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MARLON I. BROWN, DPA
DIRECTOR

August 3, 2026

Mekdes Zewde
5909 Buttonwood Drive
Haslett, MI 48840

RE: License #: AS330404048
Big Hearts AFC
540 N. Hagadorn Road
East Lansing, MI 48823

Dear Mekdes Zewde:

Attached is the Addendum to the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (517) 335-5985.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jana Lipps".

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enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
ADDENDUM TO ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	AS330404048
Licensee Name:	Mekdes Zewde
Licensee Address:	5909 Buttonwood Drive Haslett, MI 48840
Licensee Telephone #:	(517) 505-9422
Administrator:	Mekdes Zewde
Name of Facility:	Big Hearts AFC
Facility Address:	540 N. Hagadorn Road East Lansing, MI 48823
Facility Telephone #:	(517) 402-9342
Capacity:	6
Program Type:	DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED MENTALLY ILL

II. Purpose of Addendum

To modify the original licensing study report to reflect the addition of a half bathroom in one of the residents' bedrooms.

III. Methodology

On 7/20/26 I received email correspondence from licensee, Mekdes Zewde, and direct care staff, Wami Tadele. The email reported that a half bathroom had been added to resident bedroom #2 and Ms. Zewde was requesting a change in the use of space at the facility to reflect this addition.

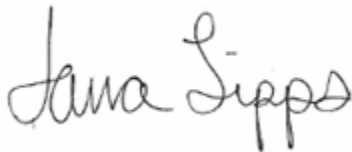
IV. Description of Findings and Conclusions

On 7/22/26 I conducted an on-site inspection at the facility. I observed bedroom #2 to have the addition of a half bathroom. I observed that the plumbing, electrical were all in working order in this bathroom. I observed that a new closet had been built in the bedroom as the new half bathroom had been built where the existing closet previously stood. I measured the bedroom. The measurements were as follows: 10'9ft x 8'3ft = 88.7sqft.

The bedroom has all required furnishings, working electrical, lighting, and an openable window.

V. Recommendation

I recommend approval of modifying the current license to reflect the addition of a half bathroom in bedroom #2 at the facility.



7/27/26

Jana Lipps
Licensing Consultant

Date

Approved:



08/03/2026

Dawn Timm
Area Manager

Date