



FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT

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You will work in the medical aspects of a professional services corporation operating a clinic employing physicians and staff that provide specialized treatment for patients suffering from vein diseases and other vein disorders.

Your total investment necessary to begin operation of a Vein Clinics of America franchised business is currently \$0, because we pay all of the up front cost. This includes \$0 that must be paid to us or our affiliates, as there are no initial payments or up front costs paid by you.

This disclosure document summarizes certain provisions of your franchise agreement (management services agreement and physician employment agreement) and other information in plain English. Read this disclosure document at least 14 calendar-days before you sign a binding agreement with, or make any payment to, the franchisor or an affiliate in connection with the proposed franchise sale. **Note, however, that no governmental agency has verified the information contained in this document.**

The terms of your contract will govern your franchise relationship. Don't rely on the disclosure document alone to understand your contract. Read all of your contract carefully. Show your contract and this disclosure document to an advisor, like a lawyer or an accountant.

Buying a franchise is a complex investment. The information in this disclosure document can help you make up your mind. More information on franchising, such as "A Consumer's Guide to Buying a Franchise," which can help you to understand how to use this disclosure document, is available from the Federal Trade Commission. You can contact the FTC at 1-877-FTC-HELP or by writing to the FTC at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20590. You can also visit the FTC's home page at www.ftc.gov for additional information. Call your state agency or visit your public library for other sources of information on franchising.

There may also be laws on franchising in your state. Ask your state agencies about them.

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STATE COVER PAGE

Your state may have a franchise law that requires a franchisor to register or file with a state franchise administrator before offering or selling in your state. **REGISTRATION OF A FRANCHISE BY A STATE DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE STATE RECOMMENDS THE FRANCHISE OR HAS VERIFIED THE INFORMATION IN THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT.**

Call the state franchise administrator listed in Exhibit D for information about the franchisor, or about franchising in your state.

MANY FRANCHISE AGREEMENTS DO NOT ALLOW YOU TO RENEW UNCONDITIONALLY AFTER THE INITIAL TERM EXPIRES. YOU MAY HAVE TO SIGN A NEW AGREEMENT WITH DIFFERENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN ORDER TO CONTINUE TO OPERATE YOUR BUSINESS. BEFORE YOU BUY, CONSIDER WHAT RIGHTS YOU HAVE TO RENEW YOUR FRANCHISE, IF ANY, AND WHAT TERMS YOU MIGHT HAVE TO ACCEPT IN ORDER TO RENEW.

Please consider the following **RISK FACTORS** before you buy this franchise:

1. **THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT (MANAGEMENT SERVICES AGREEMENT) STATES THAT ILLINOIS LAW GOVERNS THE AGREEMENT, AND THIS LAW MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PROTECTIONS AND BENEFITS AS LOCAL LAW. YOU MAY WANT TO COMPARE THESE LAWS.**
2. **WE WILL NOT GRANT YOU AN EXCLUSIVE OR MINIMUM TERRITORY.**
3. **THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.**

Certain state laws may supersede these provisions. See State Addenda in Exhibit F for a summary of some of these laws.

STATE EFFECTIVE DATES

The following states require that the Franchise Disclosure Document be registered or filed with the state, or be exempt from registration: California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

This Franchise Disclosure Document is registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

Illinois:	<u>We are relying on an exemption from registration in Illinois</u>
Indiana:	_____
Maryland:	_____
Virginia:	_____
Wisconsin:	_____

Other states that may require a notice filing (without an FDD) rather than registration include Florida, Kentucky, Nebraska, Texas, and Utah, and in certain situations other states. We filed franchise notices in the following states, with the following effective dates:

Florida:	October 5, 2013
Texas	October 5, 2010 (one-time filing)

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