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Certificate of Need Batching Review Cycle Notification for Home Health Agencies September 23, 2011

This notice is issued in compliance with Rule 111-2-2-.08(1) of the Batching Review Process and in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 31-6-40.1(b).

The Department of Community Health, Division of Health Planning, will not accept or review Certificate-of-Need applications for new or expanded Home Health Services for certain counties in one or more State Service Delivery Regions (SSDR), during the current batching review cycle. This determination has been made in accordance with the need methodology stipulated in Rule 111-2-2-.32(3)(a) and (b).

The Department of Community Health, Division of Health Planning, is not soliciting and **will not** accept applications for new or expanded Home Health Services filed pursuant to the need exception outlined in Rule 111-2-2-.32(3)(c).

The Division's next assessment of need for new or expanded Home Health Services and any exceptions will occur no later than **March 23, 2012.**

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