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Subject: **CH-3SM ADVANCED CLINICAL INTERVENTIONS – PIONEERING TRAINING AVAILABLE EXCLUSIVELY FROM POSITIVE OPTIONS AND CPI: A NEW ERA IN DELIVERING ESSENTIAL CARE AND TREATMENT TO PATIENTS WHO LACK CAPACITY AND ARE RESISTIVE TO NECESSARY TREATMENT INTERVENTIONS**

Positive Options and its partner CPI have developed a range of holding interventions and a joint training solution for delivering **essential care and treatment** to people who lack capacity and cannot or will not comply with treatment. The skills set and training curricular have been researched and developed during 2010 and a series of instructor programmes are open to all health care organisations that wish to train staff to lead in-house training programmes, have recently been announced. This training is also available as an onsite commissioned instructor programme or can be delivered directly by Positive Options and CPI to clinical and medical staff. CH-3SM Advanced Clinical Interventions training is offered as a BILD accredited physical interventions training programme and a Technology Risk Assessment supports the physiological approaches taught as part of a range of typical clinical scenarios that staff face with in their day-to-day work. CH-3SM Training is available exclusively from Positive Options and CPI.

About the launch of CH-3SM, **Chris Stirling**, Director of Creative Development at Positive Options said: “We are really excited about our new joint training offering

with CPI. We believe that we have identified an effective solution to a range of clinical challenges that staff in the acute health care sector and other specialist health care settings face every day” and “this offering goes beyond our flagship physical interventions training programme; MAPA® - CH-3SM provides a framework of effective clinical-decision making skills, which in conjunction with the clinical holding skills, enables professionals to deliver the right solutions to ensure essential care and treatment is provided to people who need it. The decision-making framework embedded into this programme helps to ensure that organisations’ legal and ethical responsibilities are addressed and any potential challenge is minimised”.

Jeremy Boughey, Chief Operating Officer at Positive Options added that “interest in our CH-3SM offering has been overwhelming and illustrates just how wide reaching the dilemmas of delivering essential care and treatment to people who cannot or will not comply is.. MAPA® has continued to build on its strong presence in the UK health care, social care, and special education sectors as a valuable approach to managing challenging behaviour, aggression and violence. The development of CH-3SM has enabled Positive Options to fully explore the opportunities that our partnering with CPI has to offer; this is the first joint venture for us following the coming together of the two organisations in April 2010. We are proud of the work led by Chris Stirling at Positive Options and will look forward to welcoming existing clients onto the programme this year as well as developing relationships with organisations not previously known to us but are attracted by the solutions offered by the CH-3SM Advanced Clinical Interventions Programme”.

More information about CH-3SM Advanced Clinical Interventions can be obtained by clicking [here](#).

Editorial Notes:

Positive Options provides a range of specialist services to organisations in the education, social and health care sectors that support the organisation, its staff, and other carers in the course of their work with people. Positive Options’ philosophy and training practices are based upon the principles of person-centred thinking, action and excellence. The Company is a division of the Crisis Prevention Institute, Inc. (CPI), an international training organisation committed to best practices and safe behaviour management methods that focus on prevention. Through a variety of specialised offerings and innovative resources, CPI educates and empowers professionals to create safe and respectful work environments and enrich the lives of the individuals they serve. Since 1980, more than 6 million professionals around the world have participated in CPI training programs.

Positive Options and CPI are both accredited physical interventions training providers through the BILD Physical Interventions Accreditation Scheme since 2004. Positive Options was most recently reaccredited in 2011 and CPI in 2010.

Additional information about Positive Options is available at www.positive-options.com. Additional information about CPI is available at: www.crisisprevention.com.