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		Psychologist	Adamakos, Harry	203-335-0345	Bridgeport, Greenwich	Y	N	35	
	426074	Attorney	Afif, Maryam	203-348-7722	Stamford	N		15	
	000524	Attorney	Amendola, Bonnie	203-319-1143	Fairfield	Y	Y	23	(French) (Italian)
	423600	Attorney	Bardavid, Jennifer	203-327-2000	Stamford	Y	Y	14	
	301183	Attorney	Barndollar, Livia D.	203-330-2205				43	(Spanish)
	301299	Attorney	Bennett, Kirk	203-762-0741	Wilton	N	Y	40	
	434189	Attorney	Brazitis, Krista L.	203-652-8018	New Canaan	Y	N	12	
	411014	Attorney	Briones, AnnMarie	203-368-0211	Bridgeport	Y	N	28	
	427974	Attorney	Brown, MariAn G.	203-545-7210	Monroe	Y	Y	6	
	303379	Attorney	Chamberlain, Scott	203-798-2877	Danbury	Y	Y	40	
X*	428661	Attorney: Children's Law Center	Comer, Jodie	860-232-9993	Hartford	Y	N	17	
	408822	Attorney	Conlon, Jacquelyn	203-326-5147	Stamford	Y	N	23	
X*	420636	Attorney	Corea, Nicola	914-909-2424	Elmsford, NY	N	Y	18	(Italian)
	446131	Attorney	Curillo, Celina	203-892-4060	Danbury	Y	Y	1	(Spanish)
X*	436188	Attorney	Cutillo, David	203-787-8510	New Haven	Y	Y	1	
	424209	Attorney	DaCosta, Garnet	860-549-7725	Windsor	Y	Y	1	
		Licensed Clinical Social Worker	D'Andrea, Brittani	203-903-8658	Norwalk	Y	N	10	
	425876	Attorney	DeVidas, Claire	203-254-3340	Fairfield	N	Y	14	
	427739	Attorney	DiSilvestro, Joseph	203-397-6171	New Haven	Y	Y	7	
X*	427933	Attorney	Dooney, Marisa	860-460-2177	New Canaan	N	Y	7	
		Licensed Professional Counselor	Drakeford, Azaria	860-648-3592	Manchester, West Hartford	N	Y	10	
		Therapist	Ehinger, Heather M.	203-438-3139	Westport, Ridgefield	Y	Y	18	
	426419	Attorney	Esterkin, Jessica	203-347-0360	Greenwich	Y	N	15	

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	427641	Attorney	Fay, Candace	203-796-0235	Danbury	Y	Y	8	
	439792	Attorney	Fodor, Natassia	203-862-5004	Old Greenwich, Westport	Y	N	8	
	402890	Attorney	Goulden, Christopher	203-925-0400	Milford	Y	Y	34	
	102663	Attorney	Griffin, David	203-227-7301	Westport	N	N	32	
	427716	Attorney	Healy, Lauren	203-652-1551	New Canaan	Y	N	17	
	421407	Attorney	Hernandez, Lucas	203-368-9339	Stratford	Y	Y	21	(Russian) (Ukrainian)
	430344	Attorney	Hernandez, Marissa	203-254-9877	Southport	Y	Y	15	
	446188	Attorney	Heuvelman, David	203-212-9675	Norwalk	Y	Y	1	
	418937	Attorney	Hibson Jr., Emmet P.	203-898-0757	Hamden, New Haven, Fairfield	Y	Y	25	
	406765	Attorney	Hurwitz, Jocelyn	203-368-0211	Bridgeport, Orange, Westport	Y	N	32	
		Licensed Clinical Social Worker	Jean-Baptiste, Berthine	(203) 951-1431	Shelton	Y	Y	14	(Creole)
<b>X*</b>	412601	Attorney	Kaschel, Brian D.	203-259-5251	Fairfield, Stamford	Y	Y	28	
	424284	Attorney	Kaufman, Ross M.	203-326-5145	Stamford	Y	Y	20	
<b>X*</b>	309898	Attorney	Kouzoujian, Lisa B.	203-425-9502	Stamford	Y	Y	33	(Armenian)
	430001	Attorney	Langone, Graciela	518-210-3093	Ossining, NY	Y	Y	12	(Spanish)
	426244	Attorney	Laska, Stephanie	203-838-7111	Norwalk	Y	Y	8	
	309339	Attorney	Levine, Sheryle	203-259-0599	Westport	Y	Y	27	
<b>X*</b>	307519	Attorney: Children's Law Center	Mack, Janice, N.	860-232-9993	Hartford	Y	N	38	
	430380	Attorney	MacNamara, Amy C.	203-340-0550	Greenwich	Y	N	15	
<b>X*</b>	436490	Attorney: Children's Law Center	Martin, Mary	860-232-9993	Hartford	Y	N	10	
	430678	Attorney	Mashe, Lauren J.	203-357-1330	Stamford	Y	Y	12	
	424688	Attorney	McCann, Lauren	203-652-8018	New Canaan	Y	N	19	
	406096	Attorney	McGlynn, Louise	203-226-2343	Westport	Y	N	30	

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	306495	Attorney	McKeon, Maria	860-716-8888	Hebron, Simsbury	Y	Y	30	
	401276	Attorney	Nevas, Andrew B.	203-222-3103	Westport	Y	Y	35	
	420930	Attorney	Noonan, Deborah	(203) 246-4741	Norwalk	Y	Y	26	
	303740	Attorney	Opinsky, Heidi E.	203-653-3542	Stamford	Y	Y	40	
	101604	Attorney	Perzin, Michael	203-562-5100	New Haven	Y	Y	35	
	440112	Attorney	Pfeiffer, Caitlin	203-333-1888	Bridgeport, Westport	N	Y	3	
	439168	Attorney	Piscatelli, Sarah	(203) 779-0843	Trumbull	N	Y	9	
X*	443103	Attorney	Puzone, Alexander	860-232-9993	Hartford	Y	N	3	
		Licensed Clinical Social Worker	Quick, Andrea	860-938-8557	Vernon	Y	Y	17	
	434143	Attorney	Raymond, Tyler	203-549-1170	Bridgeport		Y	3	
	440120	Attorney	Riel, Nicole	203-333-1888	Bridgeport	Y	N	5	
X*	426525	Attorney: Children's Law Center	Roche, Aisha	860-232-9993	Hartford	Y	N	18	(Spanish)
	432998	Attorney	Scott, Kelly, A.	203-330-2187	3. Hartford, Stamford, Westport, Waterbury,	A	N	13	
	101581	Attorney	Shaughnessey, Sheryl	203-254-7544	Fairfield	N	Y	40	(Spanish)
	430863	Attorney	Smith, Dyane	203-733-1142	Bethel		Y		
	419880	Attorney	Surette, Mary	203-254-9877	Southport	Y	Y	21	
	304024	Attorney	Swiggart, Carolyn	203-661-0459	Greenwich	Y	Y	31	(French)
	429517	Attorney	Tomlinson, Shelly-Ann R.	917-288-8137	Bronx, NY	N	Y	3	
	408866	Attorney	Truax, Louise T.	203-254-9877	Southport	Y	N	21	
	304030	Attorney	Tusch, Paul	203-327-2000	Stamford	Y	Y	39	
	426314	Attorney	Welsh, Aidan R.	203-862-5013	Old Greenwich		N	18	
	434822	Attorney	Zulawski, Michelle	203-337-4109	Bridgeport, Westport, Danbury	Y	N	10	