

EXHIBIT A

CONTINUING CARE BOND

BOND # _____

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Stamford, Connecticut

_____, **20**____

FOR VALUE RECEIVED AS MONEY LENT, the undersigned, B-IX Edgehill LLC and Benchmark Investments IX LLC (“Provider”), jointly and severally, promise to pay the principal sum of _____ Dollars (\$_____) to _____ (hereinafter referred to collectively and individually as “you”). If two individuals are named in this Bond, you have the rights of joint tenants with right of survivorship. You reside (or will reside), pursuant to a Continuing Care Contract dated _____20____, (“Continuing Care Contract”) in Apartment Unit # _____ (“your Apartment”) at Edgehill in Stamford, Connecticut.

The above principal sum shall be due and payable, without interest, and less any offsets and deductions as provided in the Continuing Care Contract, upon the termination of the Continuing Care Contract and no later than sixty (60) days from the date of receipt of payment of the Primary Entrance Fee associated with your Apartment by another resident who is a party to a continuing care contract with the Provider (the “Resale Date”); provided, however, that if the Resale Date has not occurred by the third anniversary of the termination of the Continuing Care Contract, then such amount shall be due and payable on the third anniversary of the termination of the Continuing Care Contract.

If there are two individuals named in this Bond, the interest in this Continuing Care Bond of the first of you to die will pass automatically by operation of law to the survivor (“Survivor”). Provider shall have no obligation to make any payment which becomes due under this Continuing Care Bond to any person or entity other than to you or your estate, or if applicable to the Survivor, or the estate of the Survivor.

In the event that any one or more of the provisions contained in this Continuing Care Bond shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision of this Continuing Care Bond and this Continuing

Care Bond shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

This Continuing Care Bond may be modified or amended only by an agreement in writing signed by Provider and you. This Continuing Care Bond may be assigned by you only after you obtain the written approval of B-IX Edgehill LLC and Benchmark Investments IX LLC. It may not be pledged or otherwise encumbered.

The loan evidenced by this Continuing Care Bond may be used as security for any amount due or which may become due from you to the Provider under the Continuing Care Contract. Provider shall have the right to offset or deduct any amount due and payable under this Continuing Care Bond by amounts due Provider under the Continuing Care Contract. Offsets under the Continuing Care Contract also include, but are not limited to, any funds paid by the Provider on your behalf from the benevolent fund established to assist qualified residents who would otherwise be unable to meet their obligations under the Contract.

This Continuing Care Bond may be prepaid at any time by Provider without penalty upon thirty (30) or more days written advance notice to you, which notice period may be waived in writing by you.

This Continuing Care Bond shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the State of Connecticut and shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, and personal representatives.

This Continuing Care Bond is unsecured.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Provider has executed this Continuing Care Bond under seal on the date first above written.

RESIDENT:

B-IX EDGEHILL LLC

By: _____

WITNESS:

Title: _____

Benchmark Investments IX LLC

By: _____

Title: _____