Form **990**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

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Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07/01/18 , and ending 06/30/19

B Check if applicable:
- ☐ Address change
- ☐ Name change
- ☐ Initial return
- ☐ Final return/ terminated
- ☐ Amended return
- ☐ Application pending

C Name of organization: THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Doing business as: OAK HILL

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address): 120 HOLCOMB STREET

Room/suite:

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: HARTFORD CT 06112-1589

D Employer identification number: 06-0669111

E Telephone number: 860-242-2274

G Gross receipts $: 85,224,098

F Name and address of principal officer:
BARRY M. SIMON
120 HOLCOMB STREET
HARTFORD CT 06112-1589

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? ☐ Yes ☒ No

H(b) Are all subordinates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

I Tax-exempt status: ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) ( ) ◀ (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

J Website: ▶ WWW.OAKHILLCT.ORG

H(c) Group exemption number ▶

K Form of organization: ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶

L Year of formation: 1893

M State of legal domicile: CT

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities:
OAK HILL SETS THE STANDARD, PARTNERING WITH PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, TO PROVIDE SERVICES AND SOLUTIONS PROMOTING INDEPENDENCE, EDUCATION, HEALTH AND DIGNITY. OAK HILL EMPLOYS 1300+ STAFF LOCATED IN (SEE SCHEDULE O)

2 Check this box ▶ ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	18
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	18
5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)	5	1527
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	18
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 38	7b	0

	Prior Year	Current Year
Revenue		
8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	5,763,312	6,462,359
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	79,324,868	76,796,867
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	-735,222	106,509
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	5,936,903	1,631,874
12 Total revenue – add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	90,289,861	84,997,609
Expenses		
13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	1,161,814	1,050,312
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	71,366,438	66,753,817
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 288,000		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	16,641,438	16,546,808
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	89,169,690	84,350,937
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	1,120,171	646,672

	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
Net Assets or Fund Balances		
20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	80,679,994	79,679,122
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	18,478,579	16,821,559
22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	62,201,415	62,857,563

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

▶ Signature of officer — Date: 06/29/2020

▶ BARRY M. SIMON PRESIDENT & CEO
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
CHRISTOPHER B. CONLEY		06/29/20		P00936552

Firm's name ▶ GUILMARTIN, DIPIRO & SOKOLOWSKI, LLC — Firm's EIN ▶ 06-0971998

Firm's address ▶ 505 MAIN ST MIDDLETOWN, CT 06457-2809 — Phone no. 860-347-5689

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) ☒ Yes ☐ No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

OAK HILL'S VISION IS THAT PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES WILL BE ABLE TO ACHIEVE THEIR FULL POTENTIAL, ENGAGE IN THEIR COMMUNITY AND IN MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS, AND SATISFY AND FULFILL THEIR PHYSICAL (SEE SCHEDULE O)

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [ ] Yes [X] No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses $ 55,385,967 including grants of $ 925,320) (Revenue $ 56,460,309)

RESIDENTIAL GROUP HOME PROGRAM: 76 GROUP HOMES IN CONNECTICUT PROVIDING LIVING OPTIONS IN THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT FOR APPROXIMATELY 385 ADULTS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISABILITIES.

4b (Code:) (Expenses $ 3,473,336 including grants of $) (Revenue $ 4,173,785)

DAY PROGRAMS: PROVIDING DAY SERVICES INCLUDING SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR APPROXIMATELY 199 ADULTS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISABILITIES.

4c (Code:) (Expenses $ 12,487,197 including grants of $) (Revenue $ 15,095,999)

OAK HILL SCHOOL: PROVIDING EDUCATIONAL AND RESIDENTIAL SERVICES TO APPROXIMATELY 133 CHILDREN WITH DEVELOPMENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISABILITIES.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses $ 3,685,488 including grants of $ 124,992) (Revenue $ 1,066,774)

4e Total program service expenses ▶ 75,031,988

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule A*	1	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete *Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors* (see instructions)?	2	X	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I*	3		X
4	**Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II*	4	X	
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? *If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III*	5		X
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I*	6		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II*	7		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III*	8		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV*	9		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V*	10		X
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
a	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI*	11a	X	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII*	11b	X	
c	Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII*	11c		X
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX*	11d		X
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X*	11e		X
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X*	11f	X	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII*	12a		X
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? *If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional*	12b	X	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule E*	13	X	
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than $10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at $100,000 or more? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV*	14b		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV*	15		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than $5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? *If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV*	16		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than $15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I* (see instructions)	17		X
18	Did the organization report more than $15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II*	18	X	
19	Did the organization report more than $15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III*	19		X
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? *If "Yes," complete Schedule H*	20a		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		
21	Did the organization report more than $5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? *If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II*	21	X	

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules *(continued)*

			Yes	No
22	Did the organization report more than $5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? *If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III*	22	X	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J*	23	X	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than $100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? *If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a*	24a		X
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	**Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations.** Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I*	25a		X
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I*	25b		X
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II*	26		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III*	27		X
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28a		X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28b		X
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? *If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV*	28c		X
29	Did the organization receive more than $25,000 in non-cash contributions? *If "Yes," complete Schedule M*	29		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? *If "Yes," complete Schedule M*	30		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? *If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I*	31		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? *If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II*	32		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I*	33		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1*	34	X	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	X	
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2*	35b	X	
36	**Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2*	36		X
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? *If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI*	37		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? **Note.** All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	38	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V ☐

				Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	148		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c			

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance *(continued)*

				Yes	No
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	1527		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b		X	
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to *e-file* (see instructions)				
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year?	3a			X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? *If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O*	3b			
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a			X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).				
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a			X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b			X
c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c			
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than $100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a			X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b			
7	**Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).**				
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of $75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		X	
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		X	
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c			X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e			X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f			X
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g			
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h			
8	**Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.** Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8			
9	**Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.**				
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a			
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b			
10	**Section 501(c)(7) organizations.** Enter:				
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b			
11	**Section 501(c)(12) organizations.** Enter:				
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b			
12a	**Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.** Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b			
13	**Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.**				
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a			
	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.				
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b			
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a			X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? *If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O*	14b			
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than $1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.	15			X
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.	16			X

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure *For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.*

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI X

Section A. Governing Body and Management

				Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	1a	18		
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.				
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1b	18		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2			X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3			X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4			X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5			X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6			X
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a			X
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b			X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:				
a	The governing body?	8a		X	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b		X	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? *If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O*	9			X

Section B. Policies *(This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)*

			Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	X	
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.			
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? *If "No," go to line 13*	12a	X	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	X	
c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? *If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done*	12c	X	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	X	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	X	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?			
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	X	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b		X
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ CT

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.

[X] Own website [ ] Another's website [X] Upon request [ ] Other *(explain in Schedule O)*

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records ▶

JAMES T. JONES 120 HOLCOMB STREET

HARTFORD CT 06112-1589 860-242-2274

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII ☐

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than $100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than $100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than $10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

☐ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) MARY ANN HANLEY	0.50									
CHAIRPERSON	1.50	X		X				0	0	0
(2) DAVID HADDEN	0.50									
VICE CHAIRPERSON	1.50	X		X				0	0	0
(3) SPENCER CAIN	0.50									
ASST. SECRETARY	1.50	X		X				0	0	0
(4) CHRISTOPHER HANLON	0.50									
DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0	0	0
(5) CHRISTINE REPASY	0.50									
DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0	0	0
(6) GARY WALLACE	0.50									
DIRECTOR	2.50	X						0	0	0
(7) GREG HYLAND	0.50									
DIRECTOR	1.50	X						0	0	0
(8) HENRY ZACHS	0.50									
DIRECTOR	1.50	X						0	0	0
(9) JAMES MANAFORT, JR.	0.50									
DIRECTOR	1.50	X						0	0	0
(10) RALPH WENTWORTH	0.50									
DIRECTOR	1.50	X						0	0	0
(11) ROBERT ELLIS	0.50									
DIRECTOR	1.50	X						0	0	0

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(12) WILEY MULLINS DIRECTOR	0.50 1.50	X						0	0	0
(13) ROBERT EARLEY DIRECTOR	0.50 1.50	X						0	0	0
(14) LAURA PATEY DIRECTOR	0.50 2.00	X						0	0	0
(15) AMBER TUCKER DIRECTOR	0.50 1.50	X						0	0	0
(16) MATTHEW ZEWINSKI DIRECTOR	0.50 2.00	X						0	0	0
(17) MICHAEL HANNAH DIRECTOR	0.50 2.50	X						0	0	0
(18) SALVATORE CARRABBA DIRECTOR	0.50 1.50	X						0	0	0
(19) BARRY M. SIMON PRESIDENT & CEO	40.00 4.00			X				220,691	0	38,289
1b Sub-total								220,691		38,289
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								969,836		122,735
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								1,190,527		161,024

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than $100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶ 9

		Yes	No
3	Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*		X
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than $150,000? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*	X	
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person*		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
NOVUS INSIGHT, INC 222 PITKIN STREET EAST HARTFORD CT 06108	IT CONSULTING	591,932
NURSE SPAN P.O. BOX 15 AVON CT 06001	TEMPORARY HELP	307,932
WILLIS OF CONNECTICUT, LLC PO BOX 414965 BOSTON MA 02241	INSURANCE CONSU	218,711

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶ 3

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII ☐

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c	14,407			
	d Related organizations	1d	5,302,669			
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	1,145,283			
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: $ 5,359					
	h **Total.** Add lines 1a–1f ▶		6,462,359			
Program Service Revenue		Busn. Code				
	2a GROUP HOME SERVICE	623990	56,460,309	56,460,309		
	b OAK HILL SCHOOL	611710	15,095,999	15,095,999		
	c ADULT DAY PROGRAM	624310	4,173,785	4,173,785		
	d BLIND SUPPORT SERVICES	900099	1,039,718	1,039,718		
	e OTHER PROGRAMS	900099	27,056	27,056		
	f All other program service revenue					
	g **Total.** Add lines 2a–2f ▶		76,796,867			
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶		67,565			67,565
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds ▶					
	5 Royalties ▶					
		(i) Real / (ii) Personal				
	6a Gross rents					
	b Less: rental exps.					
	c Rental inc. or (loss)					
	d Net rental income or (loss) ▶					
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities / (ii) Other: 155,349				
	b Less: cost or other basis & sales exps.	116,405				
	c Gain or (loss)	38,944				
	d Net gain or (loss) ▶		38,944			38,944
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including $ 14,407 of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 a	17,236				
	b Less: direct expenses b	64,991				
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events ▶		-47,755			-47,755
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 a					
	b Less: direct expenses b					
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities ▶					
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances a	45,093				
	b Less: cost of goods sold b	45,093				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory ▶					
	Miscellaneous Revenue	Busn. Code				
	11a INCOME FROM OUTSIDE TR	900099	1,881,229			1,881,229
	b THIRD PARTY TR GAINS/LOSSES	900099	-201,600			-201,600
	c					
	d All other revenue					
	e **Total.** Add lines 11a–11d ▶		1,679,629			
	12 **Total revenue.** See instructions. ▶		84,997,609	76,796,867	0	1,738,383

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☐

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	925,320	925,320		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	124,992	124,992		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,053,470	219,181	834,289	
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	47,619,442	44,548,093	2,901,178	170,171
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	1,827,737	1,681,525	139,841	6,371
9 Other employee benefits	12,598,602	11,590,760	963,928	43,914
10 Payroll taxes	3,654,566	3,362,213	279,614	12,739
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	76,208	225	75,983	
c Accounting	202,371		202,371	
d Lobbying	68,200		68,200	
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)				
12 Advertising and promotion	361,846	47,610	283,864	30,372
13 Office expenses	401,135	237,211	153,718	10,206
14 Information technology	505,625	34,730	470,233	662
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	5,050,864	4,663,578	381,699	5,587
17 Travel	2,555,942	2,227,090	327,515	1,337
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	127,436	72,726	50,775	3,935
20 Interest	217,389	217,389		
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,986,047	1,573,642	412,142	263
23 Insurance	336,207	147,364	188,843	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a PURCHASED SERVICE	2,315,586	1,174,553	1,141,033	
b RATES AND OTHER ADJUSTMEN	1,482,188	1,469,884	12,304	
c DAY PROGRAM EXPENSE	320,050	320,050		
d MEDICAL SUPPLIES	228,102	228,102		
e All other expenses	311,612	165,750	143,419	2,443
25 **Total functional expenses.** Add lines 1 through 24e	84,350,937	75,031,988	9,030,949	288,000
26 **Joint costs.** Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ▶ ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X ☐

			(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest bearing	6,706,339	1	5,673,734
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net	6,879,300	4	8,528,163
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use	47,671	8	7,937
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	1,033,708	9	1,311,001
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D — 10a: 51,607,488			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation — 10b: 28,885,842	24,374,735	10c	22,721,646
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11	41,638,241	12	41,436,641
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets		14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
	16	**Total assets.** Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	80,679,994	16	79,679,122
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	10,346,026	17	10,877,423
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue	114,236	19	375,736
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	7,018,317	23	5,568,400
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	1,000,000	25	
	26	**Total liabilities.** Add lines 17 through 25	18,478,579	26	16,821,559
Net Assets or Fund Balances		**Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.**			
	27	Unrestricted net assets	15,847,286	27	17,908,936
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets	4,715,888	28	3,511,986
	29	Permanently restricted net assets	41,638,241	29	41,436,641
		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances	62,201,415	33	62,857,563
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	80,679,994	34	79,679,122

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☐

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	84,997,609
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	84,350,937
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	646,672
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	62,201,415
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	9,476
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	62,857,563

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☐

			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.			
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: ☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2a		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: ☐ Separate basis ☒ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2b	X	
c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	2c	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	3a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	3b		

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(20) JAMES T. JONES	40.00									
TREASURER & CFO	4.00			X				150,466	0	28,809
(21) GAYLE WINTJEN	40.00									
GEN. COUNSEL & SECY	4.00			X				142,325	0	33,453
(22) BRUCE STOVALL	40.00									
COO	4.00					X		142,463	0	6,130
(23) ANA WITTIG	40.00									
VP, EDUCATION	0.00					X		142,198	0	10,314
(24) EDWARD HAMMETT	40.00									
DIRECTOR, HR	0.00					X		134,140	0	6,959
(25) KJELL TOLLEFSEN	40.00									
VP, OPERATIONS	0.00					X		131,802	0	6,170
(26) MARK HEDRICK	40.00									
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR	0.00					X		126,442	0	30,900
1b Sub-total ▶								969,836		122,735
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A ▶										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) ▶										

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than $100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶

		Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*	3		
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than $150,000? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual*	4		
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? *If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person*	5		

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶

SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for instructions and the latest information.**

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.	06-0669111

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**

2 ☒ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)

3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**

4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: . . . . . .

5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)

6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**

7 ☐ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)

8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)

9 ☐ An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: . . . . . .

10 ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)

11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**

12 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.

a ☐ **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**

b ☐ **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**

c ☐ **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**

d ☐ **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**

e ☐ Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

f Enter the number of supported organizations . . . . . ☐

g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document? Yes	(iv) No	(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
Total						

Part II **Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 **Public support.** Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 **Total support.** Add lines 7 through 10						

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) 12

13 **First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ▶ ☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2018 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) 14 %

15 Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 15 %

16a **33 1/3% support test—2018.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

b **33 1/3% support test—2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

17a **10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2018.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

b **10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

18 **Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ ☐

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of $5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 **Public support.** (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 **Total support.** (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 **First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ▶ ☐

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15	Public support percentage for 2018 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16	Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17	Investment income percentage for **2018** (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18	Investment income percentage from **2017** Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a **33 1/3% support tests—2018.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

b **33 1/3% support tests—2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐

20 **Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ▶ ☐

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

			Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? *If "No," describe in* ***Part VI*** *how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.*	1		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? *If "Yes," explain in* ***Part VI*** *how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).*	2		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? *If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.*	3a		
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? *If "Yes," describe in* ***Part VI*** *when and how the organization made the determination.*	3b		
c	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? *If "Yes," explain in* ***Part VI*** *what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.*	3c		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? *If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.*	4a		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? *If "Yes," describe in* ***Part VI*** *how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.*	4b		
c	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? *If "Yes," explain in* ***Part VI*** *what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.*	4c		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? *If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in* ***Part VI,*** *including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).*	5a		
b	**Type I or Type II only.** Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?	5b		
c	**Substitutions only.** Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c		
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? *If "Yes," provide detail in* ***Part VI.***	6		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? *If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).*	7		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? *If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).*	8		
9a	Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? *If "Yes," provide detail in* ***Part VI.***	9a		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in* ***Part VI.***	9b		
c	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in* ***Part VI.***	9c		
10a	Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? *If "Yes," answer 10b below.*	10a		
b	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? *(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)*	10b		

Part IV Supporting Organizations *(continued)*

			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
a	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? *If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in* ***Part VI.***	11c		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? *If "No," describe in* ***Part VI*** *how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.*	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? *If "Yes," explain in* ***Part VI*** *how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.*	2		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? *If "No," describe in* ***Part VI*** *how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).*	1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

			Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? *If "No," explain in* ***Part VI*** *how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).*	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? *If "Yes," describe in* ***Part VI*** *the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.*	3		

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 *Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (****see instructions****).*

- a ☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. *Complete* ***line 2*** *below.*
- b ☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. *Complete* ***line 3*** *below.*
- c ☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. *Describe in* ***Part VI*** *how you supported a government entity (see instructions).*

			Yes	No
2	Activities Test. ***Answer (a) and (b) below.***			
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? *If "Yes," then in* ***Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain*** *how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.*	2a		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? *If "Yes," explain in* ***Part VI*** *the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.*	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. ***Answer (a) and (b) below.***			
a	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? *Provide details in* ***Part VI.***	3a		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? *If "Yes," describe in* ***Part VI*** *the role played by the organization in this regard.*	3b		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	**1**		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	**2**		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	**3**		
4 Add lines 1 through 3.	**4**		
5 Depreciation and depletion	**5**		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	**6**		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	**7**		
8 **Adjusted Net Income** (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	**8**		

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
a Average monthly value of securities	**1a**		
b Average monthly cash balances	**1b**		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	**1c**		
d **Total** (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	**1d**		
e **Discount** claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in **Part VI**):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	**2**		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	**3**		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	**4**		
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	**5**		
6 Multiply line 5 by .035.	**6**		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	**7**		
8 **Minimum Asset Amount** (add line 7 to line 6)	**8**		

Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	**1**		
2 Enter 85% of line 1.	**2**		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	**3**		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	**4**		
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	**5**		
6 **Distributable Amount.** Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	**6**		

7 ☐ Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).

Part V **Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations** *(continued)*

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6	Other distributions (describe in **Part VI**). See instructions.	
7	**Total annual distributions.** Add lines 1 through 6.	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in **Part VI**). See instructions.	
9	Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)		(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2018	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2018
1	Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2018 (reasonable cause required-explain in **Part VI**). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018			
a	From 2013			
b	From 2014			
c	From 2015			
d	From 2016			
e	From 2017			
f	**Total** of lines 3a through e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2013 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2018 from Section D, line 7: $			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2018, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in **Part VI**. See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2018. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in **Part VI**. See instructions.			
7	**Excess distributions carryover to 2019.** Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a	Excess from 2014			
b	Excess from 2015			
c	Excess from 2016			
d	Excess from 2017			
e	Excess from 2018			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ **Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.**
▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for the latest information.**

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2018

Name of the organization
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Employer identification number
06-0669111

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:	**Section:**
Form 990 or 990-EZ	[X] 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization
	[ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation
	[ ] 527 political organization
Form 990-PF	[ ] 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
	[ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation
	[ ] 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule.**
Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

[X] For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling $5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

[ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** $5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

[ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than $1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering) "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

[ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than $1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling $5,000 or more during the year ▶ $

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.** ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**
▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for instructions and the latest information.**

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2018

Open to Public Inspection

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name of organization	Employer identification number
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.	06-0669111

Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV. (see instructions for definition of "political campaign activities")

2 Political campaign activity expenditures (see instructions) ▶ $

3 Volunteer hours for political campaign activities (see instructions)

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ $

2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ $

3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

4a Was a correction made? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," describe in Part IV.

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ $

2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ $

3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ $

4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

	(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-.
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					

Part II-A **Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).**

A Check ▶ ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).

B Check ▶ ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)	0	
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	84,302	
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)	84,302	
d Other exempt purpose expenditures	84,266,635	
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	84,350,937	
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.	1,000,000	
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	250,000	
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-	0	
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-	0	

If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:
Not over $500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.
Over $500,000 but not over $1,000,000	$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over $500,000.
Over $1,000,000 but not over $1,500,000	$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over $1,000,000.
Over $1,500,000 but not over $17,000,000	$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over $1,500,000.
Over $17,000,000	$1,000,000.

j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year? ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,000,000
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					6,000,000
c Total lobbying expenditures	59,750	66,000	72,425	84,302	282,477
d Grassroots nontaxable amount	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	1,000,000
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					1,500,000
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures				0	

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes," response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity.	(a) Yes	(a) No	(b) Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities?			
j Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

			Yes	No
1	Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1		
2	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of $2,000 or less?	2		
3	Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures from the prior year?	3		

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No," OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures **(do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).**		
a	Current year	2a	
b	Carryover from last year	2b	
c	Total	2c	
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4	If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions); and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Part IV Supplemental Information *(continued)*

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
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Name of the organization
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Employer identification number
06-0669111

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

		(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year		
2	Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3	Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4	Aggregate value at end of year		

5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part II Conservation Easements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)
☐ Protection of natural habitat
☐ Preservation of open space
☐ Preservation of a historically important land area
☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

			Held at the End of the Tax Year
a	Total number of conservation easements	2a	
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b	
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c	
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d	

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ $

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ $

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ $

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items:

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ $

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ $

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a ☐ Public exhibition
- b ☐ Scholarly research
- c ☐ Preservation for future generations
- d ☐ Loan or exchange programs
- e ☐ Other

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

		Amount
c Beginning balance	1c	
d Additions during the year	1d	
e Distributions during the year	1e	
f Ending balance	1f	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII ☐

Part V Endowment Funds.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ %
- b Permanent endowment ▶ %
- c Temporarily restricted endowment ▶ %

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

		Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)		
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)		
b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b		

4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		2,988,896		2,988,896
b Buildings		37,442,068	21,161,882	16,280,186
c Leasehold improvements		2,335,075	1,864,675	470,400
d Equipment		8,308,700	5,377,430	2,931,270
e Other		532,749	481,855	50,894
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. *(Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)* ▶				22,721,646

Part VII Investments—Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other BENEFICIAL INT. IN PERPETUAL T	41,436,641	MARKET
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. *(Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.)* ▶	41,436,641	

Part VIII Investments—Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. *(Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.)* ▶		

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. *(Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.)* ▶	

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. *(Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)* ▶	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII X

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a			
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b			
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d			
e	Add lines **2a** through **2d**			2e	
3	Subtract line **2e** from line **1**			3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
c	Add lines **4a** and **4b**			4c	
5	Total revenue. Add lines **3** and **4c.** *(This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)*			5	

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
c	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d			
e	Add lines **2a** through **2d**			2e	
3	Subtract line **2e** from line **1**			3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
c	Add lines **4a** and **4b**			4c	
5	Total expenses. Add lines **3** and **4c.** *(This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)*			5	

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART X - FIN 48 FOOTNOTE

OAK HILL HAS RECEIVED EXEMPTION FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501 (C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. OAK HILL HAS ALSO BEEN CLASSIFIED AS AN ENTITY THAT IS NOT A PRIVATE FOUNDATION WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 509(A) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND QUALIFIES FOR DEDUCTIBLE CONTRIBUTIONS AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 170(B)(1)(A)(VI).

MANAGEMENT HAS REVIEWED OAK HILL'S REPORTING AND BELIEVE THEY HAVE NOT TAKEN TAX POSITIONS THAT ARE MORE LIKELY THAN NOT TO BE DETERMINED TO BE INCORRECT BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE AND THEREFORE, NO ADJUSTMENTS OR DISCLOSURES ARE REQUIRED. OAK HILL IS SUBJECT TO ROUTINE AUDITS BY TAXING JURISDICTIONS; HOWEVER, THERE ARE CURRENTLY NO AUDITS FOR ANY TAX PERIODS PENDING OR IN PROGRESS.

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

SCHEDULE E
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schools

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 13, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 48.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**
▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for the latest information.**

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Employer identification number: **06-0669111**

Part I

			YES	NO
1	Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?	1	X	
2	Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	2	X	
3	Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe. If "No," please explain. If you need more space, use Part II	3	X	
	NO STUDENT WILL BE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, SEX, NATIONAL ORIGIN, RELIGION, DISABILITY OR ABERRANT BEHAVIOR EXCEPT AS SPECIFIED IN ADMISSIONS POLICY. THE INDIVIDUAL WORTH AND DIGNITY OF EACH STUDENT WILL BE RESPECTED AND ENHANCED THROUGH PROGRAMMING AND ATTITUDE AND (SEE PART II)			
4	Does the organization maintain the following?			
a	Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?	4a	X	
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	4b	X	
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	4c	X	
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions?	4d	X	
	If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II.			
5	Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to:			
a	Students' rights or privileges?	5a		X
b	Admissions policies?	5b		X
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	5c		X
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?	5d		X
e	Educational policies?	5e		X
f	Use of facilities?	5f		X
g	Athletic programs?	5g		X
h	Other extracurricular activities?	5h		X
	If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. If you need more space, use Part II.			
6a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	6a	X	
b	Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended?	6b		X
	If you answered "Yes" on either line 6a or line 6b, explain on Part II.			
7	Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4.01 through 4.05 of Rev. Proc. 75-50, 1975-2 C.B. 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," explain on Part II	7	X	

Part II **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also provide any other additional information. See instructions.

SCH E - PUBLICATION OF NONDISCRIMINATORY POLICY IN MEDIA EXPLANATION

BEHAVIOR OF STAFF. THE SPECIAL NEEDS OF EACH STUDENT WILL BE ADDRESSED IN A MANNER THAT IS HELPFUL, ENCOURAGES THE STUDENT'S ACTIVE PARTICIPATION AND MAINTAINS HIS/HER SENSE OF SELF WORTH. THE STUDENTS RIGHTS POLICY CAN BE FOUND IN THE OAK HILL SCHOOL POLICY BOOK AVAILABLE TO EVERY STUDENT.

SCH E - FINANCIAL AID OR GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE EXPLANATION

THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC., D/B/A OAK HILL, HAS THREE STATE OF CT AGENCIES THAT REPRESENT APPROX. 75% OF OPERATING INCOME. OAK HILL IS CONTRACTED BY THE DEPT. OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES TO PROVIDE INDIVIDUAL CARE SERVICES TO COMMUNITY LIVING ARRANGEMENTS, DAY PROGRAMS, ASSISTED LIVING, IN HOUSE SUPPORT, AUTISM AND ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANCE TO CCH FACILITIES. IN ADDITION, OAK HILL RUNS INTERMEDIATE TERM CARE FACILITIES & ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPT. OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND PROVIDES RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR DEPT. OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES. OAK HILL SCHOOL IS A PRIVATE, SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOL LICENSED BY THE CONNECTICUT STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SERVING STUDENTS FROM 3 TO 21 YEARS OF AGE WITH MODERATE TO SEVERE DISABILITIES INCLUDING AUTISM, EMOTIONAL DISABILITIES, BEHAVIORAL CHALLENGES, MEDICALLY FRAGILE AND STUDENTS WITH MULTIPLE DISABILITIES. OAK HILL SCHOOL PROVIDES A HIGHLY INDIVIDUALIZED, STRUCTURED, INNOVATIVE COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAM THAT FOCUSES ON DEVELOPMENT IN ACADEMIC, INDEPENDENT LIVING, SOCIAL, VOCATIONAL, AND COMMUNITY SKILLS THROUGH MOTIVATING AND MEANINGFUL ACTIVITIES. THIS IS ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH CLOSE COLLABORATION WITH THE STUDENTS' PARENTS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS. OAK HILL SCHOOL OFFERS A 250 SCHOOL DAY YEAR. THE SCHOOL'S ELEVEN CLASSROOMS ARE LOCATED IN EITHER COMMUNITY SETTINGS OR

Part II **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, lines 3, 4d, 5h, 6b, and 7, as applicable. Also provide any other additional information. See instructions.

PUBLIC SCHOOL SETTINGS AND PROVIDE STUDENTS A UNIQUE INTEGRATION EXPERIENCE. THIS MODEL PROMOTES THE INCLUSION OF OAK HILL STUDENTS IN THE LIFE OF THEIR SCHOOL AND THEIR COMMUNITIES. THE CLASSROOMS THROUGHOUT CONNECTICUT ARE HETEROGENEOUS, PROVIDING OUR STUDENTS WITH EXPOSURE TO A DIVERSE POPULATION OF STUDENTS WHERE THEY CAN LEARN FROM EACH OTHER. THEY ARE DIVIDED INTO PRIMARY CLASSROOMS, SECONDARY CLASSROOMS AND TRANSITION SCHOOL TO WORK CLASSROOMS.

SCHEDULE G (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than $15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for instructions and the latest information.**

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Employer identification number: 06-0669111

Part I Fundraising Activities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- **a** ☐ Mail solicitations
- **b** ☐ Internet and email solicitations
- **c** ☐ Phone solicitations
- **d** ☐ In-person solicitations
- **e** ☐ Solicitation of non-government grants
- **f** ☐ Solicitation of government grants
- **g** ☐ Special fundraising events

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

b If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least $5,000 by the organization.

	(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	**(ii)** Activity	**(iii)** Did fund-raiser have custody or control of contributions? Yes	No	**(iv)** Gross receipts from activity	**(v)** Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. **(i)**	**(vi)** Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
Total ▶							

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

Part II **Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than $15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than $5,000.

		(a) Event #1 GOLF TOURNAMENT (event type)	(b) Event #2 (event type)	(c) Other events NONE (total number)	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	31,643			31,643
	2 Less: Contributions	14,407			14,407
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	17,236			17,236
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes	500			500
	5 Noncash prizes	6,750			6,750
	6 Rent/facility costs	24,320			24,320
	7 Food and beverages	27,512			27,512
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	5,909			5,909
	10 Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				64,991
	11 Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				-47,755

Part III **Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than $15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	☐ Yes % ☐ No	☐ Yes % ☐ No	☐ Yes % ☐ No	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				
	8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) ▶				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities:

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain:

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain:

11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust, or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:

a	The organization's facility	**13a**	%
b	An outside facility	**13b**	%

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶

Address ▶

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ $ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ $

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ $

Description of services provided ▶

☐ Director/officer ☐ Employee ☐ Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ $

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v); and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information. See instructions.

SCHEDULE I (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ..... [X] Yes [ ] No

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than $5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) THE CT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC 120 HOLCOMB STREET HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	22-3319897	501C3	370,438				SUPPORT PROGRAMS
(2) EASTER SEALS CONNECTICUT, INC. 120 HOLCOMB STREET HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	06-0653197	501C3	450,680				SUPPORT PROGRAMS
(3) OAK HILL IND HOUSING OF W. HARTFORD 120 HOLCOMB STREET HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	06-1474439	501C3	104,202				SUPPORT PROGRAMS
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table ..... ▶ 3

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table ..... ▶

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

	(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of noncash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
1	INDIVIDUAL VARIOUS GRANTS	146	124,992			
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

PART I, LINE 2 - PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS

THE GRANTEE AND THE GRANTOR ARE MANAGED BY THE SAME MANAGEMENT TEAM;

THEREFORE, SEPARATE MONITORING IS NOT REQUIRED.

GRANTS TO INDIVIDUALS ARE DISBURSED TO PROVIDE FOR PERSONAL NEEDS,

CLOTHING AND RECREATION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.

SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
▶ **Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for instructions and the latest information.**

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Name of the organization: **THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.**

Employer identification number: 06-0669111

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

		Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items. ☐ First-class or charter travel ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use ☐ Travel for companions ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence ☐ Tax indemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees ☐ Discretionary spending account ☐ Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b	If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain **1b**		
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on line 1a? **2**		
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III. ☒ Compensation committee ☒ Written employment contract ☒ Independent compensation consultant ☐ Compensation survey or study ☐ Form 990 of other organizations ☒ Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4	During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:		
a	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment? **4a**		X
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan? **4b**		X
c	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? **4c**		X
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a–c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.		
	Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5–9.		
5	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:		
a	The organization? **5a**		X
b	Any related organization? **5b**		X
	If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.		
6	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:		
a	The organization? **6a**		X
b	Any related organization? **6b**		X
	If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.		
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III **7**		X
8	Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III **8**		X
9	If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)? **9**		

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)–(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

	(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)–(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
			(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
	BARRY M. SIMON	(i)	220,691	0	0	10,958	27,331	258,980	0
1	PRESIDENT & CEO	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	JAMES T. JONES	(i)	150,466	0	0	7,523	21,286	179,275	0
2	TREASURER & CFO	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	GAYLE WINTJEN	(i)	142,325	0	0	7,116	26,337	175,778	0
3	GEN. COUNSEL & SECY	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ANA WITTIG	(i)	142,198	0	0	0	10,314	152,512	0
4	VP, EDUCATION	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	MARK HEDRICK	(i)	126,442	0	0	4,159	26,741	157,342	0
5	SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		(i)							
6		(ii)							
		(i)							
7		(ii)							
		(i)							
8		(ii)							
		(i)							
9		(ii)							
		(i)							
10		(ii)							
		(i)							
11		(ii)							
		(i)							
12		(ii)							
		(i)							
13		(ii)							
		(i)							
14		(ii)							
		(i)							
15		(ii)							
		(i)							
16		(ii)							

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

SCHEDULE O (Form 990 or 990-EZ)	Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ	OMB No. 1545-0047
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ. ▶ Go to *www.irs.gov/Form990* for the latest information.	2018 Open to Public Inspection

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THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.	06-0669111

FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION OR MOST SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES

91 SITES INCLUDING 1) COMMUNITY BASED RESIDENTIAL, EDUCATION, DAY AND CAMP PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; 2) HOUSING, EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT FOR BLIND ADULTS SERVING OVER 650 CHILDREN AND ADULTS LOCATED IN 47 TOWNS IN CONNECTICUT. THE NEW ENGLAND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY (NEAT) CENTER BRINGS PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES TOGETHER WITH EQUIPMENT THAT ENHANCES THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND PROVIDES THE LATEST INNOVATIONS TO EDUCATORS. OAK HILL SOLICITS, RAISES, RECEIVES AND ACCEPTS PUBLIC AND PRIVATE GIFTS, TRANSFERS, ASSIGNMENTS, CONVEYANCES, BEQUESTS, DEVISES, DEEDS AND GRANTS OF REAL AND PERSONAL, TANGIBLE AND INTANGIBLE, PROPERTY, ASSETS AND FUNDS, OR ANY INTEREST THEREIN, FOR USE IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES AND MISSION.

FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION

INTELLECTUAL, EMOTIONAL, SOCIAL AND SPIRITUAL NEEDS.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D - ALL OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS

ALL OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDING NEAT (NEW ENGLAND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY), BIRTH TO THREE, CENTER FOR RELATIONSHIPS AND SEXUALITY, CAMP HARKNESS AND BLIND SUPPORT SERVICES.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS TO REVIEW FORM 990

THE FORM 990 IS PROVIDED TO ALL BOARD MEMBERS AND IS REVIEWED BY MANAGEMENT PRIOR TO FILING.

Name of the organization: THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE

Employer identification number: 06-0669111

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY

SENIOR MANAGEMENT, BOARD MEMBERS AND ALL EMPLOYEES REVIEW THE POLICY ANNUALLY; BOARD MEMBERS AND SENIOR MANAGERS DISCLOSE CONFLICTS ANNUALLY.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL

COMPENSATION OF THE PRESIDENT IS DETERMINED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD, WHICH RELIES UPON COMPARATIVE DATA, THE AMOUNT OF THE STATE FUNDING AND OTHER FINANCIAL RESOURCES. AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR WAS RETAINED TO PROVIDE THE COMPARATIVE DATA. COMPENSATION OF THE OTHER SENIOR MANAGEMENT IS SET BY THE PRESIDENT BASED ON FINANCIAL AVAILABILITY AND MARKETPLACE CONDITIONS.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - GOVERNING DOCUMENTS DISCLOSURE EXPLANATION

GOVERNANCE DOCUMENTS AND COI POLICY ARE AVAIABILE UPON REQUEST. THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE INCLUDED IN THE ORGANIZATION'S CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL REPORT. FORM 990 IS AVAIABILE ON THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE OR ON REQUEST.

SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.**

▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Employer identification number: 06-0669111

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? Yes	(g) No
(1) THE OAK HILL FOUNDATION, INC 120 HOLCOMB STREET 86-1169503 HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	SUPPORT	CT	501C3	12A	N/A	X	
(2) THE CT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC 120 HOLCOMB STREET 22-3319897 HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	HEALTH	CT	501C3	10	N/A	X	
(3) EASTER SEALS CONNECTICUT, INC. 120 HOLCOMB STREET 06-0653197 HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	HEALTH	CT	501C3	7	N/A	X	
(4) GILEAD COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. 222 MAIN STREET EXT PO BOX 1000 06-0851549 MIDDLETOWN CT 06457	HEALTH	CT	501C3	7	N/A	X	
(5) RAINBOW HOUSING CORPORATION 222 MAIN STREET EXT PO BOX 1000 06-1237602 MIDDLETOWN CT 06457	HOUSING	CT	501C3	10	GILEAD COM	X	

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? Yes	(g) No
(1) OAK HILL IND HOUSING OF W. HARTFORD 120 HOLCOMB STREET 06-1474439 HARTFORD CT 06112-1589	HOUSING	CT	501C3	10	N/A	X	
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							

Part III **Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

	(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Dispro-portionate alloc.? Yes	(h) No	(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner? Yes	(j) No	(k) Percentage ownership
(1)													
(2)													
(3)													
(4)													

Part IV **Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

	(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity? Yes	(i) No
(1)										
(2)										
(3)										
(4)										

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

		Yes	No
Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.			
1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II–IV?			
a Receipt of **(i)** interest, **(ii)** annuities, **(iii)** royalties, or **(iv)** rent from a controlled entity	1a		X
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)	1b	X	
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	1c	X	
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	1d	X	
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)	1e	X	
f Dividends from related organization(s)	1f		X
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)	1g		X
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)	1h		X
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)	1i		X
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)	1j		X
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	1k		X
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	1l	X	
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)	1m	X	
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	1n		X
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	1o		X
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	1p		X
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses	1q		X
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)	1r		X
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)	1s		X

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

	(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a–s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1)	THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE	B	370,438	COST
(2)	EASTER SEALS CONNECTICUT, INC.	B	450,680	COST
(3)	OAK HILL INDEPENDENT HOUSING OF	B	104,202	COST
(4)	THE OAK HILL FOUNDATION, INC.	C	4,687,407	COST
(5)	THE OAK HILL FOUNDATION, INC.	D	1,036,428	COST
(6)	THE OAK HILL FOUNDATION, INC.	E	5,500,000	LOC

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note: Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.		Yes	No
1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II–IV?			
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity	1a		X
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)	1b	X	
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	1c	X	
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	1d	X	
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)	1e	X	
f Dividends from related organization(s)	1f		X
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)	1g		X
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)	1h		X
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)	1i		X
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)	1j		X
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	1k		X
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	1l	X	
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)	1m	X	
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	1n		X
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	1o		X
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	1p		X
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses	1q		X
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)	1r		X
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)	1s		X

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

	(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a–s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1)	EASTER SEALS CONNECTICUT, INC.	D	3,024,167	NOTE PAYABLE
(2)	THE OAK HILL FOUNDATION, INC.	L	384,000	COST
(3)	EASTER SEALS CONNECTICUT, INC.	L	96,000	COST
(4)	THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE	M	76,787	WORK ACTIVITY
(5)	GILEAD COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.	L	135,262	BOOK
(6)				

Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1)													
(2)													
(3)													
(4)													
(5)													
(6)													
(7)													
(8)													
(9)													
(10)													
(11)													

Part VII **Supplemental Information.**
Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R. See Instructions.

Form **990**

Event Income and Deduction Worksheet

Description **GOLF TOURNAMENT**

2018

Name
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE

Taxpayer Identification Number
06-0669111

Use this worksheet to verify data entered for a specific activity on your form 990/990EZ

Income & Expense Summary:

1. Gross receipts or sales	**1.**	17,236
2. Advertising income	**2.**	
3. Circulation income	**3.**	
4. Other income	**4.**	
5. Returns and allowances	**5.**	
6. Contributions received	**6.**	14,407
7. Total revenue. Add lines 1 through 6	**7.**	31,643
8. Cost of Goods Sold	**8.**	
9. Employment Expense	**9.**	
10. Fees for services	**10.**	
11. Indirect Expense	**11.**	
12. Depreciation Expense	**12.**	
13. Exempt Activity Expense	**13.**	
14. Fundraising Expense	**14.**	64,991
15. Total expenses. Add lines 8 through 14	**15.**	64,991
16. Net Income/Loss. Line 7 minus Line 15	**16.**	-33,348

Expense Details - Cost of Goods Sold:

Beginning inventory	
Purchases	
Labor	
Section 263A costs	
Other costs	
Ending inventory	
Total Cost of Goods Sold	

Expense Details - Employment Expense:

Compensation of officers	
Other salaries and wages	
Pension plan contributions	
Other employee benefits	
Payroll taxes	
Total Employment Expense	

Expense Details - Fees for Services:

Management	
Legal	
Accounting	
Lobbying	
Professional fundraising	
Investment management	
Other	
Total Fees for Services	

Information is indicated for use on Form 990-T schedule:

- ☐ Schedule E
- ☐ Schedule F
- ☐ Schedule G
- ☐ Schedule I
- ☐ Schedule J

Expense Details - Indirect Expense:

Advertising and promotion	
Office	
Printing/publication/postage	
Info technology/Maintenance	
Royalties & License Fees	
Occupancy/Real Estate Taxes	
Travel & Repairs	
Travel/entertainment (officials)	
Conferences/meetings	
Interest	
Insurance	
Total Indirect Expense	

Expense Details - Depreciation Expense:

On investment property	
On non-investment property	
Amortization	
Depletion	
Total Depreciation Expense	

Expense Details - Exempt Activity Expense:

Repairs/Maintenance/Other	
Bad debts	
Taxes/licenses	
Charitable contributions	
Dividend recd deductions	
Readership costs	
Total Exempt Activity Expense	

Expense Details - Fundraising Expense:

Cash prizes	500
Non-cash prizes	6,750
Rent and facility costs	24,320
Food & beverages (Part II only)	27,512
Entertainment (Part II only)	
Other direct expenses	5,909
Total Fundraising Expense	64,991

Allocation of Expense to Program Service Accomplishments:

First	
Second	
Third	
All other	

Form **990**

Event Income and Deduction Worksheet

Description **NEAT INVENTORY SALES**

2018

Name
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE

Taxpayer Identification Number
06-0669111

Use this worksheet to verify data entered for a specific activity on your form 990/990EZ

Income & Expense Summary:

1. Gross receipts or sales	**1.**	45,093
2. Advertising income	**2.**	
3. Circulation income	**3.**	
4. Other income	**4.**	
5. Returns and allowances	**5.**	
6. Contributions received	**6.**	
7. Total revenue. Add lines 1 through 6	**7.**	45,093
8. Cost of Goods Sold	**8.**	45,093
9. Employment Expense	**9.**	
10. Fees for services	**10.**	
11. Indirect Expense	**11.**	
12. Depreciation Expense	**12.**	
13. Exempt Activity Expense	**13.**	
14. Fundraising Expense	**14.**	
15. Total expenses. Add lines 8 through 14	**15.**	45,093
16. Net Income/Loss. Line 7 minus Line 15	**16.**	

Expense Details - Cost of Goods Sold:

Beginning inventory	
Purchases	45,093
Labor	
Section 263A costs	
Other costs	
Ending inventory	
Total Cost of Goods Sold	45,093

Expense Details - Employment Expense:

Compensation of officers	
Other salaries and wages	
Pension plan contributions	
Other employee benefits	
Payroll taxes	
Total Employment Expense	

Expense Details - Fees for Services:

Management	
Legal	
Accounting	
Lobbying	
Professional fundraising	
Investment management	
Other	
Total Fees for Services	

Expense Details - Indirect Expense:

Advertising and promotion	
Office	
Printing/publication/postage	
Info technology/Maintenance	
Royalties & License Fees	
Occupancy/Real Estate Taxes	
Travel & Repairs	
Travel/entertainment (officials)	
Conferences/meetings	
Interest	
Insurance	
Total Indirect Expense	

Expense Details - Depreciation Expense:

On investment property	
On non-investment property	
Amortization	
Depletion	
Total Depreciation Expense	

Expense Details - Exempt Activity Expense:

Repairs/Maintenance/Other	
Bad debts	
Taxes/licenses	
Charitable contributions	
Dividend recd deductions	
Readership costs	
Total Exempt Activity Expense	

Expense Details - Fundraising Expense:

Cash prizes	
Non-cash prizes	
Rent and facility costs	
Food & beverages (Part II only)	
Entertainment (Part II only)	
Other direct expenses	
Total Fundraising Expense	

Information is indicated for use on Form 990-T schedule:

- ☐ Schedule E
- ☐ Schedule F
- ☐ Schedule G
- ☐ Schedule I
- ☐ Schedule J

Allocation of Expense to Program Service Accomplishments:

First	
Second	
Third	
All other	

Form **990**

Two Year Comparison Report

For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning 07/01/18 , ending 06/30/19

2017 & 2018

Name

THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Taxpayer Identification Number

06-0669111

			2017	2018	Differences
Revenue	1. Contributions, gifts, grants	1.	5,763,312	6,462,359	699,047
	2. Membership dues and assessments	2.			
	3. Government contributions and grants	3.			
	4. Program service revenue	4.	79,324,868	76,796,867	-2,528,001
	5. Investment income	5.	59,729	67,565	7,836
	6. Proceeds from tax exempt bonds	6.			
	7. Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory	7.	-794,951	38,944	833,895
	8. Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	8.	-18,859	-47,755	-28,896
	9. Net income or (loss) from gaming	9.			
	10. Net gain or (loss) on sales of inventory	10.			
	11. Other revenue	11.	5,955,762	1,679,629	-4,276,133
	12. **Total revenue.** Add lines 1 through 11	12.	90,289,861	84,997,609	-5,292,252
Expenses	13. Grants and similar amounts paid	13.	1,161,814	1,050,312	-111,502
	14. Benefits paid to or for members	14.			
	15. Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	15.	986,729	1,053,470	66,741
	16. Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	16.	70,379,709	65,700,347	-4,679,362
	17. Professional fundraising fees	17.			
	18. Other professional fees	18.	258,932	346,779	87,847
	19. Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	19.	5,322,538	5,050,864	-271,674
	20. Depreciation and Depletion	20.	2,224,487	1,986,047	-238,440
	21. Other expenses	21.	8,835,481	9,163,118	327,637
	22. **Total expenses.** Add lines 13 through 21	22.	89,169,690	84,350,937	-4,818,753
	23. **Excess or (Deficit).** Subtract line 22 from line 12	23.	1,120,171	646,672	-473,499
Other Information	24. Total exempt revenue	24.	90,289,861	84,997,609	-5,292,252
	25. Total unrelated revenue	25.			
	26. Total excludable revenue	26.	84,526,549	78,535,250	-5,991,299
	27. Total assets	27.	80,679,994	79,679,122	-1,000,872
	28. Total liabilities	28.	18,478,579	16,821,559	-1,657,020
	29. Retained earnings	29.	62,201,415	62,857,563	656,148
	30. Number of voting members of governing body	30.	20	18	
	31. Number of independent voting members of governing body	31.	20	18	
	32. Number of employees	32.	1631	1527	
	33. Number of volunteers	33.	20	18	

Federal Statements

Taxable Interest on Investments

Description	Amount	Unrelated Business	Exclusion Code	Postal Code	Acquired after 6/30/75	US Obs ($ or %)
	$ 67,565		14			
TOTAL	$ 67,565					

Federal Statements

Form 990, Part IX, Line 24e - All Other Expenses

Description	Total Expenses	Program Service	Management & General	Fund Raising
BANK FEES	$ 110,315	$ 13,476	$ 95,268	$ 1,571
PHARMACY EXPENSE	106,949	108,985	-2,036	
UNALLOWABLE	41,574	2,002	39,572	
MISC - UNRESTRICTED	37,025	33,166	3,158	701
STRIKE RELATED EXPENSES	5,382		5,382	
CLOTHING	4,979	4,509	470	
NEAT MATERIALS	3,439	2,535	904	
EMPLOYEE ENTERTAINMENT	749	352	397	
PERSONAL NEEDS	725	725		
RECOGNITION DINNER	304		304	
NEAT EQUIPMENT	171			171
TOTAL	$ 311,612	$ 165,750	$ 143,419	$ 2,443

Form CT-990T Return Summary

For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning 07/01/18 , and ending 06/30/19

THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC. 06-0669111

Income

Federal unrelated business income				
Federal Net operating loss deduction				
Federal deduction for state taxes				
Refund / credit of CT tax				
Unrelated business taxable income				
Apportionment percentage		%		
Apportioned UBTI				
Operating loss carryover				
Taxable income				

Taxes / Credits / Payments

Tax on taxable income				
Electronic data processing credit				
Tax				
Paid with extension				
Estimated tax payments				
Other payments				
Total payments				
Net tax due				

Adjustments

Failure to file penalty				
Failure to pay penalty				
Interest on late payments				
Estimated tax penalty				
Overpayment applied to next year's estimated tax				
Total adjustments				

Balance due	
Refund	

Next Year's Estimates

1st quarter	
2nd quarter	
3rd quarter	
4th quarter	
Total	

Miscellaneous Information

Amended return	
CT-990T return / extended due date	

Registration Application Information

Filing fee	50
Late filing fee due	
Total	50

Amended return	
Return / extended due date	06/01/20

Filing Instructions

THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Connecticut Charitable Organization Registration Application

Taxable Year Ended June 30, 2019

Date Due: July 15, 2020

Remittance: The filing fee is $50. Include a check payable to the Treasurer, State of Connecticut and write "Connecticut Charities Registration Number 51926, for the year ended 6/30/19" on the check.

Mail To: Public Charities Unit
Department of Consumer Protection
165 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106-1630

Signature: Form Charitable Organization Registration must be signed and dated by two officers of the organization, one of whom must be the chief fiscal officer.

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
Public Charities
450 Columbus Blvd, Ste. 801
Hartford, CT 06103
Email: dcp.publiccharities@ct.gov

Charitable Organization Renewal Notice

Do not use this form to reinstate a registration.

NEW: CT Public Act 18-40 Organization now only needs one authorized officer/agent to certify renewal. Financials will need to be filed with the IRS and an audit if required must be completed. Copies of these financials will no longer be required to be provided to the Department of Consumer Protection, unless audited.

- You **cannot** renew, if your organization has not filed the current year's IRS 990 or completed an audit, if applicable.
- Charitable organizations **must** retain financials for 3 years in the event you are selected for audit.

Financials means:

- 990 filed with IRS
- Independent audit, if gross revenues exceed $500,000.00

To Renew by Mail: Complete this renewal notice and send the following:

- A **non-refundable fee of $50.00** must accompany this notice.
- Checks should be made payable to *"Treasurer, State of CT."*
- Add an additional $25.00 for each month the renewal notice is received after the expiration date.
- Make any necessary address or email changes on this form and return this signed renewal notice with fee to the above address. Do not submit incomplete or a partial renewal without accompanying fee.

After 65 days, you will not be able to renew. You will need to reinstate this registration. The reinstatement form is available on our web-site www.ct.gov/dcp

If Not Renewing:

☐ **Check here**, if the organization is no longer soliciting in Connecticut or has dissolved along with an effective date _____ . Return this notice with your last IRS 990 in which solicitations were conducted.

Public Charity Registration Number to be Renewed	Expiration Date of Registration
51926	07/15/20

Organization Information

Name of Charitable Organization
THE CONNECTICUT INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, INC.

Street Address	City	State	Zip Code
120 HOLCOMB STREET	HARTFORD	CT	06112-1589

FEIN	Fiscal Year End	Email Address *Notifications and certificates are only emailed*
06-0669111	06/30/19	

Check one answer for each of the questions below: Do not bypass this section. It must be completed.

1. **Did your organization file the current year's IRS 990, 990 EZ, 990N, 990PF with the IRS?** ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No-** If no you cannot renew
2. **Did your IRS 990 have gross revenues in excess of $500,000.00?** ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No** **If yes to question 2, did the organization complete an independent audit report this reporting period?** ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No-** If no you cannot renew

Certification

One authorized officer/agent from the organization **must** sign this renewal notice and attestation on behalf of the organization.

I hereby certify under penalty of false statement that I am authorized to sign for the organization and that the statements made on this renewal notice are true and correct to the best my knowledge.

Signature	Printed Name	Date
	BARRY M. SIMON	06/29/20

****State law requires one signature****