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July 21, 2023

Chris Alderton
Camp UPeninsulin
850 W. Baraga Ave.
Marquette, MI 49855

RE: Application #: CR770416732
Camp UPeninsulin
8025N Clear Lake Road
Manistique, MI 49854

Dear Chris Alderton

Attached is the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules. Therefore, original PROGRAM license has been issued.

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 Grand Rapids licensing unit at (616) 356-0100.

Sincerely,

James VanderHeuvel

Lead Camp Licensing Consultant
Bureau of Community and Health Systems
Unit 13, 7th Floor
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Grand Rapids, MI 49503
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CAMP ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT
Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

PROGRAM License Number	PROGRAM (Camp) Name		Application Date		
CR770416732	Camp UPeninsulin		6/2/23		
PROGRAM Phone Number	**PROGRAM Applicant Address**		**City**	**State**	**Zip**
906-449-3460	850 W. Baraga Ave.		Marquette	MI	49855
SITE License Number	**SITE Name**	**Camp SITE Address**	**City**		**Zip**
SR770200285	Clear Lake Education Center	8025N Clear Lake Rd.	Manistique		49854
Camp SITE Telephone	**Applicant/Licensee Designee Name**		**E-Mail**		
906-452-6441	Chris Alderton and Krysti Ostermeyer		campupeninsulin@gmail.com		

Is the PROGRAM applicant the same as SITE Applicant/Licensee?
☐ Yes ☒ No

Terms: Gender: Both Capacity: 60
From Age: 8 To Age: 14

PROGRAM Type
☐ Day ☒ Residential ☐ Troop ☐ Travel ☐ Adult Camp

Camp SITE Type
☐ Day Site ☒ Residential Site

METHODOLOGY

06/02/2023	Enrollment
6/12/2023	Application Incomplete Letter Sent
7/10/2023	Contact-Document Received
7/10/2023	Application Complete/On-site Needed
7/17/2023	Contact Document Sent
7/20/2023	Inspection Completed-BCAL Full Compliance

DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS

A. SITE DESCRIPTION

Outdoor	☐ Acreage:	☐ Water Supply: SELECT	☐ Sewage: SELECT	Bodies of Water: ☐ Lake(s) ☐ Pond(s) ☐ River(s) ☐ Pool(s)		☐ Other:	
Indoor	Sleeping ☐ Dormitory ☐ Cabins ☐ Tents ☐ None	Dining ☐ Dining Hall ☐ Outdoor	Health Area ☐ Center ☐ Office ☐ Isolation	Activity Area(s) ☐ Classrooms ☐ Craft Rooms ☐ Gym ☐ Multipurpose ☐ Indoor pool(s)	Bathroom(s) ☐ Indoor ☐ Portable ☐ Accessible	Fire Safety: SELECT	Env. Health: SELECT
High Adventure	Aquatics ☒ Swimming ☐ Sailing ☒ Canoe/kayak ☐ Waterskiing ☐ Tubing ☐ Waterslide	Target ☐ Archery ☐ Riflery ☐ Other:	Trail Sport ☐ Biking ☐ Horseback ☐ Go Carts ☐ Other:	Adventure ☐ Low Obstacle ☐ High Ropes ☐ Rappelling ☐ Climbing ☐ Zipline ☐ Gymnastics	Travel ☐ Day Trips ☐ Overnight Off-site	Other: ☐ ☐ Winter Sports: ☐ ☐	

Findings: This program is operating at licensed campsite Clear Lake Education Center (SR770200285). This facility hosts rental groups for camp operations. The campsite includes a lodge, infirmary, dining hall, bathroom facilities, and residential cabins for sleeping. The camp is nestled on Clear Lake with its own private dock, canoe launch, raft, and swim area. In addition, the campsite has ropes course, sport fields, volleyball and basketball courts. The campsite meets applicable licensing rules to host this residential camp program.

B. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Operation	Days and Times of Operation: This program operates a residential camp program for six days.

Staffing	Adult Staff to Camper Ratio: Adult to camper ratio is at least 1 adult to 10 campers.
Training	Staff Training Content Covers: ☒ proper supervision ☒ program development for age groups ☒ behavior management ☒ child protection ☒ plans for emergencies, rain, and regular camp operations. Proposed Staff Training Hours (3 hours per week of service): ☒Yes ☐No

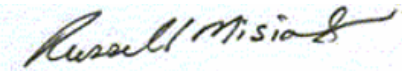
Findings: This residential camp program serves campers with type 1 diabetes. The camp staff receive training in camp operations, emergencies, supervision, and behavior management. The camp participates in high adventure activities like swimming, watercraft, and ropes courses. The traditional camp day involves a balance of small group craft activities, large group games and activiteis, rest period, and meals. The camp includes specialized medical staff to support the needs of campers. The camp program meets applicable licensing rules.

C. RULE/STATUTORY VIOLATIONS

The camp PROGRAM were found to be compliant with statute and administrative rules.

RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of an original PROGRAM license to this residential children's camp.

	James Vanden Heuvel	7/21/2023
Consultant's Signature	Printed Name/Licensing Consultant	Date
	Russell Misiak	7/21/2023
Approved By:	Printed Name/Area Manager	Date

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