern, being duly sworn, depose and
Facility Name CT, INC.

state that said facility complies with all of the criteria: (Check One Only)

- Stated in 19a-639a, Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S."), as amended by Public Act 08-14 (Non-clinical, capital expenditure not exceeding \$20 million)
- Stated in 19a-639(d), C.G.S. (FQHC/CHC)
- Stated in 19a-639(e), C.G.S. (School-based clinic)
- Stated in 19a-639a(d), C.G.S. (Health care facility or institution)
- Stated in 19a-639b, C.G.S. (Non-Profit)
- Stated in 17a-678, C.G.S. (DMHAS)
- Stated in 19a-639c, C.G.S. (Replacement equipment Waiver)

[Signature] Signature Date 9/7/10

Subscribed and sworn to before me on September 7, 2010

[Signature] Notary Public
Notary Public/Commissioner of Superior Court

My commission expires: April 30, 2014

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SECTION II. GENERAL PROPOSAL INFORMATION

- a. Proposal/Project Title (i.e. use applicable state licensure categories):
Outpatient CLINIC for School Based Health Center
- b. Location of proposal, identifying Street Address, Town, and Zip Code:
189 FORT HILL Rd., GROTON, CT 06340
- c. List each town that this project is intended to serve:
Students attending Grasso from Groton + surrounding towns (New London, Norwich, Ledyard, Stonington)
- d. Estimated starting date for the project: Sept 15, 2010
- e. Provide a brief description of the proposal in the box below. Use an additional sheet if necessary.

The clinic at Grasso Tech High in Groton will initially be linked to Fitch High and connected to all the school based health centers in Groton. It will initially be staffed two mornings/week by an APRN, who will be on-call the rest of the time school is in session. With increasing enrollment and demand for services, the hours of the clinic will be increased.

SECTION III. ESTIMATED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE INFORMATIONEstimated Total Project Cost: \$ 0**SECTION IV. EXEMPTION INFORMATION**

I may be eligible for an exemption from the Certificate of Need process because of the following: (Please check the boxes that apply.)

Section 19a-639a, C.G.S., as amended by Public Act No. 08-14, "An Act Concerning Certificates of Need Issued by the Office of Health Care Access"

- The proposed capital expenditures is:
 for a parking lot, garage, information and/or communication system, office space, acquisition of land for nonclinical purposes or acquisition of non-medical equipment and does not exceed \$20 million.

Section 19a-639(d), C.G.S.

- This is a Community Health Center which:
- is proposing a capital expenditure which does not exceed three million dollars
 - provides only primary care or dental services *and* either
 - 1/3rd or more of the cost is financed by the State of Connecticut (supporting documentation attached);
 - is receiving funds from the Department of Public Health (supporting documentation attached); or
 - provides services in a medically underserved area or in a health professional shortage area with proof attached.
- This is a Federally Qualified Health Center Satellite which:
- is part of a federally qualified health center (**Supporting Documents Attached**)
 - provides only primary care or dental services
 - provides services in a medically underserved area or a health professional shortage area with proof attached.

Section 19a-639(e), C.G.S.

- This is a school-based clinic, which is:
- licensed or will be licensed by the Department of Public Health (DPH)
 - approved by the DPH as meeting a standard model for a comprehensive school-based health clinic
 - proposing a capital expenditure not exceeding three million dollars
 - located entirely on the property of an existing school site.

Section 19a-639a(d), C.G.S.

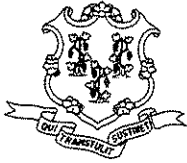
- This proposal is intended for a health care facility or institution that proposes to purchase or operate an electronic medical records system (**Supporting Documents Attached**).

Section 19a-639b, C.G.S.

- This proposal is intended for a non-profit facility, institution or provider that is currently under contract with a state agency or department where:
 - the activity meets a specific service need;
 - the activity is the relocation of services;
 - the activity is a termination of service/function;
 - has a capital expenditure that does not exceed three million dollars, and
 - has received an endorsement from the Commissioner, executive director, chairman or chief court administrator of the state agency or department confirming the service need. **(Supporting Documents Attached)**

Section 17a-678, C.G.S.

- This is a proposal to close a service delivery system gap in the statewide substance abuse service delivery plan which:
 - is a community agency operating a program in a state institution or facility
 - is a nonprofit community agency operating a program in a state institution or facility and is receiving funds from the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS)
 - is a nonprofit substance abuse facility and is receiving funds from DMHAS
 - is submitting a letter from the Commissioner of DMHAS **(Supporting Documents Attached)** with proof of DMHAS funding and confirming the above



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Office of Health Care Access

September 16, 2010

VIA FACSIMILE ONLY

JoAnn Eaccarino, M.S., FNP-BC
Assistant Director
SBHC Administration
75 Granite Street
New London, CT 06320

Re: Certificate of Need Exemption Report Number: 10-31664-EXM
Child & Family Agency of Southeastern CT, Inc.
Grasso Technical High School Based Health Center in Groton

Dear Ms. Eaccarino:

On September 8, 2010, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received your application for exemption from the Certificate of Need ("CON") process for the establishment of a school based health center at the Grasso Technical High School ("GTHS") located at 189 Fort Hill Road, Groton, Connecticut.

GTHS provided the following information with respect to this request:

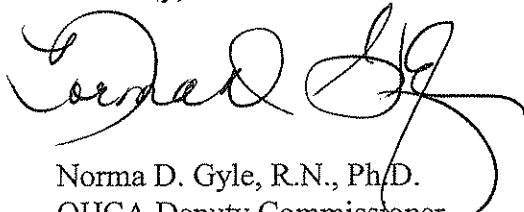
1. Child & Family Agency of Southeastern CT, Inc. ("CFAS") is a private, non-profit child service provider at various locations in Connecticut.
2. CFAS proposes to establish a school based health center ("clinic") at GTHS in Groton.
3. The clinic will serve students attending GTHS from Groton and surrounding towns (New London, Norwich, Ledyard, Stonington).
4. The clinic will initially be staffed two mornings per week by an APRN, who will be on-call the rest of the time school is in session.
5. The clinic will be located entirely on the property of the GTHS site.
6. There is no proposed capital expenditure associated with this proposal.

7. The operation of the clinic will begin September 15, 2010.
8. CFAS will seek licensure by Department of Public Health ("DPH") as an outpatient clinic.

Based on the above findings, OHCA determines that the proposal of the Child & Family Agency of Southeastern CT, Inc. to establish a school-based health clinic at Grasso Technical High School located at 189 Fort Hill Road, Groton, Connecticut meets the requirements of Section 19a-639(e) of the Connecticut General Statutes, and, therefore, is exempt from OHCA's Certificate of Need process.

Thank you for advising OHCA of your plans. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Paolo Fiducia, Associate Health Care Analyst at (860) 418-7001.

Sincerely,



Norma D. Gyle, R.N., Ph.D.
OHCA Deputy Commissioner

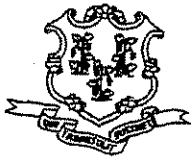
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