



Project # 222245-E

Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc.

Program: LHCSA
Purpose: Establishment

County: Kings
Acknowledged: December 23, 2022

Executive Summary

Description

Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc., a Licensed Home Care Services Agency (LHCSA) located at 818 57th Street, Unit 2a, Brooklyn, New York, 11220, requests approval for the transfer of 90.1% ownership interest from one withdrawing shareholder to the remaining shareholder.

There are no proposed changes to the counties served or services provided.

OALTC Recommendation

Approval

Need Summary

In accordance with 10 NYCRR §765-1.16(c)(2), this application is exempt from Public Need review as the agency is actively serving over 25 patients, as attested to by the current operator.

Program Summary

The individual background review indicates the proposed members have met the standard for approval as set forth in Public Health Law §3605.

Financial Summary

The total purchase price for the acquisition of the LHCSA is \$280,000. The applicant reports that they intend to fund the projected operating costs during the first two months after being licensed by utilizing existing financial resources from ongoing operations and current assets held by Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc., as well as personal financing from Justin Zhu.

In accordance with 10 NYCRR §765-1.2(b)(3) the applicant has submitted financial documents prepared by a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) demonstrating the financial feasibility of the agency.

Recommendations

Health Systems Agency

There will be no HSA recommendation for this project.

Office of Aging and Long-Term Care

Approval conditional upon:

1. This project must be completed by one year from the date of the approval letter, including all pre-opening processes, if applicable. Failure to complete the project by this date may constitute an abandonment of the project by the applicant and the expiration of the approval. It is the responsibility of the applicant to request prior approval for any extensions to the project approval expiration date.
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Council Action Date

June 24, 2026

Program Analysis

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The current membership of Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc. is as follows:

- Karen Rabinovich (90.1%)
- Justin Zhu (9.9%)

The proposed membership of Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc. will be as follows:

- Justin Zhu (100%)

The applicant will continue to serve the residents of the following counties:

- Bronx
- Kings
- Nassau
- New York
- Queens
- Richmond

The applicant will continue to provide the following healthcare services:

- Audiology
- Home Health Aide
- Homemaker
- Housekeeper
- Medical Social Services
- Medical Supplies, Equipment and Appliances
- Nursing
- Nutritional
- Personal Care
- Therapy – Occupational
- Therapy – Physical
- Therapy – Respiratory
- Therapy – Speech Language Pathology

Character and Competence Review

Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc. will be comprised of the following individual:

Justin Zhu (100%)

Employment:

- Billing Manager, Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc., (July 2020 – Present)

Affiliations:

- Family Respite Homecare Agency, Inc. (LHCSA), (February 2018 – Present)

A search of the individuals and entities named above revealed no matches on either the Medicaid Disqualified Provider List or the OIG Exclusion List.

Facility Compliance/Enforcement

The information provided by the Center of Home and Community Based Services has indicated that the applicant has provided sufficient supervision to prevent harm, maintain the health, safety, and welfare of residents, and to prevent recurrent code violations.

Need Review

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Workforce Review

The applicant’s response regarding the recruitment and retention of the workforce was adequately addressed in their project narrative. Please refer to Attachment A for the agency’s Workforce Summary.

Conclusion

A review of the Personal Qualifying Information indicates that the applicant has the required character and competence to operate a Licensed Home Care Services Agency.

The individual background review indicates the proposed members have met the standard for approval as set forth in New York State Public Health Law §3605

Attachments

OALTC Attachment A	Workforce Summary
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