

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between: The Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA) and
The Department of Corrections (DOC)

Subject: MCE Investments in the following programs:

1. Intensive Substance Abuse Program (ISAP)
2. Intensive Sexual Abuse Program
3. Intensive Domestic Violence Program
4. Community Rehabilitative Care
5. Challenges for Change
6. Northern Lights
7. Return House
8. Northeast Kingdom Community Action (NEKCA)
9. Pathways to Housing

Purpose

The purpose of this MOU is to provide for the administration and funding of certain DOC programs invested in by DVHA, the State's Managed Care Entity (MCE), under the Global Commitment to Health Waiver.

This MOU is for the period **July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015**.

Programs

The special terms and conditions for the Global Commitment to Health waiver identify four allowable uses for projected surplus revenue from capitation payments. Specifically:

- Reduce the rate of uninsured and/or underinsured in Vermont
- Increase the access of quality health care to uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid beneficiaries
- Provide public health approaches and other innovative programs to improve the health outcomes, health status and quality of life for uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid-eligible individuals in Vermont
- Encourage the formation and maintenance of public-private partnerships in health care, including initiatives to support and improve the health care delivery system.

Specifically, the dollars expended under this arrangement fit the following criteria:

- *Increase the access of quality health care to uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid beneficiaries*

