



**State of Rhode Island
Office of the Secretary of State**

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Division Of Business Services
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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 Ray of Hope - End the Stigma and Shame of Addiction

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is X Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

RAY OF HOPE - END THE STIGMA AND SHAME OF ADDICTION MISSION IS TO CONNECT INDIVIDUALS BATTLING SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS TO TREATMENT AND SERVICES AND PROVIDE EDUCATION AND AWARENESS OF THE DISEASE OF ADDICTION. OUR FOCUS WILL BE WORKING WITHIN WESTERLY, RI AND SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES TO HELP STRENGTHEN AWARENESS OF EXISTING SERVICES, WHILE WORKING TOGETHER TO IDENTIFY SERVICES THAT ARE STILL NEEDED.

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:

ARTICLE V

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

No. and Street: 1 HIGHLAND AVE

City or Town: WESTERLY

State: RI

Zip: 02891

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is DANIELLE OLIVIER-ZIMMERMAN

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	DANIELLE OLIVIER-ZIMMERMAN	1 HIGHLAND AVE WESTERLY, RI 02891 USA
DIRECTOR	RYAN PAUL ZIMMERMAN	1 HIGHLAND AVE WESTERLY, RI 02891 USA
DIRECTOR	NICOLLE SHELTON	3 BENEFIT STREET WESTERLY, RI 02891 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	DANIELLE OLIVIER-ZIMMERMAN	1 HIGHLAND AVE WESTERLY, RI 02891 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 05/19/2023
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 15 Day of May, 2023 at 1:42:02 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.

DANIELLE OLIVIER-ZIMMERMAN

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Gregg M. Amore, *Secretary of State*

I, GREGG M. AMORE, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island,
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:

May 15, 2023 01:41 PM

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gregg M. Amore". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Gregg M. Amore
Secretary of State

