



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Office of the Secretary of State

Fee: \$35.00

Division Of Business Services
148 W. River Street
Providence RI 02904-2615
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**Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Incorporation**

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is The Karg Academy

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is Perpetual

ARTICLE III

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

The corporation is a special education and advocacy organization for parents of children with neuro-developmental disabilities with the purpose of educating and assisting parents in obtaining the free and appropriate public education (FAPE) services their children are entitled to by the current State and Federal special education (IDEA) and disability (ADA) laws of the United States of America.

Services to be offered to those individuals noted above include, but are not limited to:

- Review of Disability Evaluations, Documentation & Records to Determine Eligibility for Special Education Services and Substantiate Requests for Appropriate Instructional Modifications and Environmental Accommodations.
- Assess the Impact of Specific Neuro-developmental Disabilities on Academic & Social Development & Achievement to Accurately Develop Individual Education Plans (IEPs) that Provide Scientifically Researched, Evidence-Based Accommodations & Modifications Proven to Facilitate Positive Educational & Social Experiences.
- Facilitate Communication & Negotiation Efforts Between Family Members, Public School Personnel, And Medical Professionals for the Express Purpose & Benefit of Securing the Most Appropriate Modifications & Accommodations Required to Effectively Address Every Aspect of Each Specific Disability for Each Student.
- Provide Short Term Crisis Intervention & Consultation to Families of Children with Disabilities to Teach Effective Monitoring , Regulating, Coping & Problem Solving Strategies that Facilitate Increased Self Regulation, Social Independence & Self Esteem.
- Provide Information, Referral, & Support to Families of Students with

Disabilities to Facilitate Comprehension of Specific Neuro-developmental Disabilities as well as Specific Rights AND Responsibilities Regarding Reasonable & Appropriate Disability Accommodations & Modifications.

- Network With & Participate in Activities & Events Sponsored by Community-Based Special Education Organizations Serving the Full Spectrum of Developmental Disability Populations to Facilitate Community Awareness, Tolerance, & Acceptance.

- Provide Consultation, Professional Development Training, & Technical Assistance to Promote Awareness & Understanding of the State & Federal Laws Ensuring & Protecting Equality & Access AND Freedom from Harassment & Discrimination for Individuals with Disabilities to Facilitate Equal Learning Opportunities & Successful Social & Educational Experiences for ALL Students.

ARTICLE IV

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS. IN PREPARATION FOR FORMAL, FEDERAL 501(C)(3) "NOT-FOR-PROFIT" STATUS, ALL EARNINGS ARE USED SOLELY FOR THE SELF PRESERVATION, EXPANSION, AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE KARG ACADEMY.

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 2598 HARTFORD AVENUE

City or Town: JOHNSTON

State: RI

Zip: 02919

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is MICHAEL J. KARG

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	LEE ANN DWYER KARG	2598 HARTFORD AVENUE JOHNSTON, RI 02919 USA
DIRECTOR	MICHAEL JOSEPH KARG	2598 HARTFORD AVENUE JOHNSTON, RI 02919 USA
DIRECTOR	ALEXANDRIA MARIA CARROLL	2598 HARTFORD AVENUE JOHNSTON, RI 02919 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the each incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	MICHAEL JOSEPH KARG	2598 HARTFORD AVENUE JOHNSTON, RI 02919 USA
INCORPORATOR	LEE ANN DWYER KARG	2598 HARTFORD AVENUE JOHNSTON, RI 02919 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 10/01/2012
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 29 Day of September, 2012 at 5:00:03 PM by the incorporator(s). *This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.*

Enter signature(s) below.

MICHAEL J. KARG

LEE ANN D. KARG

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A. Ralph Mollis

Secretary of State

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

I, A. RALPH MOLLIS, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island
and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly
executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws
of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Ralph Mollis".

A. RALPH MOLLIS

Secretary of State

