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November 21, 2008

Danielle and Dale Sissell
20461 Spruce Rd.
Big Rapids, MI 49307

RE: License #: AF540281079
Welcome Home AFC
20461 Spruce Road
Big Rapids, MI 49307

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Sissell:

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

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and feel free to contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please feel free to contact the local office at (989) 758-1754.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
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ADDENDUM TO ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	AF540281079
Licensee Name:	Sissell, Danielle and Dale
Licensee Address:	20461 Spruce Rd. Big Rapids, MI 49307
Licensee Telephone #:	(231) 527-1724
Administrator/Licensee Designee:	N/A
Name of Facility:	Welcome Home AFC
Facility Address:	20461 Spruce Road Big Rapids, MI 49307
Facility Telephone #:	(231) 527-1724
Capacity:	6
Program Type:	MENTALLY ILL DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED

II. Purpose of Addendum

This addendum documents the licensees' request for approval of an addition to the home that created new resident bedrooms on the ground floor so that all residents can now live on the ground floor.

III. Methodology

08/06/2008	Receipt of letter and first copy of plans for addition.
08/15/2008	Receipt of revised plans for addition.
09/25/2008	Onsite Inspection
11/03/2008	Receipt of formal Request for Modification
11/03/2008	Inspection Onsite – Full Approval

IV. Description of Findings and Conclusions

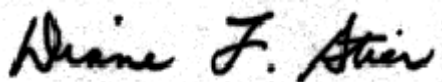
This consultant conducted an onsite inspection after receiving notification that the plans submitted had been carried out. The addition made to the facility consists of two resident bedrooms measuring 77 sq. ft. (for 1 resident) and 141 sq. ft. (for 2 residents), a half bath, a small (70 sq. ft.) sitting room, and a small (80 sq. ft.) craft or recreation room.

Prior to the addition, not all residents were able to be located on the ground floor of the home. Now all residents are located on the ground floor, and the second floor of the home is reserved for the licensees and family.

The home has the required hard-wired interconnected smoke detection system, and the addition is interconnected with that system. French doors leading from the craft/recreation room provide an additional exit for fire or emergency evacuation.

V. Recommendation

I recommend that the additional space be approved for resident use effective November 3, 2008, so that all resident bedrooms are now located on the ground floor.



Diane L Stier
Licensing Consultant

November 21, 2008
Date