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## Letters of Intent

### **2009-029 The Emory Clinic, Inc.**

Purchase MRI

**Received: 4/8/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/8/2009**

**Site:** 1365 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30322 (DeKalb County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,500,000

## Letters of Intent - Spring Batching Cycle

### **Ambulatory Surgery**

#### **2009-035 Single Specialty Endoscopy Center- BATCHING**

Single Specialty Endoscopy Center- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 222 W. Poplar Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,900,000

#### **2009-036 Multi-Specialty, Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Center- BATCHING**

Multi-Specialty, Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Center- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 631 Professional Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30045 (Gwinnett County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,600,000

#### **2009-037 Conversion to single specialty ASC - Ophthalmology- BATCHING**

Conversion to single specialty ASC - Ophthalmology- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 864 First Street, Macon, GA 31201 (Bibb County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

#### **2009-038 Convert LNR to Single Specialty - Ophthalmology- BATCHING**

Convert LNR to Single Specialty - Ophthalmology- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 2282 East Pinetree Boulevard, Thomasville, GA 31792 (Thomas County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$265,000

#### **2009-039 Establish Multi-specialty ASC- BATCHING**

Establish Multi-specialty ASC- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 4370 Georgetown Square, Atlanta, GA 30338 (Fulton County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$300,000

#### **2009-040 Convert LNR to Single-Specialty for Pain Management- BATCHING**

Convert LNR to Single-Specialty for Pain Management- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 3161 Howell Mill Road, Suite 320, Atlanta, GA 30327 (Fulton County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,000

#### **2009-041 Convert LNR to Single-Specialty for Orthopaedic Surgery - BATCHING**

Convert LNR to Single-Specialty for Orthopaedic Surgery - BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009**

**Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before noon)**

**Site:** 5303-D Adams Street, Covington, GA 30014 (Newton County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

### **Home Health**

#### **2009-030 New Home Health Agency for Medically Fragile Children, Infants and Women in the Postpartum- BATCHING**

New Home Health Agency for Medically Fragile Children, Infants and Women in the Postpartum- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before 12 noon)**

**Site:** 6755 P'tree Industrial Blvd, Suite 255, Atlanta, GA 30360 (Fulton County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2009-031 New Home Health Agency for Sub-Saharan African Population- BATCHING**

New Home Health Agency for Sub-Saharan African Population- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before 12 noon)**

**Site:** Somewhere in Cobb, Atlanta, GA 30303 (Cobb County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2009-032 New Home Health Agency for Asian Population- BATCHING**

New Home Health Agency for Asian Population- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before 12 noon)**

**Site:** 3883 Rogers Bridge Road, Suite 304B, Duluth, GA 30097 (Gwinnett County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2009-033 New Home Health Agency for Non-English Speaking Somali Population- BATCHING**

New Home Health Agency for Non-English Speaking Somali Population- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before 12 noon)**

**Site:** 1940 Cooper Lakes Drive, Gayson, GA 30017 (Rockdale County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$30,000

**Newborn, ICU/INT**

**2009-034 New Neonatal Intermediate Care Service- BATCHING**

New Neonatal Intermediate Care Service- BATCHING

**Received: 4/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 5/26/2009 (before 12 noon)**

**Site:** 960 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, Cartersville, GA 30120 (Bartow County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$500,000

**Expired Letters of Intent**

**2009-028 Emory Clinic, The (and Winship Cancer Institute)**

New MRI Equipment

**Received: 3/24/2009 Application must be submitted on: 4/23/2009**

**Site:** 1365 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30322 (Fulton County)

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,500,000

**New Applications**

none

**Pending Review/Incomplete Applications**

**2009-025 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc.**

Intuitive da Vinci S 4 Arm Robotic Surgical System with HD vision

**Filed: 3/25/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 4/8/2009**

**Site:** 5665 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30342 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Heather Dexter, VP of Surgical Services & Planning 678-843-7001

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,925,000

**2009-026 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc.**

To Expand Imaging Center by Creating a New Center with New Equipment

**Filed: 3/25/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 4/8/2009**

**Site:** 1100 Johnson Ferry Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30342 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Heather Dexter, VP of Surgical Services & Planning 678-843-7001

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,379,599

**2009-027 Perry Hospital**

Renovation and Replacement of Existing Facility

**Filed: 4/16/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 4/29/2009**

**Site:** 1120 Morningside Drive, Perry, GA 31069 (Houston County)

**Contact:** David Campbell 478-988-1625

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,801,899

**Incomplete Applications – Winter Batching (Applications Disqualified)**

none

**Pending Review/Complete Applications**

**2008-093 Spalding Regional Medical Center**

Acquisition of a 64-Slice CT Scanner

**Filed: 11/5/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 11/20/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/6/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/7/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/6/2009**

**Site:** 601 S. 8th Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)

**Contact:** John Quinn Chief Executive Officer 770-229-6469

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,499,715

**2008-094 Doctors Hospital Outpatient Imaging Center**

Establish a Mobile PET Service

**Filed: 11/6/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 11/21/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/14/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/15/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/14/2009**

**Site:** 3624 J. Dewey Gray Circle, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)

**Contact:** Kenneth Wicker Chief Operating Officer 706-651-6104

**Estimated Cost:** \$25,000

**2008-095 Doctor's Hospital**

Expansion and Relocation of Outpatient Wound Care Services

**Filed: 11/14/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 11/25/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/9/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/10/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/9/2009**

**Site:** 3651 Wheeler Road, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)

**Contact:** Kenneth Wicker, Chief Operating Officer 706-651-6104

**Estimated Cost:** \$7,233,029

**2008-126 Lawrenceville Health Imaging**

Replacement of MRI and CT Scanners

**Filed: 11/26/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 12/12/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/28/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/29/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/28/2009**

**Site:** 481 West Pike Street, Lawrenceville, GA 30045 (Gwinnett County)

**Contact:** Scott W. Arant, President 404-296-5887

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,500,000

**2008-129 Coliseum Medical Centers**

Acquisition of a da Vinci Surgical System

**Filed: 12/3/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 12/17/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/12/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/13/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/12/2009**

**Site:** 350 Hospital Drive, Macon, GA 31217 (Bibb County)

**Contact:** David A. Portwood Chief Operating Officer 478-765-4100

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,870,600

**2008-134 Emory Johns Creek Hospital**

Establish a Hospital-Based Non-Special Mega Voltage Rad Therapy Svc

**Filed: 12/29/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 1/13/2009 Deemed Complete: 1/13/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/14/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 5/13/2009**  
**Site:** 6325 Hospital Parkway, Johns Creek, GA 30097 (Fulton County)  
**Contact:** John D. Quinlivan, Jr. 678-474-7002  
**Estimated Cost:** \$13,025,739

**2008-135 Medical College of Georgia**  
Expansion of MCG Health Emergency Department  
**Filed: 12/29/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 1/13/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 1120 15th Street, Augusta, GA 30912 (Richmond County)  
**Contact:** Sheila O'Neal, VP, Strategic Support 706-721-7406  
**Estimated Cost:** \$5,375,929

**2008-137 Hospice House**  
New Inpatient Hospice Facility  
**Filed: 1/2/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 1/16/2009 Deemed Complete: 1/30/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 3/31/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 5/30/2009**  
**Site:** 6281 Peake Road, Macon, GA 31206 (Bibb County)  
**Contact:** Mr. H. Bryan Forlines, Dir of Reimbursement 478-633-6966  
**Estimated Cost:** \$5,627,166

**2008-138 South Georgia Medical Center**  
Acquisition of a PET/CT Scanner  
**Filed: 1/5/2009 Deemed Complete: 1/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 3/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 5/20/2009**  
**Site:** 2501 North Patterson Street, Valdosta, GA 31602 (Lowndes County)  
**Contact:** Dana Massingill 229-333-1007  
**Estimated Cost:** \$4,472,532

**2008-142 Crisp Regional Hospital**  
Expansion of Services by purchase of a Fixed 1.5 Magnet MRI Machine  
**Filed: 1/21/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 2/4/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/12/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/13/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/12/2009**  
**Site:** 902 7th Street North, Cordele, GA 31015 (Crisp County)  
**Contact:** Charlotte Vestal 229-276-3297  
**Estimated Cost:** \$1,275,146

**2008-143 St. Joseph's Hospital**  
Acquisition and Replacement of a Siemens Axion Zee Biplane System  
**Filed: 1/22/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 2/5/2009 Deemed Complete: 3/23/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 5/22/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 7/21/2009**  
**Site:** 11705 Mercy Boulevard, Savannah, GA 31419 (Chatham County)  
**Contact:** John R. Salandi 912-819-2498  
**Estimated Cost:** \$2,500,000

**2009-002 Grady Memorial Hospital**  
Development of Neurosciences Center at Grady Memorial Hospital  
**Filed: 2/9/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/23/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/24/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/23/2009**  
**Site:** 80 Butler Street, SE, Atlanta, GA 30303 (Fulton County)  
**Contact:** Craig Tindall, Sr VP, Operations and Facilities 404-616-3343  
**Estimated Cost:** \$15,352,189

**2009-003 The Medical Center**  
Renovation and Expansion of the Emergency Department

**Filed: 2/12/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 2/26/2009 Deemed Complete: 3/18/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 5/17/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 7/16/2009**  
**Site:** 710 Center Street, Columbus, GA 31902 (Muscogee County)  
**Contact:** Donald E. Elder 706-571-1000  
**Estimated Cost:** \$24,873,606

**2009-004 Hamilton Medical Center**  
Acquisition of a da Vinci Surgical System  
**Filed: 2/13/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/27/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/28/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/27/2009**  
**Site:** 1200 Memorial Drive, Dalton, GA 30720 (Whitfield County)  
**Contact:** John Bowling 706-226-3003  
**Estimated Cost:** \$1,738,000

**2009-005 Flint River Recovery Center for Children and Adolescents**  
New Freestanding Pediatric Behavioral Health Facility BATCHING  
**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 1939 McAdams Road, Albany, GA 31721 (Dougherty County)  
**Contact:** William W. Calhoun, Langley and Lee, LLC 229-431-2249  
**Estimated Cost:** \$21,325,525

**2009-006 Berrien County Hospital**  
Establishment of New 12-Bed Inpatient Adult Psychiatric Unit BATCHING  
**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 1221 E. McPherson Avenue, Nashville, GA 31639 (Berrien County)  
**Contact:** James D. Janek, CEO 404-656-0655  
**Estimated Cost:** \$200,000

**2009-007 North Fulton Regional Hospital**  
New Mobile PET/CT Services in Roswell BATCHING  
**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 3000 Hospital Boulevard, Roswell, GA 30076 (Fulton County)  
**Contact:** Ron Henry, Chief Development Officer 770-751-2511  
**Estimated Cost:** \$0

**2009-008 Stereotactic Radiation Oncology of Newnan. Loc**  
New Freestanding CyberKnife Center BATCHING  
**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 217 Millard Farmer Industrial Boulevard, Newnan, GA 30263 (Coweta County)  
**Contact:** Dr. Warner Ray, Manager 770-994-1650  
**Estimated Cost:** \$7,084,984

**2009-009 Gwinnett Medical Center - Lawrenceville**  
Convert Mobile PET/CT Service to Fixed PET/CT Unit BATCHING  
**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**  
**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**  
**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**  
**Site:** 1000 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville, GA 30045 (Gwinnett County)  
**Contact:** Mark M. Mullin 678-312-4193  
**Estimated Cost:** \$3,798,042

**2009-010 Hamilton Medical Center**

Acquisition of a PET/CT Scanner BATCHING

**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**

**Site:** 1200 Memorial Drive, Dalton, GA 30720 (Whitfield County)

**Contact:** Corey Roy 706-272-6529

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,500,000

**2009-011 South Fulton Medical Center**

Develop 20-bed Psychiatric and Substance Abuse Services BATCHING

**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**

**Site:** 1170 Cleveland Avenue, East Point, GA 30344 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Yvonne Despard 404-466-1118

**Estimated Cost:** \$398,769

**2009-012 The Medical Center**

Acquisition of a PET/CT Scanner BATCHING

**Filed: 2/20/2009 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 4/21/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 6/20/2009**

**Site:** 710 Center Street, Columbus, GA 31902 (Muscogee County)

**Contact:** Donald E. Elder 706-660-6342

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,037,406

**2009-020 Spalding Regional Medical Center**

Expand and Renovate the ER and Laboratory Departments

**Filed: 2/27/2009 Deemed Incomplete: 3/13/2009 Deemed Complete: 3/30/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 5/29/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 7/28/2009**

**Site:** 601 South Eighth Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)

**Contact:** John Quinn 770-229-6469

**Estimated Cost:** \$9,996,548

**2009-022 Morgan Memorial Hospital**

Build a 25-bed replacement hospital

**Filed: 3/6/2009 Deemed Complete: 3/20/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 5/19/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 7/18/2009**

**Site:** 1077 South Main Street, Madison, GA 30650 (Morgan County)

**Contact:** Brandon W. Jolley, CEO 706-342-1667

**Estimated Cost:** \$35,000,000

**2009-024 Salem Imaging, LLC**

Establish MRI Imaging Center

**Filed: 3/18/2009 Deemed Complete: 4/1/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 5/31/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 7/30/2009**

**Site:** 1365 Rock Quarry Road,, Stockbridge, GA 30281 (Henry County)

**Contact:** Freebie Ukpede, CEO 404-428-7061

**Estimated Cost:** \$840,000

## **Pending Review/Complete/Joined Applications**

none

## Recently Approved Applications

### **2008-091 Gwinnett Medical Center-Duluth**

Acquisition of a Robotic Surgery System

**Filed: 10/16/2008 Deemed Incomplete: 10/29/2008 Deemed Complete: 12/29/2008**

**60th Day Deadline: 2/27/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 4/28/2009**

**APPROVED: 4/28/2009**

**Site:** 3620 Howell Ferry Road, Duluth, GA 30096 (Gwinnett County)

**Contact:** Mark M. Mullin Director, Planning 678-312-4193

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,660,000

### **2008-125 Emory Crawford Long Hospital**

Acquisition of the da Vinci Surgical System

**Filed: 11/26/2008 Deemed Complete: 12/12/2008**

**60th Day Deadline: 2/10/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 4/11/2009**

**APPROVED: 4/8/2009**

**Site:** 550 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, GA 30308 (Fulton County)

**Contact:** Toni Wimby 404-686-2450

**Estimated Cost:** \$1,770,000

### **2008-127 Griffin Imaging**

Replacement of CON-exempt MRI Unit

**Filed: 11/26/2008 Deemed Complete: 12/11/2008**

**60th Day Deadline: 2/9/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 4/10/2009**

**APPROVED: 4/10/2009**

**Site:** 681 South 9th Street Suite B, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)

**Contact:** Joseph A. Paul, President 561-744-9122

**Estimated Cost:** \$2,000,000

### **2008-132 Upson Regional Medical Center**

Renovation of Kitchen Dietary Services

**Filed: 12/17/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/5/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/6/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/5/2009**

**APPROVED: 4/8/2009**

**Site:** 801 West Gordon Street, Thomaston, GA 30286 (Upson County)

**Contact:** David Castleberry Chief Executive Officer 706-647-5590

**Estimated Cost:** \$4,188,000

### **2008-136 Bacon County Hospital**

Renovation and Expansion of Surgical Suite

**Filed: 12/31/2008 Deemed Complete: 1/14/2009**

**60th Day Deadline: 3/15/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 5/14/2009**

**APPROVED: 4/24/2009**

**Site:** 302 South Wayne Street, Alma, GA 31510 (Bacon County)

**Contact:** Cindy R. Turner, CEO 912-632-5000

**Estimated Cost:** \$3,945,009

## Recently Denied Applications

### **2008-097 V.O.A Ambulatory Surgery Center, Inc.**

Conversion To Limited Purpose Ambulatory Surgery Ctr-Batching

**Filed: 11/24/2008 Deemed Complete: 11/24/2008**

**60th Day Deadline: 1/23/2009**

**Decision Deadline: 3/24/2009**

**DENIED: 3/24/2009**



**Site:** 3527B North Valdosta Road, Valdosta, GA 31602 (Lowndes County)

**Contact:** Gayle R. Evans Consultant 770-794-4944

**Estimated Cost:** \$5,000

#### **2008-106 Peoples Home Health**

Establish New HH Care Agency SSDR 2 (Joined 107, 115-116,119) Batching

**Filed:** 11/24/2008 **Deemed Complete:** 11/24/2008

**Joined:** 11/24/2008 **60th Day Deadline:** 1/23/2009

**Decision Deadline:** 3/24/2009

**DENIED:** 3/24/2009

**Site:** 535 Queen City Parkway, Gainesville, GA 30501 (Hall County)

**Contact:** Everette Jenkins 678-625-4720

**Estimated Cost:** \$0

#### **2008-115 Voyager Home Health**

Establish a New HH Agency SSDR 2 (Joined 106-107, 116, 119) Batching

**Filed:** 11/24/2008 **Deemed Complete:** 11/24/2008

**Joined:** 11/24/2008 **60th Day Deadline:** 1/23/2009

**Decision Deadline:** 3/24/2009

**DENIED:** 3/24/2009

**Site:** GA (Banks County)

**Contact:** Michael Britain Consultant 404-847-0100

**Estimated Cost:** \$96,500

#### **2008-116 SunCrest Home Health**

Establish New HH Agency SSDR 2 (Joined 106-107, 115, 119) Batching

**Filed:** 11/24/2008 **Deemed Complete:** 11/24/2008

**Joined:** 11/24/2008 **60th Day Deadline:** 1/23/2009

**Decision Deadline:** 3/24/2009

**DENIED:** 3/24/2009

**Site:** 520 West Atlanta Street, Marietta, GA 30060 (Banks County)

**Contact:** Barbara L. Rasmussen, President 770-427-2056

**Estimated Cost:** \$100,000

#### **2008-119 Georgia Home Health Care**

Establish New HH Care Agency SSDR 2 (Joined 106-107,115-116) Batching

**Filed:** 11/24/2008 **Deemed Complete:** 11/24/2008

**Joined:** 11/24/2008 **60th Day Deadline:** 1/23/2009

**Decision Deadline:** 3/24/2009

**DENIED:** 3/24/2009

**Site:** 4978 Highway 1 South, Lyons, GA 30436 (White County)

**Contact:** William Abbott 912-293-5714

**Estimated Cost:** \$30,340

## **Applications Withdrawn**

none

## **Appealed CON Projects**

#### **2006-140 Northeast Georgia Medical Center (Hall)**

Replacement Hospital Facility

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 4/27/2007

**Appealed By:** Barrow Regional Medical Center, 5/25/2007. Melvin Goldstein was appointed as Hearing Officer on 7/6/2007.

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** 9/18-19/2007, 9 a.m. Motion for Summary Determination filed 9/7/2007.

**Hearing Decision:** Hearing Officer affirmed Department approval of CON by Order dated 12/20/2007. Barrow appealed Hearing Officer Decision to Review Board, 1/18/2008.

**Review Board Decision:** Review Board Meeting set for 2/18/2008 at 11a.m. Review Board issued Order affirming Hearing Officer decision, 2/22/2008.

**Appealed to Superior Court:** Barrow filed Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Barrow County, 3/21/2008.

**Superior Court Decision:** Reversed by Superior Court of Barrow County, 12/15/2008.

**Court of Appeals:** Department and NEGA requested appeal of Superior Court Order to Georgia Court of Appeals; Barrow opposed request; Court of Appeals agreed to hear appeal of Superior Court Order, 1/30/2009.

**2007-062 Memorial Health University Medical Center, Inc. (Chatham)**

Establish PET Services & Acquire PET/CT Scanner

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 1/11/2008

**Appealed By:** PET Imaging Center of Savannah, LLC d/b/a Trident PET/CT of Savannah, 2/7/2008.

**Hearing Officer:** Reassigned to William C. Joy, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** July 9-11, 2008. Motion for Summary Adjudication Hearing set for Tuesday, June 10, 2008 at 2 p.m.; Hearing Date continued June 19, 2008. Hearing scheduled for 12/9-11/2008, 2pm, 34<sup>th</sup> floor.

**Hearing Decision:** Hearing Officer issued decision affirming award of CON to Memorial, 02/24/2009; Trident requested Commissioner Review of Hearing Officer's Decision, 3/25/2009.

**Commissioner Review Decision:** The February 24, 2009 decision of the Hearing Officer is affirmed awarding a CON to Memorial, 4/24/2009.

**2007-071 Northside Hospital - Forsyth (Forsyth)**

**2007-083 North Georgia Radiation Oncology (Forsyth)**

**2007-084 Northeast Georgia Medical Center (Hall)**

**2007-085 Cancer Treatment Center of Forsyth County (Forsyth)**

2007-071 Establish Radiation Therapy Services

2007-083 Expansion of Radiation Therapy Services

2007-084 Expansion of Radiation Therapy Services

2007-085 Establishment of Radiation Therapy Services

**Agency Decision:** Northside Forsyth (2007071) and North Georgia Radiation Oncology (2007083), approved, 1/11/2008; Northeast Georgia (2007084) and Cancer Treatment Center of Forsyth County, denied, 1/11/2008.

**Appealed By:** Northeast Georgia appealed own denial, appealed approval of Northside Forsyth and North Georgia Radiation Oncology, requested intervention in any appeal involving denial of Cancer Treatment Center of Forsyth County 2/7/08; Northside Forsyth requested intervention in any appeal filed by other three applicants 2/7/08; North Georgia Radiation Oncology appealed approval of Northside Forsyth and requested intervention in any appeal filed by other applicants 2/7/08; East Georgia Radiation Holding Company, LLC and Northeast Georgia Cancer Care, LLC, non-applicant intervenor, requested intervention in opposition to Northeast Georgia 2/7/08. Request for Hearing withdrawn by Northwest Georgia Medical Center and East Georgia Radiation Holding Company, LLC, 3/20/2009.

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** March 23, 2009, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

**2007-094 Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care of Jasper (Pickens)**

**2007-110 Wellstar Paulding Radiation Therapy (Paulding)**

Establishment of Radiation Therapy Services

**Agency Decision:** Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care of Jasper, denied, 3/5/2008; Wellstar Paulding Radiation Therapy, denied, 3/5/2008.

**Appealed By:** Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care appealed own denial, requested intervention in any appeal with respect to its project or Wellstar Paulding project, 4/2/08; Wellstar Paulding appealed own denial, requested intervention in any appeal with respect to its project or Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care project, 4/1/08; Radiotherapy Clinics of Georgia Cancer Centers, LLC, non-applicant intervenor, requested intervention in any appeal filed by the applicants, 3/20/08. Cobb Center for Radiation Therapy, Inc., non-applicant intervenor, requested intervention in opposition to Wellstar Paulding, 4/2/2008. Hearing Officer issued Order granting Department and Radiotherapy Clinics of Georgia Cancer Centers, LLC Motions for Summary Adjudication against Georgia Center for Total Cancer Care, 12/31/2008. Cobb Center for Radiation Therapy withdrew Request for Intervention against WellStar Paulding, 1/28/2009. Consent Order entered into by Department and WellStar Paulding to award CON: signed by Hearing Officer, 3/4/2009.

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq.

**2008-004 Gwinnett Medical Center (Gwinnett)**

Establish an Open Heart Surgery Program

**Agency Decision:** approved, 6/5/2008.

**Appealed By:** Emory University Hospital, Emory Crawford Long Hospital, and Piedmont Hospital, 7/3/2008.

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood Oakley, III, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** February 17-20, 2009, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

**Hearing Decision:** Pending

**2008-008 Northside Hospital-Cherokee (Cherokee)**

To Develop Radiation Therapy Services

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 06/26/2008

**Appealed By:** Rosa of Georgia dba Northlake Cancer Center, filed by Smith Moore 07/25/08  
RCOG Cancer Center dba Cherokee Care Cancer Center filed by Epstein Becker, 07/22/08

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** August 25-27, 2009, 34<sup>th</sup> Floor, 12:00PM.

**2008-030 Loganville Diagnostic Imaging Center (Walton)**

To Develop a Freestanding Diagnostic Imaging Center

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 8/12/2008

**Appealed By:** Walton Regional Medical Ctr., filed by Balch & Bingham, 9/10/2008.

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** N/A; Emory Eastside relinquished the CON issued in connection with this project; as a result Walton Regional's appeal is now moot, 4/21/2009.

**2008-042 MCG Medical Associates Ambulatory Care Center (Columbia)**

Proposed New ASC with CT

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 9/19/2008

**Appealed By:** University Health Services, Inc., 10/20/2008; Doctors Hospital Surgery Center, L.P. d/b/a Evans Surgery Center, 10/15/2008

**Hearing Officer:** William C. Joy, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** January 26, 27, 28, 2009, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

**Hearing Decision:** Hearing Officer reversed award of CON to MCG, 4/7/2009.

**2008-051 Candler Hospital (Chatham)**

Acquisition of a Fixed PET/CT Scanner

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 10/1/2008

**Appealed By:** PET Imaging Center of Savannah, LLC d/b/a Trident PET/CT of Savannah, 10/28/2008

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** May 11, 2009, 9:00 AM, through May 15, 2009, 34<sup>th</sup> Floor

**2008-059 UHS of Crescent Pines d/b/a Crescent Pines Hospital (Henry)**

Develop a 50-bed Acute Inpatient Psychiatric and Substance Abuse Hosp.

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 10/24/2008

**Appealed By:** Riverwoods Behavioral Health System, 11/18/2008.

**Hearing Officer:** Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** Request for Hearing withdrawn by Riverwoods Behavioral Health System, 3/30/2009. Granting of CON to UHS of Crescent Pines, LLC affirmed by Hearing Officer, 4/3/2009.

**2008-068 Vidalia Regional Cancer Center (Toombs)**

Develop a MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Service

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 11/25/2008

**Appealed By:** Statesboro Oncology Associates, P.C, 12/23/2008 and Satilla Regional Cancer Center, 12/23/2008.

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** May 19, 2009, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 9:00AM

**2008-081 Palmyra Medical Center (Dougherty)**

Develop Basic Perinatal Services

**Agency Decision:** Approved, 1/9/2009

**Appealed By:** Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, 2/6/2009 and Sumter Regional Hospital, 2/6/2009

**Hearing Officer:** Ellwood Oakley, III, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** July 13, 2009, 12:00PM, 34<sup>th</sup> Floor

**2008-123 Three Rivers Home Health Services-Treutlen (Candler)**

**2008-124 SJC Home Health Services (Liberty)**

Expansion of Home Health Care Agency SDDR 9

**Agency Decision:** 2008-123, Three Rivers Home Health Services, approved, 3/24/2009; SJC Home Health Services (2008-124), denied, 3/24/2009.

**Appealed By:** SJC Home Health Services (2008-124) filed an appeal of the denial of their own Application, as well as, the approval of Three Rivers Home Health Services (2008-123), 4/17/2009.

**Hearing Officer:** William C. Joy, Esq.

**Hearing Date:** TBA

## **Requests for LNR for Establishment of Physician-Owned Ambulatory Surgery Facilities**

### **LNR-ASC2008025 CPM Surgery Center 2**

Physician-Owned Pain Management Surgery Center

**Site:** 110 Evans Mill Drive, Suite 802, Dallas, Georgia 30157

**Number of OR's:** 1 **Specialty:** pain management

**Project costs as submitted:** \$480,499.07

**Request received:** 11/10/2008

**Contact Person:** Robin Betty 404-725-8786

**Determination:** Pending

### **LNR-ASC2008031 Woolfson Ambulatory Surgery Center**

Physician-Owned Single Specialty Amb Surg Center

**Site:** 800 Mt. Vernon Hwy, Suite 100, Sandy Springs, GA

**Number of OR's:** 2 **Specialty:** Ophthalmology

**Project costs as submitted:** \$864,704.14

**Request received:** 12/19/2008

**Contact Person:** Jeyaram & Associates 404-995-6792

**Determination:** Approved **Determination** 4/10/2009

### **LNR-ASC2009001 MUS of Georgia, Inc.**

Establishment of a Physician-Owned, Single Specialty

**Site:** 2950A Stone Hogan Connector, Atlanta, GA 30331

**Number of OR's:** 2 **Specialty:**

**Project costs as submitted:** \$55,478.74

**Request received:** 1/22/2009

**Contact Person:** Steven W. Greenberg 770-599-8888

**Determination:** Pending

### **LNR-ASC2009002 AP Surgery Center, LLC**

Physician Owned, Single Specialty Pain Management ASC

**Site:** 321 Interstate Parkway, Suite B, Augusta, GA 30309

**Number of OR's:** **Specialty:** Pain Management

**Project costs as submitted:** \$1,206,305.32

**Request received:** 1/30/2009

**Contact Person:** Robin Beatty 404-725-8786

**Determination:** Pending

### **LNR-ASC2009003 Interventional Spine and Pain Management Ambulatory Surgical**

Physician-owned Single Specialty

**Site:** 5303-B Adams Street, Covington, GA 30014

**Number of OR's:** **Specialty:**

**Project costs as submitted:** \$65,690.00

**Request received:** 3/19/2009

**Contact Person:** Crystal Blackwell 770-929-9033 Ext 15

**Determination:** Pending



**Request received:** 3/23/2009  
**Contact Person:** Trish Kinney 706-210-7529  
**Determination:** Pending

**LNR-EQT2009012 Piedmont mountainside Hospital, Inc.**  
CT Scanner and Bone Densitometer  
**Request received:** 3/26/2009  
**Contact Person:** Davis Dunbar 404-788-3638  
**Determination:** Pending

**LNR-EQT2009013 Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Inc.**  
Purchase a Fixed CT Scanner  
**Request received:** 3/30/2009  
**Contact Person:** Lori Jenkins 229-312-1432  
**Determination:** Pending

**LNR-EQT2009014 Open MRI of Brunswick, LLC**  
Purchase a Fixed MRI Siemens, Open Viva  
**Request received:** 3/31/2009  
**Contact Person:** Anthony K. Gordon, MD 770-451-4040  
**Determination:** Pending

**LNR-EQT2009015 Forsyth Street Orthopaedic Surgery & Rehabilitation Center, P.C.**  
Magnetic Resonance Imaging - Fixed  
**Request received:** 4/21/2009  
**Contact Person:** Melissa Zediker 478-743-3000  
**Determination:** Pending

**LNR-EQT2009016 Satilla Health Services, Inc. dba Satilla Regional Medical Center**  
CT Scanner - Fixed  
**Request received:** 4/22/2009  
**Contact Person:** Windell R. Smith, COO 912-287-2500  
**Determination:** Pending

## **Requests for Miscellaneous Letters of Determination**

**DET2008112 Southeast Georgia Health System**  
Renovation of Nursing Home  
**Request received:** 12/9/2008  
**Contact Person:** Marjorie Mathieu 912-466-7055  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009012 Henry Medical Center, Inc.**  
Henry Medical - Adult Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization  
**Request received:** 1/30/2009  
**Contact Person:** Charles F. Scott 678-604-1001  
**Determination:** Denied **Determination Date:** 4/23/2009

**DET2009013 The Medical Center, Inc.**  
Capital Expenditure For Replacement of Three Water Chillers  
**Request received:** 1/30/2009  
**Contact Person:** Donald E. Elder 706-660-6342  
**Determination:** Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 4/28/2009

**DET2009014 Piedmont Hospital, Inc.**  
Re-Classify Indigent Commitment; Combine Commitments  
**Request received:** 2/3/2009  
**Contact Person:** Davis Dunbar 404-609-6724  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009015 North Georgia Eye Clinic P.C.**  
Relocation of the 1016 Thompson Bridge Road Location

**Request received:** 2/5/2009  
**Contact Person:** Edward C. Luke, Jr. 770-951-8427  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009017 Wesley Woods of Newnan**  
CCRC Sheltered Nursing Home Bed Service Phase-In  
**Request received:** 2/6/2009  
**Contact Person:** Kenneth Weber 404-728-6232  
**Determination:** Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 4/24/2009

**DET2009018 St. George Village**  
CCRC Sheltered Nursing Home Bed Service Phase-In  
**Request received:** 2/6/2009  
**Contact Person:** Kenneth Weber 404-728-6232  
**Determination:** Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 4/28/2009

**DET2009019 CareSouth HHA Holdings, LLC**  
Free Services to Indigent & Charity Care Medicaid-Eligible Pt  
**Request received:** 2/10/2009  
**Contact Person:** John M. Southern, CFO 706-373-2413  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009020 North Atlanta Scan Associates, Inc.**  
Replacement of non-reviewable CT Scanner & Woodstock Location  
**Request received:** 2/10/2009  
**Contact Person:** Guy Messer 770-692-2371  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009021 Emory University d/b/a Emory University Hospital**  
Replacement of Cardiac Catheterization Lab #3  
**Request received:** 2/11/2009  
**Contact Person:** Toni Wimby 404-686-2450  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009022 Gwinnett Physicians Center, L.P.**  
Medical Office Building  
**Request received:** 2/12/2009  
**Contact Person:** Joe Young 678-282-0220  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009024 Valley Healthcare System, Inc.**  
Acquisition to rebuild a Community Health Center  
**Request received:** 2/13/2009  
**Contact Person:** Sarah Lang 706-987-8330  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009025 MCG Health, Inc.**  
Renovation of Nuclear Medicine Department & Associated Equip Upgrade  
**Request received:** 2/23/2009  
**Contact Person:** Don Snell, President and CEO 706-721-6569  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009027 The Physicians Pain & Rehabilitation Specialists of Georgia, P.C.**  
Addition of a surgeon to Pain Management Practice with an LNR  
**Request received:** 2/27/2009  
**Contact Person:** Robert Wildmon 404-816-3000 Ext 222  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009028 SunCrest Home Health of Georgia, Inc.**  
Transfer of Authorization to Serve County  
**Request received:** 3/2/2009  
**Contact Person:** Barbara L. Rasmussen 770-427-2056

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009029 Marsh's Edge, LLC**

Direct Admission to CCRC Skilled Nursing Facility at Marsh's Edge

**Request received:** 3/2/2009

**Contact Person:** Vickie Brian 912-291-2006

**Determination:** Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 4/28/2009

**DET2009030 GGNSC Tucker Briarwood LLC dba Golden Living Center Briarwood**

Relocation of 24 licensed SNF beds at Golden Center

**Request received:** 3/5/2009

**Contact Person:** Judith Rollins 770-938-5740

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009031 Piedmont Surgery Center I, L.P.**

Provision of Orthopaedic Procedures

**Request received:** 3/5/2009

**Contact Person:** Mikell Peed, Ph.D 478-405-2334

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009033 Atlanta Surgery Center, Ltd**

Proposed Reallocation of Operating Rooms

**Request received:** 3/17/2009

**Contact Person:** Nancy Qkula 404-303-9301

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009034 Coastal Harbor Treatment Center**

10% Increase in bed capacity from 132 to 142

**Request received:** 3/24/2009

**Contact Person:** Ray Heckerman 912-354-3911

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009035 Clary Care Center and Wilkinson Center**

Increase in Capacity

**Request received:** 3/27/2009

**Contact Person:** Hayley Knight 706-886-0328

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009036 Dorminy Medical Center**

Utilization of a Vacated Operating Room

**Request received:** 3/27/2009

**Contact Person:** Warren M. Manley 229-424-7130

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009037 MCG Health< Inc.**

Renovation of Pediatric Cancer Practice Site

**Request received:** 3/30/2009

**Contact Person:** Sheila O'Neal 706-721-7406

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009038 Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Inc.**

CT Unit Replacement

**Request received:** 3/30/2009

**Contact Person:** Lori Jenkins 229-312-1432

**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009039 Richmond County LTC, LLC and Health Scholarships, Inc.**

Reopening the physical premises

**Request received:** 4/3/2009

**Contact Person:** Ronnie D. Rollins 478-621-2040 ext 2206

**Determination:** Pending



**DET2009040 The Oaks Nursing Home, Inc.**  
Relocate 12 Nursing Home Beds  
**Request received:** 4/7/2009  
**Contact Person:** W. Jule Windham 478-967-2223  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009041 Floyd Healthcare Management, Inc.**  
New MOB  
**Request received:** 4/13/2009  
**Contact Person:** Matt Gorman 706-509-3257  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009042 Phoebe Sumter Medical Center**  
Lease of Sumter Regional Hospital East  
**Request received:** 4/15/2009  
**Contact Person:** Lori Jenkins 229-312-1432  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009043 Carnmore, LLC**  
Sharing of Diagnostic Facility  
**Request received:** 4/20/2009  
**Contact Person:** Randall O'Brien 912-287-1231  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009044 Medical College of Georgia**  
New School of Dentistry - Oral & Maxillofacial Operating Room  
**Request received:** 4/21/2009  
**Contact Person:** Michael Ash 706-721-1018  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009045 Tattnell Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a The Doctors Hospital of Tattnell**  
Parking Lot, Repair/Replacement of Physical Plant Equipment  
**Request received:** 4/23/2009  
**Contact Person:** Michael Kleinpeter 912-644-5370  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009046 Hamilton Medical Center, Inc.**  
Expansion of Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Lab  
**Request received:** 4/23/2009  
**Contact Person:** Corey Roy 706-272-6477  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009047 South Georgia Medical Center**  
Replacement of Linear Accelerator  
**Request received:** 4/28/2009  
**Contact Person:** Bill Forbes 229-259-4175  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009048 Skidaway Health and Living Services, Inc./ The Marshes of Skidaway, LLC**  
CCRC 15 Sheltered Nursing Home Bed Exemption  
**Request received:** 4/28/2009  
**Contact Person:** Peter Wright 404-760-3433  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009049 Park Springs, LLC**  
CCRC Sheltered Nursing Home Bed Exemption  
**Request received:** 4/29/2009  
**Contact Person:** Kevin W. Isakson 770-417-1789  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009050 MedCross Imaging, P.C.**  
Upgrade of Mobile MRI Unit

**Request received:** 4/29/2009  
**Contact Person:** Norman King 478-374-1366  
**Determination:** Pending

**DET2009051 Tenet HealthSystem GB, Inc. d/b/a Atlanta Medical Center**

Designation of Radiation Therapy Program as a DTRC

**Request received:** 4/30/2009

**Contact Person:** William Masteron 404-265-4301

**Determination:** Pending

## Requests for Extended Implementation/Effective Period

**2006075 The Specialty Hospital, Inc**

Construction of 45-Bed Freestanding Long Term Acute Care Hospital (LTAC)

Request to extend Implementation Period

**Site:** 420 East Second Avenue, Suite 103, Rome (Floyd)

**Project Approved:** 11/8/2006

**Request Received:** 4/6/2009

**Contact:** Mark Fall, CEO (706)-509-4152

**Approved Cost:** \$20,882,483

**Determination:** Approved, 4/17/2009

**Extended Implementation Period:** 1/15/2010

**2006007 Hillandale Oncology MOB**

Construction of Medical Office Building

Request to extend Effective Period

**Site:** Corner of DeKalb Medical Pkwy, Lithonia (DeKalb)

**Project Approved:** 4/12/2006

**Request Received:** 4/10/2009

**Contact:** Dale McCord, M.D. (770)-350-0126

**Approved Cost:** \$5,543,447

**Determination:** Approved, 4/17/2009

**Extended Effective Period:** 11/12/2009

**2007042 Newnan MRI, LLC d/b/a Newnan MRI**

Acquisition of a Fixed MRI

Request to extend Implementation Period

**Site:** 1565 Highway 34, Building B, Newnan (Coweta)

**Project Approved:** 7/27/2007

**Request Received:** 4/21/2009

**Contact:** Scott Arant, President (404)-296-5887

**Approved Cost:** \$1,319,250

**Determination:** Approved, 4/24/2009

**Extended Implementation Period:** 3/27/2010

**2006051 Preston Ridge Radiation Center, Inc d/b/a Northlake Cancer Treatment Center**

Relocation of Cancer Treatment Center

Request to extend Effective Period

**Site:** Corner of DeKalb Medical Pkwy, Lithonia (DeKalb)

**Project Approved:** 3/2/2007

**Request Received:** 4/22/2009

**Contact:** Lawrence J. Myers (404)-962-1040

**Approved Cost:** \$3,271,860

**Determination:** Approved, 4/24/2009

**Extended Effective Period:** 1/8/2010

**2006034 Henry Medical Center**

Establish Radiation Therapy Service/Purchase Medical Equipment

Request to extend Implementation Period

**Site:** 1133 Eagle's Landing Parkway, Stockbridge (Henry)

**Project Approved:** 6/5/2008

**Request Received:** 4/29/2009

**Contact:** Lee Echols, COO (770)-389-2240

**Approved Cost:** \$9,282,540

**Determination:** Pending

**2007037 Columbus Specialty Hospital Inc. / The Medical Center**

Short Stay Beds Transferred to LTAC Beds Hospital Within a Hospital

Request to extend Effective Period

**Site:** 710 Center Street, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbus (Muscojee)

**Project Approved:** 7/16/2007

**Request Received:** 4/28/2009

**Contact:** Gregory Thomsen, CEO (706)-321-6709

**Approved Cost:** \$4,896,000

**Determination:** Pending

## **Need Projection Analyses *Updated 04/1/2009***

### **Current Status of Official Division of Health Planning Need Projection Analyses and Other Data Resources**

[Need Projections and Maps for CON Regulated Services](#)

2013 Non-Special MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy - 12/22/2008

2013 Positron Emission Tomography Services - 12/22/2008

2013 Ambulatory Surgery Center Services - 3/19/2009

2011 Home Health Agency Services - 3/19/2009

2013 Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation Services - 3/20/2009

2013 Neonatal Intensive Care Beds - 3/20/2009

2013 Neonatal Intermediate Care Beds - 3/20/2009

2013 Obstetric Services Beds - 3/20/2009

2011 Skilled Nursing Home Beds - 3/10/2009

#### Non-Batched Need Projections

2014 Cardiac Catheterization Labs - Updated 4/1/2009

2014 Long Term Care Hospital Beds - 4/1/2009

2014 Short Stay Hospital Beds – Facility-specific projections on an ad hoc basis using 2006 utilization

## **Non-Filed or Incomplete Division of Health Planning**

### **Facility Surveys for Most Recent 3 Years** *(Survey Status as of May 5, 2009)*

*Survey Completion Status - Survey completion status represents the status of survey filings as of the effective date indicated in each version of the Tracking Report. Surveys filed on the effective date may not be reflected as complete and may be reported as delinquent. Please contact the staff contact indicated in the instruction materials associated with each survey if your facility has filed its survey but continues to be reflected as incomplete.*

<b>Facility Name</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Survey Year</b>	<b>Survey Due</b>
<b>Annual Hospital Questionnaire and Addenda (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)</b>			
Charlton Memorial Hospital	Charlton	2006	2/29/2008
Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Hughes Spalding	Fulton	2007	3/13/2009
Devereux Georgia Treatment Network	Cobb	2007	3/13/2009

Fannin Regional Hospital	Fannin	2007	3/13/2009
Flint River Community Hospital	Macon	2006	2/29/2008
Georgia Center for Youth	Taylor	2005	9/29/2006
Georgia Regional Hospital @ Savannah	Chatham	2006	2/29/2008
Georgia Regional Hospital @ Savannah	Chatham	2007	3/13/2009
Hillside Hospital	Fulton	2006	2/29/2008
Kindred Hospital-Atlanta	Fulton	2006	2/29/2008
Kindred Hospital-Atlanta	Fulton	2007	3/13/2009
Liberty Regional Medical Center	Liberty	2007	3/13/2009
Lower Oconee Community Hospital Inc.	Wheeler	2006	2/29/2008
Medical Center of Central Georgia	Bibb	2007	3/13/2009
Mountain Lakes Medical Center	Rabun	2006	2/29/2008
Mountain Lakes Medical Center	Rabun	2007	3/13/2009
Northeast Georgia Medical Center	Hall	2007	3/13/2009
Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital	Dougherty	2007	3/13/2009
Rabun County Memorial Hospital	Rabun	2005	9/29/2006
Select Specialty Hospital of Augusta	Richmond	2006	2/29/2008
Southwest Hospital And Medical Center	Fulton	2005	9/29/2006
Stewart Webster Hospital	Stewart	2006	2/29/2008
Stewart Webster Hospital	Stewart	2007	3/13/2009
Sumter Regional Hospital East	Sumter	2007	3/13/2009
Sumter Regional Hospital, Inc.	Sumter	2006	2/29/2008
Taylor Telfair Regional Hospital	Telfair	2007	3/13/2009
The Bradley Center of St. Francis	Muscogee	2005	9/29/2006
Wayne Memorial Hospital	Wayne	2007	3/13/2009
Wheeler County Hospital	Wheeler	2005	9/29/2006

**Annual Nursing Home Questionnaire (Survey Years 2006 thru 2008)**

Buckhead Health & Rehabilitation	Fulton	2007	8/15/2007
Forum Group at Moran Lake Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, LLC	Floyd	2007	8/15/2007
Forum Group at Mount Berry Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, LLC	Floyd	2007	8/15/2007
Forum Group at Wildwood Park Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, LLC	Glynn	2007	8/15/2007
Magnolia Manor of Columbus Nursing Center - East	Muscogee	2008	10/31/2008
Magnolia Manor of Columbus Nursing Center - West	Muscogee	2008	10/31/2008
Meadowbrook Health Care	DeKalb	2008	10/31/2008
Place at Martinez	Richmond	2008	10/31/2008

**Cardiac Catheterization Services Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)**

Colquitt Regional Medical Center	Colquitt	2005	6/9/2006
Sumter Regional Hospital, Inc.	Sumter	2006	4/13/2007

**Freestanding Ambulatory Surgery Services Survey ( Survey Years 2005 thru 2008)**

Affinity Outpatient Service	Tift	2007	10/3/2008
Atlanta Center for Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery	Fulton	2005	7/28/2006
Atlanta Center for Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
Atlanta Eye Surgery Center	Fulton	2005	7/28/2006
Atlanta Eye Surgery Center	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
Atlanta Eye Surgery Center at Omni West	Fulton	2007	10/3/2008
Atlanta Surgicenter	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
Atlanta Women's Medical Center	Fulton	2005	7/28/2006
Atlanta Women's Medical Center	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
Atlanta Women's Medical Center	Fulton	2007	10/3/2008
Columbus Women's Health Organization, Inc.	Muscogee	2005	7/28/2006
Columbus Women's Health Organization, Inc.	Muscogee	2006	4/13/2007

Columbus Women's Health Organization, Inc.	Muscogee	2007	10/3/2008
North Atlanta Endoscopy Center	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
North Atlanta Orthopaedic Surgery Center, LLC	Fulton	2006	4/13/2007
Northside Women's Clinic	DeKalb	2005	7/28/2006
Northwoods Surgery Center, LLC	Forsyth	2006	4/13/2007
Novamed Eye Services of Columbus	Muscogee	2005	7/28/2006
Premier Surgery Center	Glynn	2005	7/28/2006
Premier Surgery Center	Glynn	2006	4/13/2007
Savannah Medical Clinic	Chatham	2005	7/28/2006
Savannah Medical Clinic	Chatham	2006	4/13/2007
Savannah Outpatient Foot and Ankle Surgery Center, LLC	Chatham	2005	7/28/2006
Savannah Outpatient Foot and Ankle Surgery Center, LLC	Chatham	2006	4/13/2007
Savannah Outpatient Foot and Ankle Surgery Center, LLC	Chatham	2007	10/3/2008
Savannah Plastic Surgicenter, Inc.	Chatham	2006	4/13/2007
Surgical Centers of Georgia	Bibb	2006	4/13/2007
Surgical Centers of Georgia	Bibb	2007	10/3/2008

### Home Health Agency Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Appalachian Home Health Care	Union	2005	7/7/2006
Appalachian Home Health Care	Union	2006	4/13/2007
Appalachian Home Health Care	Union	2007	10/10/2008
Gordon Home Care	Gordon	2006	4/13/2007
Southside Healthcare Home Health	DeKalb	2006	4/13/2007

### Hospital Financial Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Bacon County Hospital	Bacon	2007	3/27/2009
Charlton Memorial Hospital	Charlton	2006	3/14/2008
Elbert Memorial Hospital	Elbert	2007	3/27/2009
Fannin Regional Hospital	Fannin	2007	3/27/2009
Flint River Community Hospital	Macon	2006	3/14/2008
Hillside Hospital	Fulton	2007	3/27/2009
Hutcheson Medical Center	Catoosa	2006	3/14/2008
Jasper Memorial Hospital	Jasper	2007	3/27/2009
Kindred Hospital-Atlanta	Fulton	2006	3/14/2008
Kindred Hospital-Atlanta	Fulton	2007	3/27/2009
Landmark Hospital of Athens	Clarke	2007	3/27/2009
Liberty Regional Medical Center	Liberty	2006	3/14/2008
Macon Behavioral Health System	Bibb	2007	3/27/2009
Medical Center	Muscogee	2007	3/27/2009
Minnie G. Boswell Memorial Hospital	Greene	2006	3/14/2008
Minnie G. Boswell Memorial Hospital	Greene	2007	3/27/2009
Mountain Lakes Medical Center	Rabun	2005	10/27/2006
Mountain Lakes Medical Center	Rabun	2007	3/27/2009
Riverwoods Southern Regional Psychiatric Center	Clayton	2007	3/27/2009
Stewart Webster Hospital	Stewart	2007	3/27/2009
Taylor Telfair Regional Hospital	Telfair	2006	3/14/2008
Taylor Telfair Regional Hospital	Telfair	2007	3/27/2009
Trinity Hospital of Augusta	Richmond	2006	3/14/2008
Wayne Memorial Hospital	Wayne	2007	3/27/2009
Wesley Woods Geriatric Hospital	DeKalb	2007	3/27/2009
Wildwood Lifestyle Center & Hospital	Dade	2006	3/14/2008
Willingway Hospital	Bulloch	2006	3/14/2008

### Open Heart Surgery Services Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Saint Francis Hospital	Muscogee	2007	10/3/2008
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### Personal Care Home Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Atria Retirement & Assisted Living, Stone Mountain	Gwinnett	2005	9/16/2005
Atria West Cobb	Cobb	2005	9/16/2005
Atria Woodstock	Cherokee	2005	9/16/2005
Autumn Village PCH	Butts	2007	8/15/2007
Campbell-Stone Personal Care Home	Fulton	2007	8/15/2007
Country Gardens Assisted Living PCH	Fulton	2005	9/16/2005
Country Gardens Assisted Living PCH	Fulton	2006	9/15/2006
Country Gardens Assisted Living PCH	Fulton	2007	8/15/2007
Country Gardens Senior Living	Gwinnett	2006	9/15/2006
Epoch Assisted Living of Roswell	Fulton	2005	9/16/2005
Reflections PCH	Cobb	2005	9/16/2005
Robertville Manor	Bartow	2005	9/16/2005
Shadow Moss Plantation	Chatham	2006	9/15/2006
Shadow Moss Plantation	Chatham	2007	8/15/2007
Summer's Landing	Coffee	2007	8/15/2007
White Oaks at Lanier PCH	Forsyth	2005	9/16/2005
White Oaks at Lanier PCH	Forsyth	2006	9/15/2006
White Oaks at Lanier PCH	Forsyth	2007	8/15/2007

### Positron Emission Tomography Services Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Battlefield Imaging Center	Catoosa	2007	1/16/2009
Emory Clinic, The (and Winship Cancer Institute)	DeKalb	2007	1/16/2009
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Emory University Hospital	DeKalb	2007	1/16/2009
Georgia Institute for Lung Cancer Research, Inc. (GILCR)	Fulton	2007	1/16/2009
Northeast Georgia Medical Center	Hall	2007	1/16/2009
P.E.T. Scans of America Corporation (Year 2000 Unit)	Fulton	2007	1/16/2009
P.E.T. Scans of America Corporation (Year 2001 Unit)	Fulton	2007	1/16/2009
WellStar Kennestone Hospital	Cobb	2007	1/16/2009

### Radiation Therapy Services Survey (Survey Years 2005 thru 2007)

Central Georgia Radiation Oncology Center - Bibb	Bibb	2007	1/16/2009
Central Georgia Radiation Oncology Center - Houston	Houston	2007	1/16/2009
Cherokee Regional Cancer Treatment Center	Cherokee	2005	7/21/2006
Emory Clinic, The (and Winship Cancer Institute)	DeKalb	2007	1/16/2009
Emory Crawford Long Hospital	Fulton	2007	1/16/2009
Radiation Oncology Center at Howell Mill	Fulton	2007	1/16/2009

## Indigent/Charity Shortfalls –

### Facilities with Indigent and Charity Care Commitment Shortfalls for Most Recent 3 Years

(Commitment status as of 5/5/2009)

*Indigent and Charity Care Shortfalls – Compliance with indigent and charity care commitments is evaluated on the effective date indicated in each version of the Tracking Report. Adjustments paid to offset shortfalls that are received on or near the effective date may not have had time to be processed by DCH when the Tracking Report is published.*

Facility Name	County	Year	Shortfall Due	Service
Healthsouth Gainesville Surgery Center	Hall	2006	10,775.39	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Surgery Center, LLC, The	Muscogee	2007	62,798.60	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Amedisys d/b/a Tugaloo Home Health Agency	Franklin	2006	24,786.58	Home Health Agency
Caresouth Homecare Professionals	Hall	2007	123,172.12	Home Health Agency
Chattahoochee Valley Home Health,	Muscogee	2006	70,792.71	Home Health Agency
Chattahoochee Valley Home Health,	Muscogee	2007	13,329.80	Home Health Agency
CSRA Home Health- Columbia, Inc.	McDuffie	2007	31,195.10	Home Health Agency
Englewood Health Systems, Arlington	Calhoun	2007	185.36	Home Health Agency
Gentiva Health Services - Atlanta	Fulton	2006	151,932.04	Home Health Agency

Gentiva Health Services - Atlanta	Fulton	2007	125,615.85	Home Health Agency
Gentiva Health Services - Savannah	Chatham	2007	32,141.02	Home Health Agency
Georgia Home Health Services, Valdosta	Lowndes	2005	88,633.28	Home Health Agency
Georgia Home Health Services, Valdosta	Lowndes	2006	98,303.88	Home Health Agency
Georgia Home Health Services, Valdosta	Lowndes	2007	3,087.28	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Clarke	2005	30,262.52	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Clarke	2006	67,275.28	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Oconee	2007	80,394.12	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia	Hall	2005	22,608.78	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia	Hall	2006	43,747.37	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia	Hall	2007	68,748.96	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2005	134,445.58	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2006	118,369.89	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2007	184,196.33	Home Health Agency
Healthfield Home Health of Atlanta	DeKalb	2006	47,354.47	Home Health Agency
Healthfield Home Health of Atlanta	DeKalb	2007	36,359.62	Home Health Agency
Healthfield Home Health of Griffin	Spalding	2006	23,443.09	Home Health Agency
Healthfield Home Health of Griffin	Spalding	2007	11,170.79	Home Health Agency
Healthfield Home Health, Inc.	Fulton	2007	252,058.52	Home Health Agency
Muscogee Home Health Agency	Muscogee	2007	1,760.14	Home Health Agency
Ogeechee Home Health	Bulloch	2007	37,826.03	Home Health Agency
Southside Healthcare Home Health	DeKalb	2007	4,552.32	Home Health Agency
Ultra Care of Georgia	Muscogee	2007	27,315.39	Home Health Agency
United Home Care of Atlanta	Gwinnett	2007	130,570.64	Home Health Agency
United Home Care of North Georgia	White	2007	95,509.70	Home Health Agency
Focus By the Sea	Glynn	2005	165,714.36	Hospital
Focus By the Sea	Glynn	2006	30,995.33	Hospital
Rockdale Medical Center	Rockdale	2007	601,580.41	Hospital
South Fulton Medical Center	Fulton	2007	9,468,786.48	Hospital
DeKalb Medical Center	DeKalb	2007	76,744.00	PET Services

# **NEW CERTIFICATE OF NEED FILING REQUIREMENTS**

## **Notices of Intent**

Effective July 1, 2008, O.C.G.A. 31-6-40(b) provides that:

*Any person proposing to develop or offer a new institutional health service or health care facility shall, before commencing such activity, submit a letter of intent and an application to the department and obtain a certificate of need in the manner provided in this chapter unless such activity is excluded from the scope of this chapter.*

O.C.G.A. 31-6-43(a) further provides that:

*At least 30 days prior to submitting an application for a certificate of need for clinical health services, a person shall submit a letter of intent to the department. The department shall provide by rule a process for submitting letters of intent and a mechanism by which applications may be filed to compete with and be reviewed comparatively with proposals described in submitted letters of intent.*

All parties interested in applying for a certificate of need for new institutional health services **MUST NOW NOTIFY THE DEPARTMENT 30 DAYS PRIOR TO FILING AN APPLICATION** of their intent to do so. This notice must be in writing and must contain the following information:

- Name and address of legal applicant;
- Person to whom inquiries may be addressed;
- Name, address of facility, if different from legal applicant;
- Proposed Project Site Location;
- Brief summary description of proposal;
- Proposed service area; and,
- Cost of the project.

The Department will not accept any notices of intent submitted by either telephone, facsimile or e-mail pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-.06(5).

**Note:** The Department will begin implementing the Letter of Intent requirement on July 15, 2008. Beginning with that date, no CON application will be accepted without a previously filed Letter of Intent. The CON application must be submitted no later than 30 days after the Letter of Intent has been received by the Department.

## **BATCHING REQUIREMENTS**

The Department will be promulgating rules for services that will now be batched pursuant to O.C.G.A. 31-6-43(e) which states:

*To allow the opportunity for comparative review of applications, the department may provide by rule for applications for a certificate of need to be submitted on a timetable or batching cycle basis no less often than two times per calendar year for each clinical health service. Applications for services, facilities, or expenditures for which there is no specified batching cycle may be filed at any time.*

The requirements for Notices of Intent associated with designated Batching Cycles will be issued at the time of publication of the Batching Notice.



# New Batching Review

The Department will be transitioning many of the reviewable CON services into quarterly Batching Cycles. These services and the Batching Cycles are as follows:

	<b>Batched Service</b>	<b>Batching Notice</b>	<b>Letter of Intent</b>	<b>Application Deadline</b>
<b>FALL</b>	Home Health, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Intermediate Care Facilities, Perinatal Service, Inpatient Rehabilitation, Ambulatory Surgery	September	October	November
<b>WINTER</b>	PET, Mega Voltage Radiation Therapy, Pediatric Cath/Open Heart, Adult Open Heart, Psych/Substance Abuse, Birthing Centers	December	January	February
<b>SPRING</b>	Home Health, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Intermediate Care Facilities, Perinatal Service, Inpatient Rehabilitation, Ambulatory Surgery	March	April	May
<b>SUMMER</b>	PET, Mega Voltage Radiation Therapy, Pediatric Cath/Open Heart, Adult Open Heart, Psych/Substance Abuse, Birthing Centers	June	July	August

Letters of Intent for services, facilities, or expenditures for which there is no specified batching cycle, or other applicable rule, may be filed at any time.

## Batching Notifications – *Posted 3/25/2009 on DCH Website*

### Spring Batching - Review Cycle Notifications

[Ambulatory Surgery](#)

[Neonatal Intermediate Services](#)

[Home Health Agencies](#)

[Neonatal Intensive Care Services](#)

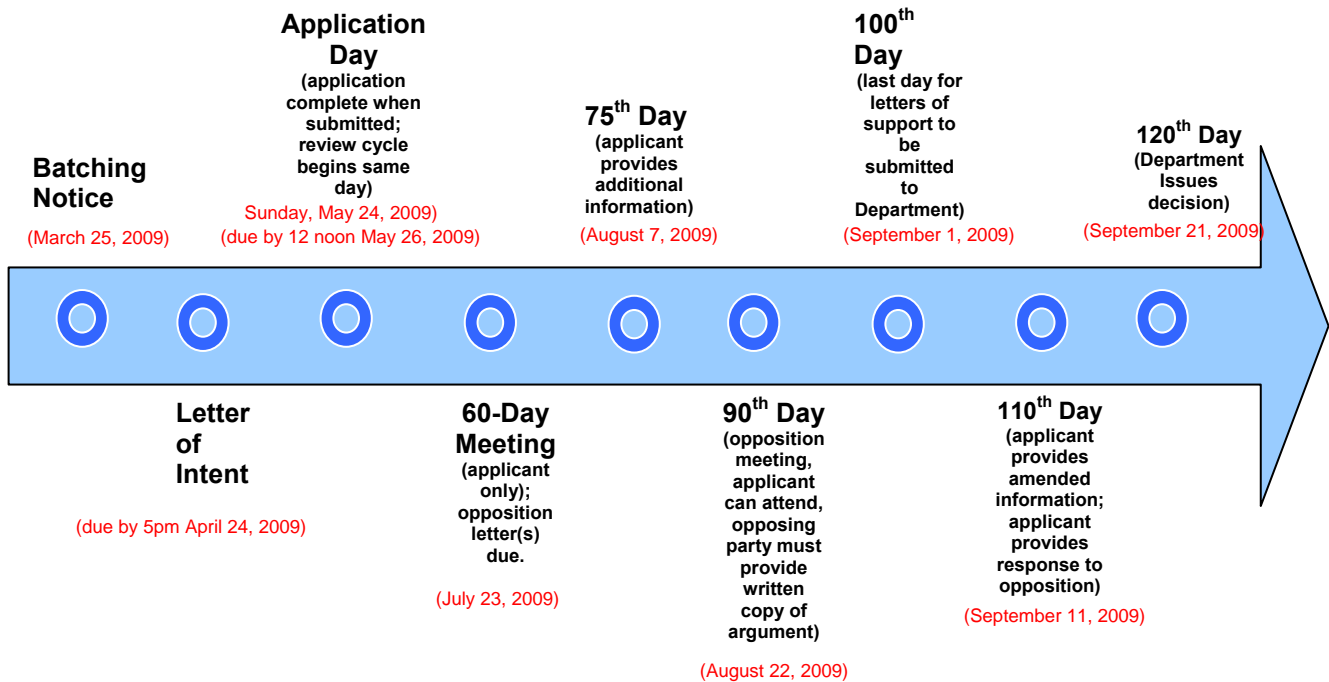
[Obstetrical Services](#)

[Comprehensive Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation Services](#)

[Skilled Nursing Facilities/Intermediate Care Facilities](#)

# BATCHED APPLICATIONS: SEQUENCE OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION REVIEW ACTIVITIES

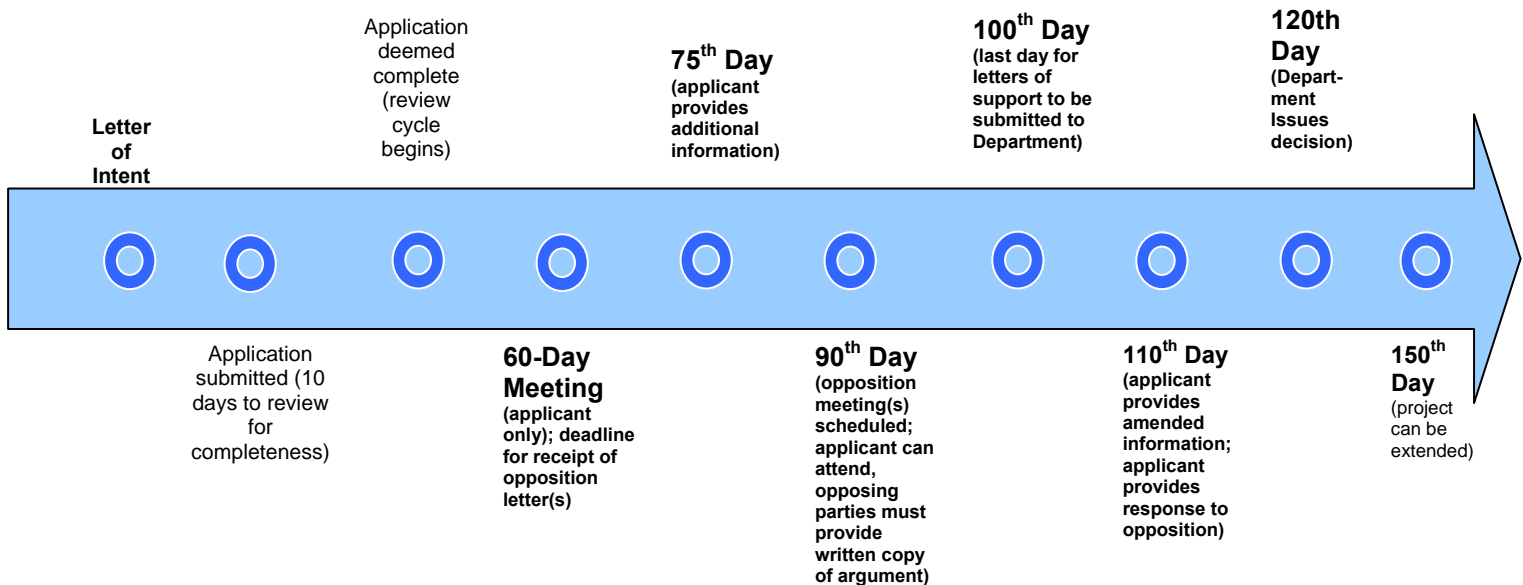
## Spring CYCLE



### ► Batching Notice issued 30 days before Letter of Intent Due

- Letter of Intent received by Department 30 days before application is submitted
- Applications submitted; deemed complete; review cycle begins
- 60-Day meeting (applicant only); deadline for receipt of opposition letter(s)
- 75<sup>th</sup> day – applicant provides additional information
- 90<sup>th</sup> day – Opposition Meeting(s) scheduled; applicant can be in attendance; opposing parties must provide written statement of opposition arguments presented (original and one copy to the Department and one copy to the applicant); presentation time will be limited; Department reserves right to make additional inquiries subsequent to 60-day meeting and following opposition meeting.
- 100<sup>th</sup> day Last day for letters of support to be submitted to the Department
- 110<sup>th</sup> day Applicant deadline for submitting amended information; applicant deadline for providing written response to opposition due to Department; applicant deadline for providing written response to Department’s inquiries subsequent to opposition meeting
- 120<sup>th</sup> day Decision issued (No discretion to extend)

**NON-BATCHED APPLICATIONS: SEQUENCE OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION REVIEW ACTIVITIES**



- ▶ Letter of Intent received by Department 30 days before application is submitted
- ▶ Application submitted (10 working days to review for completeness)
- ▶ Application deemed complete; 120-day review cycle begins
- ▶ 60-day meeting (applicant only); deadline for receipt of opposition letter(s)
- ▶ 75th day applicant provides additional information
- ▶ 90<sup>th</sup> day – Opposition Meeting(s) scheduled; applicant can be in attendance; opposing parties must provide written statement of opposition arguments presented (original and one copy to the Department and one copy to the applicant); presentation time will be limited; Department reserves right to make additional inquiries subsequent to 60-day meeting and following opposition meeting.
- ▶ 100<sup>th</sup> day Last day for letters of support to be submitted to the Department
- ▶ 110<sup>th</sup> day Applicant deadline for submitting amended information; applicant deadline for providing written response to opposition; applicant deadline for providing written response to Department’s inquiries subsequent to opposition meeting
- ▶ 120<sup>th</sup> day Decision issued (Department has discretion to extend to 150<sup>th</sup> day)

## NEW REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Beginning July 1, 2008, all facilities operating under a previously granted exemption or letter of nonreviewability as provided at O.C.G.A. 31-6-40(c)(2)(A) will be required to:

Provide notice to the department by August 15, 2008, of the following:

Name  
Ownership  
Location  
Single Specialty  
Services provided in the exempt facility

For purposes of complying with this requirement, notice may be sent through the mail, by facsimile, or e-mail. Information will not be accepted by telephone. Please submit this information to:

Georgia Department of Community Health  
Division of Health Planning  
c/o Marsha Hopkins, Executive Director  
2 Peachtree Street, NW – 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Fax Number: 404-656-0654  
E-mail address: [mhopkins@dch.ga.gov](mailto:mhopkins@dch.ga.gov)

These facilities will also be required to provide annual reports beginning on January 1, 2009, in accordance with the Department's annual reporting requirements for existing CON-approved facilities and services. Further reporting instructions will be provided by the Department.

Noncompliance with this information request may result in a fine as authorized under O.C.G.A. 31-6-70(e)(1).

These reports will not be due to the Department until the survey instrument has been issued. It is the Department's intention to issue the Ambulatory Surgery Services Survey on or before April 30, 2009. The survey instrument for imaging centers is expected to be released on or before July 1, 2009.

### LETTERS OF DETERMINATION

The Department will require that a determination request be submitted for any proposed activity that may be exempt under O.C.G.A. 31-6. Such requests will be accepted only on the Department's Determination Request form with the required filing fee of \$250. Note: Requests for confirmation of the exemptions for a single specialty ambulatory surgical center or a joint venture ambulatory surgical center and equipment below the threshold are considered requests for a Letter of Nonreviewability and require a \$500 filing fee.

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### **Recent Legislation - Senate Bill 433**

[Senate Bill 433 as passed April 4, 2008](#)

The Department responses to various questions regarding SB433 are posted on the website for general reference.

[Senate Bill 433 Determination Letters](#)

### ***Opposition Form Now Available***

[Opposition Form](#)