MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, is entered into this 27th day of July, 2004, by and between the State of Illinois, acting through the Illinois Department of Public Health and hereinafter called the "State" and Crusaders Central Clinic Association.

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the State has the duty to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Department of Public Health is responsible for protecting the state's 12.4 million residents, as well as countless visitors, through the prevention and control of disease and injury; and

WHEREAS, Crusaders Central Clinic Association is a community-based, not-for-profit, Illinois corporation whose mission is to serve the Rock River Valley area with quality primary health care for all people in need; and

WHEREAS, the parties shall enter into a grant or award agreement, to be effective for fiscal year 2005 and subject to compliance with all applicable State law and necessary certifications, on the basis of the following terms, among others:

The State will agree:

1. To provide $25,000 to the Crusaders Central Clinic Association for providing health care services to underinsured individuals in the Rock River Valley area;

The Crusaders Central Clinic Association will agree:

2. To meet all duties and obligations imposed by state law respecting nonfederal-aid projects;

3. To promptly pay all persons and entities engaged on projects undertaken pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding;

4. To assume the responsibility for the initiatives of the Crusaders Central Clinic Association; and

The parties will mutually agree:

5. That, with respect to the State funding, project initiation will be the responsibility of the Crusaders Central Clinic Association and is to be coordinated with the State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the State and the Crusaders Central Clinic Association have caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed by their authorized representatives on the 27th Day of July, 2004.

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