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I am writing this letter of justification to obtain the use permit for massage establishment. The purpose of the use permit is to make treatment outcome more effective for the patients and to grow our business.

As you are aware currently only the acupuncturist is able to perform massage therapy on the patient if treatment requires. He cannot treat all patients that require both acupuncture and massage because he does not have the time to treat all patients. It give the patient a bad impression us for not putting enough care on them because of scheduling and not enough staff. Without the use permit, it restrict us from hiring massage therapist to solve this problem. We are looking to possible hire one or two massage therapist(s) and train them on acupressure massage. Massage therapy is crucial for our treatment in the clinic.

Acupuncture treatment doesn't also reply on just the use of the needles. Acupressure is a specific type of massage that relies primarily on using the thumbs, fingers and palms to apply pressure to various points on the body. By applying pressure to specific points of the body, practitioners manipulate the flow of chi (qi) energy in the patient. Acupressure points — or acupoints — are locations on the body where chi may become congested or completely blocked. Acupressure massage is a natural holistic technique to address blockages that may be causing additional health problems.

Along with its ability to help treat variety of ailments, it helps stimulates the body's circulatory, lymphatic and hormonal systems. It also helps the function of the immune system and the body's natural ability to heal itself. This is required in a lot of treatments. It is vital in providing relief from many emotional and physical ailments with the benefit of using no medical intervention or drugs. An example is where massage can be offered to sports professionals to ease pain in their joints and ease muscle tightness. On the other hand people with depression can benefit from massage to relieve tension and help them relax. Massages are often based on the use of pressure and touch applied to body parts to ease the physical and emotional problems. Some of the benefits of massages include Aches and Pains, Emotional Stress, Immunity, Relief, Energy restoration.

Our regular operating hour is Monday to Friday from 9AM to 6PM. Patient will check in from the front desk and get their treatment in a private room settings. Patient is always covered in towel or blanket and fully dressed. We do not use oil and the massage is always performed on top the massage blanket. There's no skin to skin contact.

Sincerely,

Yueyue Guo