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IMPORTANT NOTICES

Letters of Intent

LOI2022045 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Cumming

Acquisition of Second CT Scanner

Received: 9/6/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/6/2022 Site: 1050 Haw Creek Parkway, Suite 100, Cumming, GA 30041 (Forsyth County)

Estimated Cost: \$600,000

LOI2022046 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Fayetteville

Acquisition of Second MRI Scanner

Received: 9/6/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/6/2022 Site: 1240 Highway 54 West, Building 400, Suit, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)

Estimated Cost: \$1,600,000

LOI2022047 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Lawrenceville

Acquisition of Second CT Scanner

Received: 9/6/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/6/2022

Site: 481 West Pike Street, Lawrenceville, GA 30046 (Gwinnett County)

Estimated Cost: \$600,000

LOI2022048 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Addition of 115 Short Stay Inpatient Beds

Received: 9/16/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/17/2022

Site: 450 Northside Cherokee Boulevard, Canton, GA 30115 (Cherokee County)

Estimated Cost: \$0

LOI2022049 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center – South Hall

Campus

Expand Surgery and Patient Staff Support Space at NGMC-South Hall Campus

Received: 9/22/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/24/2022

Site: 1400 River Place, Braselton, GA 30517 (Hall County)

Estimated Cost: \$100,000,000

LOI2022050 Surgery Center of Columbia County, LLC

Facility Relocation

Received: 9/21/2022 Application must be submitted on: 10/21/2022

Site: 4300 University Parkway, Evans, GA 30809 (Columbia County)

Estimated Cost: \$25,000,000

Letters of Intent - Batching

none

Expired Letters of Intent

none

Withdrawn CON Applications

none

New CON Applications

none

Pending Review/Incomplete Applications

2022-049 The Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown

Renovation and Relocation of Pediatric Beds

Filed: 9/19/2022 Deemed Incomplete: 10/3/2022

Site: 616 19th Street, Columbus, GA 31901 (Muscogee County) **Contact:** Allen Holladay, Chief Financial Officer 706-660-6194

Estimated Cost: \$28,565,625

Pending Review/Complete Applications

2022-031 Emory University d/b/a Emory University Hospital

Expand and Upgrade Facilities for Cardiothoracic and Vascular Service

Filed: 5/31/2022 Deemed Complete: 6/14/2022

60th Day Deadline: 8/12/2022 Decision Deadline: 10/11/2022

Site: 1364 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30322 (DeKalb County)

Contact: Catherine A. Maloney, FACHE, VP of Operations 404-712-5529

Estimated Cost: \$86,608,664

2022-033 DeKalb Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Emory Decatur Hospital

Renovate Behavioral Health Services Building

Filed: 6/3/2022 Deemed Incomplete: 6/16/2022 Deemed Complete: 6/21/2022

60th Day Deadline: 8/19/2022 Decision Deadline: 10/18/2022

Site: 2701 North Decatur Road, Decatur, GA 30033 (DeKalb County)

Contact: Jennifer Schuck, Interim CEO 404-501-4822

Estimated Cost: \$18,300,000

2022-034 Shepherd Center, Inc. d/b/a Shepherd Center

Construction of Outpatient Services Building
Filed: 6/17/2022 Deemed Complete: 7/1/2022

60th Day Deadline: 8/29/2022 Decision Deadline: 10/28/2022

Site: 2060 Peachtree Road, NW, Atlanta, GA 30309 (Fulton County) **Contact:** Jamie Shepherd, President and COO 404-367-1237

Estimated Cost: \$195,000,000

2022-035 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center – South Hall Campus

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Expansion and Addition of 150 Inpatient Acute Care Beds at NGMC-South Hall Campus

Filed: 6/24/2022 Deemed Complete: 7/8/2022

60th Day Deadline: 9/5/2022 Decision Deadline: 11/4/2022

Site: 1400 River Place, Braselton, GA 30517 (Hall County) **Contact:** Linda Berger, Director of Planning 770-219-6631

Estimated Cost: \$480,696,000

2022-038 Pro Radiology, LLCReplacement of CT Scanner

Filed: 7/22/2022 Deemed Complete: 8/3/2022

60th Day Deadline: 10/1/2022 Decision Deadline: 11/30/2022

Site: 60 Peachtree Park Drive, NE, Suite 100, Atlanta, GA 30309 (Fulton County)

Contact: Darr McKeown, MD, Sole Member 404-606-5887

Estimated Cost: \$496,000

2022-039 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Hospital Expansion Including Addition of 146 Short Stay Patient Beds

Filed: 7/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 8/10/2022

60th Day Deadline: 10/8/2022 Decision Deadline: 12/7/2022

Site: 1000 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville, GA 30046 (Gwinnett County)

Contact: Brian J. Toporek, Senior Planner 404-851-6821

Estimated Cost: \$449,788,209

2022-040 Affabilis II LLC d/b/a South Georgia Specialty Hospital

Establishment of Long Term Acute Care Hospital at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital - North Campus

Filed: 8/1/2022 Deemed Complete: 8/12/2022

60th Day Deadline: 10/10/2022 Decision Deadline: 12/9/2022

Site: 2000 Palmyra Road, 3rd Floor, Albany, GA 31701 (Dougherty County)

Contact: Stuart Oertli, Chief Operating Offier 281-300-3574

Estimated Cost: \$1,486,654

2022-042 Emory University d/b/a Emory University Hospital Midtown

Relocation of Hospital-Based Imaging Center

Filed: 8/12/2022 Deemed Incomplete: 8/26/2022 Deemed Complete: 9/15/2022

60th Day Deadline: 11/13/2022 Decision Deadline: 1/12/2023

Site: 3618 SR-138 W, Stockbridge, GA 30281 (Henry County)

Contact: Michael W. Barber, Director, Imaging Services 404-778-6280

Estimated Cost: \$5,999,802

2022-043 Heart and Vascular Care, Inc.

Acquisition of Fixed-Based Cardiac PET System Filed: 8/15/2022 Deemed Complete: 8/29/2022

60th Day Deadline: 10/27/2022 Decision Deadline: 12/26/2022

Site: 290 Heritage Walk, Suite B, Woodstock, GA 30188 (Cherokee County)

Contact: Rodney Roeser, CEO 704-575-2494

Estimated Cost: \$313,385

2022-045 Savannah Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health University Medical

Center

Acquisition of MRI Unit and Replacement of CT Scanner

Filed: 8/19/2022 Deemed Complete: 9/1/2022 60th Day Deadline: 10/30/2022

Decision Deadline: 10/30/2022

Site: 4700 Waters Avenue, Savannah, GA 31404 (Chatham County)

Contact: Laura Dow, Chief Financial Officer 912-350-9480

Estimated Cost: \$5,642,854

2022-046 Medlink Georgia, Inc.

Purchase and Operation of MRI and CT Scanner

Filed: 8/22/2022 Deemed Incomplete: 9/2/2022 Deemed Complete: 9/15/2022

60th Day Deadline: 11/13/2022 Decision Deadline: 1/12/2023

Site: 137 West Athens Street, Winder, GA 30680 (Barrow County) **Contact:** Arthur K. Gorman, Director of Imaging Services 706-338-5000

Estimated Cost: \$1,538,507

2022-047 The Hospital Authority of Valdosta and Lowndes County, Georgia d/b/a

South Georgia Medical Center

Construction of Women's & Children's Center and Emergency Department

Filed: 8/25/2022 Deemed Complete: 9/7/2022

60th Day Deadline: 11/5/2022 Decision Deadline: 1/4/2023

Site: 2501 North Patterson Street, Valdosta, GA 31602 (Lowndes County)

Contact: Ronald E. Dean, President and CEO 229-259-4102

Estimated Cost: \$148,164,755

2022-048 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta

Acquisition of Three da Vinci Robotic Surgery Systems Filed: 9/19/2022 Deemed Complete: 10/3/2022

60th Day Deadline: 12/1/2022 Decision Deadline: 1/30/2023

Site: 1000 Johnson Ferry Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30342 (Fulton County)

Contact: Brian J. Toporek, Senior Planner 404-851-6821

Estimated Cost: \$7,649,000

Recently Approved Applications

2022-022 Peachtree Home Health, LLC d/b/a BridgeWay Home Health

Expand Home Health Service - Batching

Filed: 5/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 5/27/2022

60th Day Deadline: 7/25/2022 Decision Deadline: 9/23/2022 APPROVED: 9/23/2022

Site: 2135 Eastview Parkway, Suite 800, Conyers, GA 30013 (Rockdale County)

Contact: James Happ, President/CEO 615-365-4424

Estimated Cost: \$10,000

2022-026 Piedmont Healthcare Encompass Health Rehabilitation Hospital of

Athens, LLC

Establish Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation Service - Batching

Filed: 5/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 5/27/2022

60th Day Deadline: 7/25/2022 Decision Deadline: 9/23/2022

APPROVED: 9/23/2022

Site: 1080 Norris Drive, Bogart, GA 30622 (Oconee County)

Contact: Christine Macewen, Executive Director, Corporate D 404-931-1483

Estimated Cost: \$50,128,601

Recently Denied Applications

2022-018 Royal Care Service, LLC

Establish Home Health Agency - Batching

Filed: 5/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 5/27/2022

60th Day Deadline: 7/25/2022 Decision Deadline: 9/23/2022

DENIED: 9/23/2022

Site: 1607 Barrington View, Stone Mountain, GA 30087 (DeKalb County)

Contact: Joy Moseri-Cooper, CEO 404-702-9821

Estimated Cost: \$4,650

2022-024 Five Points Healthcare of GA, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Home Health

Expansion of Home Health Agency (Fulton, Cherokee Counties) - Batching

Filed: 5/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 5/27/2022

60th Day Deadline: 7/25/2022 Decision Deadline: 9/23/2022

DENIED: 9/23/2022

Site: 2400 Lake Park Drive, Suite 160, Smyrna, GA 30080 (Cobb County) **Contact:** Rob Radics, President, Home Health & Hospice 470-464-7454

Estimated Cost: \$42,000

2022-025 Five Points Healthcare of GA, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Home Health

Expansion of Home Health Agency (Clayton, Fayette, Henry, Rockdale Counties) - Batching

Filed: 5/27/2022 Deemed Complete: 5/27/2022

60th Day Deadline: 7/25/2022 Decision Deadline: 9/23/2022 **DENIED: 9/23/2022**

Site: 2825 Breckinridge Blvd, Suite 160, Duluth, GA 30096 (Gwinnett County) **Contact:** Rob Radics, President, Home Health & Hospice 470-464-7454

Estimated Cost: \$42,000

Appealed Determinations

DET2019-050 Kennestone Hospital, Inc. d/b/a WellStar Windy Hill ("WellStar Windy Hill") Request for Letter of Determination received on 3/15/2019, regarding a determination that existing beds would revert back to short-stay beds upon relinquishment of its Medicare certification as a long-term care hospital.

Agency Decision: Denied on 8/21/2019.

Appealed: WellStar Windy Hill filed request for Administrative Appeal on 09/19/2019. Emory University d/b/a Emory University Hospital Smyrna and Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc. d/b/a Emory Saint Joseph's Hospital (collectively "Emory") filed notice of intent to participate in and intervene in WellStar Windy Hill's administrative hearing, 9/19/2019.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: N/A

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer denied WellStar Windy Hill's Motion for Summary Adjudication and affirmed the Department's 8/21/2019 determination, 10/2/2020. WellStar Windy Hill requests Commissioner Review, 11/2/2020.

Commissioner Review Decision: Affirmed Hearing Officer's 10/2/2020 decision to deny WellStar Windy Hill's Motion for Summary Adjudication, 12/1/2020. WellStar Windy Hill filed Petition for Judicial Review, 12/31/2020.

Superior Court of Cobb County: Court grants Windy Hill's Petition for Judicial Review and reverses Final Order of the Department, 5/24/21. Emory files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Court of Appeals of Georgia, 6/21/2021. Department files application for Discretionary Appeal in the Court of Appeals of Georgia, 6/23/2021.

Court of Appeals: Grants Department's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 7/15/2021. Reverses Superior Court of Cobb County's 5/24/21 judgment granting Windy Hill's Petition for Judicial Review and reversing Final Order of the Department, 6/29/2022. WellStar Windy Hill files Notice of Intention to Petition for Writ of Certiorari, 7/10/2022. WellStar Windy Hill's Petition for Writ of Certiorari filed in the Georgia Supreme Court, 7/19/2022.

Supreme Court: Pending

DET2020-113 Adventist Health System Georgia, Inc. d/b/a AdventHealth Gordon ("AdventHealth") Request for Letter of Determination received on 5/13/2020, regarding the performance of therapeutic cardiac catheterization procedures.

Agency Decision: Approved on 7/15/2020

Appealed: Hamilton Medical Center, Inc. ("Hamilton") filed Request for Administrative Appeal on 8/13/2020.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: N/A

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer denied Hamilton's Request for Administrative Appeal; granted AdventHealth's Motion for Summary Adjudication; affirmed the Department's 7/15/2020 determination, 12/10/2020. Hamilton filed a Request for Commissioner Review 1/11/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Affirms the December 10, 2020 decision of the Hearing Officer denying Hamilton's Request for Appeal, granting Adventist's Motion for Summary Adjudication and affirming the Department's determination letter approving Adventist's request to offer therapeutic cardiac catheterization services, 2/8/2021. Hamilton files Petition for Judicial Review, 3/10/21.

Superior Court of Whitfield County: Denies Hamilton's Petition for Judicial Review, 11/22/2021. Hamilton files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/31/2021.

Court of Appeals: Dismisses Hamilton's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 1/21/2022.

DET-EQT2020-052 The Multiple Sclerosis Center of Georgia, Inc. Request for Letter of Determination received on 8/24/2020, regarding the acquisition of a GE Healthcare HDXT MRI with a CXK4 magnet.

Agency Decision: Denied on 12/16/2020

Appealed: The Multiple Sclerosis Center of Georgia ("MSCG") files Request for Administrative Appeal Hearing on

1/14/2021.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: N/A

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer dismisses appeal, 4/11/2022.

DET-EQT2020-070 AU Medical Associates, Inc. Request for Letter of Determination received on 9/30/2020, regarding the acquisition of a mobile 2005 GE 1.5T Signa Excite MRI.

Agency Decision: Denied on 12/28/2020. Remand decision denying request issued, 10/22/2021.

Appealed: AU Medical Associates, Inc. ("AUMA") files Request for Administrative Appeal Hearing on 1/25/2021.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: N/A

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer denies Motions for Summary Adjudication by both AUMA and the Department and remands the matter for reconsideration, 8/23/2021. AUMA files further appeal of Hearing Officer's 8/23/2021 Order on Remand, 11/18/2021. Hearing Officer denies AUMA's Motion for Summary Adjudication and grants the Department's Motion for Summary Adjudication, 6/22/2022.

DET2021-090 Adventist Health System Georgia, Inc. d/b/a AdventHealth Gordon Request for Letter of Determination received on 5/10/2021, regarding the offering of therapeutic cardiac catheterization procedures.

Agency Decision: Approved on 7/14/2021

Appealed: Hamilton Medical Center, Inc. ("Hamilton") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 8/11/2021.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: 2/21/2022, 9:00 A.M.; 2/23/2022, 9:00 A.M.; 3/4/2022, 9:00 A.M.; 3/11/2022, 11:00 A.M. / Remote Video

Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms the determination of the Department, 5/13/2022.

DET2021-109 Burke County Hospital Authority d/b/a Burke Medical Center Request for Letter of Determination received on 5/14/2021, regarding the offering of therapeutic cardiac catheterization procedures.

Agency Decision: Approved on 7/14/2021

Appealed: East Georgia Regional Medical Center, LLC ("East Georgia") files Request for Administrative Appeal on

8/10/2021.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: 1/10-14/2022, 10:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms the determination of the Department, 4/14/2022.

DET-EQT2021-103 Bone and Joint Institute of South Georgia, P.C. Request for Letter of Determination received on 12/28/2021, regarding the acquisition of a 2021 VELYS Dupuy Robotic-Assisted Solution Equipment.

Agency Decision: Approved on 4/11/2022

Appealed: Bone and Joint Institute of South Georgia, P.C. d/b/a Bone and Joint Institute of South Georgia (the "Medical

Practice") and Surgery Center of BJI, LLC d/b/a Surgery Center of BJI (the "Surgery Center") file Request for

Administrative Appeal on 5/6/2022.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

DET-EQT2022-009 AICA Clinics-Macon, P.C. Request for Letter of Determination received on 1/25/2022, regarding the acquisition of a GE 1.5T Excite HD MRI and a GE Brightspeed 16 Elite CT Scanner.

Agency Decision: Denied on 4/25/2022

Appealed: AICA Clinics – Macon, P.C. ("AICA-Macon") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 5/24/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET-EQT2022-010 Medlink Georgia Request for Letter of Determination received on 1/27/2022, regarding the acquisition of a Siemens 1.5T Magnatom Espree 8-Channel TIM MRI and a GE Lightspeed 16 16-Slice CT Scanner.

Agency Decision: Denied on 4/28/2022

Appealed: Medlink Georgia, Inc. ("Medlink") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 5/31/2022. Medlink withdraws

request for appeal, 7/20/2022.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: N/A

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer dismisses appeal, 7/21/2022.

DET-EQT2022-004 Inspire Orthopedics, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 1/14/2022, regarding the acquisition of an Esoate G-Scan MRI Scanner.

Agency Decision: Denied on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Inspire Orthopedics, LLC ("Inspire") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/16/2022. Inspire withdraws

request for appeal, 7/15/2022.

Hearing Officer: N/A **Hearing Date:** N/A

DET2022-042 Resurgens East Surgery Center, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 2/18/2022,

regarding restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET2022-043 Resurgens Fayette Surgery Center, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 2/18/2022,

regarding restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET2022-044 Orthopedic South Surgical Partners, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 2/18/2022,

regarding restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET2022-045 Lawrenceville Surgery Center, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 2/18/2022, regarding

restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET2022-046 Northwest Georgia Orthopaedic Surgery Center, L.L.C. Request for Letter of Determination received on

2/18/2022, regarding restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET2022-047 Roswell Surgery Center, L.L.C. Request for Letter of Determination received on 2/18/2022, regarding

restructuring a single group practice of physicians.

Agency Decision: Approved on 5/20/2022

Appealed: Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals (the "Alliance") files Reguest for Administrative Appeal on 6/17/2022.

Hearing Officer: Dr. L. Lynn Hogue

Hearing Date: Pending

DET-EQT2022-035 Allegiance Imaging and Radiology, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 4/5/2022,

regarding additional locations for mobile MRI.

Agency Decision: Denied on 7/27/2022

Appealed: Allegiance Imaging and Radiology, LLC ("Allegiance") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 8/19/2022.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

Appealed LNRs

none

Appealed CON Projects

2018-072 Braselton ASC, LLC (Hall)

2018-073 Braselton Surgical Specialist Center, LLC ("BSSC") (Hall)

2018-072 Establish Multi-Specialty Freestanding ASC with Four ORs and Two Procedure Rooms 2018-073 Establish Multi-Specialty Freestanding ASC with Three ORs and One Procedure Room

Agency Decision: GA2018072 - Approved, 3/25/2019 GA2018073 - Denied, 3/25/2019.

Appealed by: Braselton Surgical Specialist Center, LLC ("BSSC"), 4/24/2019;

Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc.d/b/a Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center ("Piedmont Athens"), 4/24/2019; Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee ("NHC"), 4/24/2019; Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Alpharetta Surgery Center ("NASC"), 4/24/2019. Piedmont Athens withdrew its Appeal of GA2018-072 on 11/7/19.

Request to Intervene in 2018-072: Braselton ASC, LLC ("Braselton ASC"), 4/24/2019.

2018-073 denial: Braselton Surgical Specialist Center, LLC ("BSSC") appeals the denial of their application, 2018073, 4/24/2019;

Requests to Intervene in 2018-073: Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center - Main Campus ("NGMC-Main Campus"), 4/24/2019; Braselton ASC, LLC ("Braselton ASC"), 4/24/2019; Northeast Georgia Medical Center-South Hall Campus ("NGMC-South Hall Campus"), 4/24/2019; NGMC Barrow, LLC d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Barrow ("NGMC-Barrow"), 4/24/2019; Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center ("Piedmont Athens"), 4/24/2019. Piedmont Athens withdrew Request to Intervene 11/7/19.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: 6/16-18-2021, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms Department's decision to grant a CON to Braselton ASC and reverses Department's decision to deny BSSC's application, ordering the Department to issue a CON to both projects, 10/22/2021. Braselton ASC, NGMC-South Hall Campus, NGMC-Main Campus, and NGMC Barrow file for Commissioner Review, 11/22/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Affirms Hearing Officer's 10/22/2021 decision to issue a CON to both projects, 12/22/2021. Braselton ASC, NGMC-South Hall Campus, NGMC-Main Campus, and NGMC Barrow file Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Hall County, 1/20/2022.

Superior Court of Hall County: Denies Braselton ASC's, NGMC-South Hall Campus's, NGMC-Main Campus's, and NGMC Barrow's Petition for Judicial Review and affirms 12/22/2021 Commissioner Review decision to grant a CON to BSSC, 6/15/2022. Braselton ASC, NGMC-South Hall Campus, NGMC-Main Campus, and NGMC Barrow file Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 7/15/2022.

Court of Appeals: Grants Braselton ASC's, NGMC-South Hall Campus', NGMC-Main Campus', and NGMC Barrow's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 8/8/2022.

2019-045 Cartersville Medical Center, LLC (Bartow)

New Service to Include 4 Neonatal Intermediate Care Beds - Batching

Agency Decision: Denied, 3/24/2020

Appealed By: Cartersville Medical Center, LLC d/b/a Cartersville Medical Center ("CMC"), 3/26/2020. Floyd Healthcare

Management, Inc. d/b/a Floyd Medical Center submitted request to intervene in the hearing, 4/21/2020.

Hearing Officer: William C. Joy, Esq.

Hearing Date: 9/29/2020-10/2/2020, 9:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms Department's decision to deny CMC a CON, 1/4/2021. CMC files for

Commissioner Review, 2/3/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 1/4/2021 decision to deny CMC a CON and grants approval of GA Project CON 20190-045, 3/5/2021.

Superior Court of Floyd County: Floyd Healthcare Management, Inc. d/b/a Floyd Medical Center ("FMC") files Petition for Judicial Review of Commissioner's Final Order, 4/2/2021. Grants FMC's Petition for Judicial Review and reverses the Department's Final Order, denying CMC a CON, 9/10/2021. The Department files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 10/6/2021. CMC files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 10/11/2021.

Court of Appeals: Grants Department's and CMC's Applications for Discretionary Appeal, 10/27/2021.

Construction of Freestanding Emergency Department

Agency Decision: Approved. 6/1/2020

Appealed By: AU Medical Center, Inc. ("AUMC"), 6/22/2020; University Health Services, Inc. ("University"), 6/30/2020

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: 3/8-12/2021, 9:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to grant a CON to Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC, 12/8/2020. Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC d/b/a Doctors Hospital of Augusta ("Doctors") requests Commissioner

Review, 12/21/2020. The Department requests Commissioner Review, 1/7/2021. Hearing Officer reverses the

Department's decision to grant a CON to Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC, 6/23/2021. Doctors requests Commissioner

Review, 7/23/2021. The Department requests Commissioner Review, 7/23/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 12/8/2020 decision granting AUMC's Motion for Summary Determination or In The Alternative For Remand; remands the matter to the Department to resume proceedings before a Hearing Officer consistent with the CON Administrative Hearing process, 2/5/2021. Reverses Hearing Officer's 6/23/2021 decision to deny a CON to Doctors and reinstates the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-002, 8/20/2021. AUMC files Petition for Judicial Review, 9/16/2021.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Denies AUMC's Petition for Judicial Review and affirms the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-002, 12/23/2021. AUMC files Application for Discretionary Review in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 1/18/2022.

Court of Appeals: Grants AUMC's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 2/8/2022.

2020-003 Coliseum Medical Centers (Houston)

Construction of Freestanding Emergency Department

Agency Decision: Approved, 6/9/2020

Appealed By: The Medical Center of Central Georgia, Inc. d/b/a The Medical Center, Navicent Health ("The Medical Center"), 6/25/2020; The Medical Center of Peach County, Inc. d/b/a Medical Center of Peach County, Navicent Health ("Peach"), 6/25/2020; Houston Hospitals, Inc. d/b/a Houston Medical Center ("Houston"), 7/1/2020; Houston Hospitals, Inc. d/b/a Perry Hospital ("Perry Hospital"), 7/1/2020

Hearing Officer: William C. Joy, Esq.

Hearing Date: 11/9-10/2020, 11/12-13/2020, 9:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to grant a CON to Coliseum Medical Centers, 2/25/2021. Coliseum Medical Centers ("Coliseum") files for Commissioner Review, 3/26/2021. The Department requests Commissioner Review, 3/26/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 2/25/2021 decision to deny a CON to Coliseum and reinstates the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-003, 4/26/2021. Houston files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Houston County, 5/26/2021. The Medical Center files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Peach County, 5/26/2021. Superior Court of Bibb County: The Medical Center files Notice of Voluntary Dismissal of Petition for Judicial Review, 6/25/2021.

Superior Court of Peach County: Denies Department's Motion to Transfer, 7/22/2021. Grants Peach's Petition for Judicial Review and reverses Commissioner's 4/26/2021 decision, and denies Coliseum's CON, 11/10/2021. The Department files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/10/2021. Coliseum files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/10/2021.

Superior Court of Houston County: Denies Department's Motion to Transfer, 7/31/2021. Grants Houston's Petition for Judicial Review, reverses Commissioner's 4/26/2021 decision, and denies Coliseum's CON, 11/4/2021. The Department files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/6/2021. Coliseum files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/6/2021.

Court of Appeals: Grants the Department's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 12/30/2021 (Houston). Grants Coliseum's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 1/4/2022. (Houston). Grants the Department's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 1/7/2022 (Peach). Grants Coliseum's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 1/7/2022 (Peach).

2020-004 Savannah Health Services, LLC dba Memorial Health University Medical Ctr (Bryan)

2020-005 Savannah Health Services, LLC dba Memorial Health University Medical Ctr (Chatham)

2020-004 Construction of Freestanding Emergency Department

2020-005 Construction of Freestanding Emergency Department

Agency Decision: 2020-004 Approved, 6/11/2020 2020-005 Approved, 6/8/2020

Appealed By: 2020-004 Candler Hospital, Inc. ("Candler"), 6/25/2020; St. Joseph's Hospital, Inc. ("St. Joseph's"), 6/25/2020; Hospital Authority of Liberty County d/b/a Liberty Regional Medical Center ("Liberty"), 6/26/2020. 2020-005 Candler Hospital, Inc. ("Candler"), 6/25/2020; St. Joseph's Hospital, Inc. ("St. Joseph's"), 6/25/2020; Effingham Hospital Inc. ("Effingham"), 6/29/2020.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: 1/19-22/2021, 1/25-28/2021, 9:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference; 1/20-21/2022, 1/24-28/2022, 1/31/2022. 2/1/2022. 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer grants St. Joseph's/Candler's Motion for Summary Adjudication and reverses DCH's award of CONs to Savannah Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health University Medical Ctr, 1/26/2021. Savannah Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health University Medical Ctr files for Commissioner Review, 2/25/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 1/26/2021 decision granting SJC's Motion for Summary Adjudication; remands the matter to the Department to resume proceedings before a Hearing Officer consistent with the CON Administrative Hearing process, 3/26/2021.

2020-014 University Cancer & Blood Center, LLC (Clarke)

Add a PET/CT Unit to its Oncology Practice in Athens - Batching

Agency Decision: Approved, 6/16/2020

Appealed By: Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc. ("Piedmont Athens"), 7/14/2020. University Cancer & Blood Center ("UCBC") submitted request to intervene in the hearing, 7/16/2020.

Hearing Officer: William C. Jov. Esg.

Hearing Date: 3/3-5/2021, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to grant a CON to UCBC, 6/1/2021. UCBC files for Commissioner Review. 7/1/2021. Department files for Commissioner Review. 7/1/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 6/1/2021 decision to deny a CON to UCBC and reinstates the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-014, 7/30/2021. Piedmont Athens files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County, 8/27/2021. Affirms Hearing Officer's 6/1/2021 decision to deny a CON to UCBC and reverses the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-014, 2/28/2022.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Grants Piedmont Athens' Petition for Judicial Review; remands case for further proceedings consistent with the statutory provisions of the CON Act and the statutory authority of the Department, 12/20/2021.

2020-015 Northside Hospital Gwinnett (Gwinnett)

Establish Hospital-Based Radiation Therapy Services on Campus - Batching

Agency Decision: Approved, 6/16/2020

Appealed By: Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Main Campus ("NGMC-Main Campus"), 7/14/2020; Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-South Hall Campus ("NGMC-South Hall"), 7/14/2020; RCOG Cancer Centers, LLC d/b/a Gwinnett County Radiation Oncology Center - Lawrenceville ("RCOG-Lawrenceville"), 7/14/2020; RCOG Cancer Centers, LLC d/b/a Gwinnett County Radiation Therapy Center - Snellville ("RCOG-Snellville"), 7/14/2020; Vantage Cancer Centers of Georgia, LLC d/b/a Vantage Oncology Cancer Center at Lawrenceville ("Vantage-Lawrenceville"), 7/14/2020.

Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Date: 12/7-11/2020, 12/14-18/2020, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to grant a CON to Northside Hospital Gwinnett, 4/21/2021. Northside Hospital Gwinnett files for Commissioner Review, 5/21/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 4/21/2021 decision to deny a CON to Northside Hospital Gwinnett and reinstates the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-015, 6/18/2021. Vantage-Lawrenceville, RCOG-Lawrenceville, and RCOG-Snellville file Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Gwinnett County, 7/16/2021. NGMC-Main Campus and NGMC-South Hall file Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Hall County, 7/16/2021.

Superior Court of Gwinnett County: Denies Vantage-Lawrenceville's, RCOG-Lawrenceville's, and RCOG-Snellville's Petition for Judicial Review and affirms 6/18/2021 Commissioner Review decision, 11/24/2021.

Superior Court of Hall County: Grants NGMC-Main Campus and NGMC-South Hall's Petition for Judicial Review and reverses 6/18/2021 Commissioner Review decision, denying Northside Hospital Gwinnett a Certificate of Need, 12/1/2021. Northside Hospital Gwinnett files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/31/2021. The Department files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 12/31/2021.

Court of Appeals: Grants Northside Hospital Gwinnett's Application for Discretionary Appeal, 1/21/2022.

2020-020 University Hospital (Columbia)

Establish a Freestanding Emergency Care Facility

Agency Decision: Approved, 7/21/2020

Appealed By: Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC d/b/a Doctors Hospital of Augusta ("Doctors"), 8/19/2020. AU Medical

Center, Inc. ("AUMC"), 8/20/2020. **Hearing Officer:** Trey Taylor, Esq.

Hearing Date: Continued until further notice

2020-023 AU Medical Center, Inc. (Richmond)

Establish a Freestanding Emergency Care Facility as a Department of AU Medical Center, Inc

Agency Decision: Approved, 7/28/2020

Appealed By: Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC d/b/a Doctors Hospital of Augusta ("Doctors"), 8/27/2020. University Health Services, Inc. ("University"), 9/3/2020. University McDuffie County Regional Medical Center, Inc. ("University-

McDuffie"), 9/3/2020.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Continued until further notice

2020-025 United Imaging Centers of Buckhead, LLC (Fulton)

Proposed Freestanding Advanced Diagnostic Imaging Center in Fulton County

Agency Decision: Denied, 10/15/2020

Appealed By: United Imaging Centers of Buckhead, LLC d/b/a United Imaging Centers of Buckhead ("UIC Buckhead"),

11/10/2020. Pro Radiology, LLC ("Pro Radiology") filed Request to Intervene, 11/12/2020.

Hearing Officer: D. Wright McLeod, Esq.

Hearing Date: 4/19-23/2021, 8:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to deny a CON to UIC Buckhead, 8/21/2021. The

Department and Pro Radiology file for Commissioner Review, 9/20/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 8/21/2021 decision to approve a CON for UIC Buckhead and reinstates the Department's denial of CON Project No. GA 2020-025, 10/20/2021. UIC Buckhead files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County, 11/19/2021.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Dismisses UIC Buckhead's Petition for Judicial Review, 3/2/2022.

2020-026 United Imaging Centers of Chamblee, LLC (Fulton)

Proposed Freestanding Advanced Diagnostic Imaging Center in Cobb County

Agency Decision: Denied, 10/15/2020

Appealed By: United Imaging Centers of Chamblee, LLC d/b/a United Imaging Centers of Chamblee ("UIC Chamblee"), 11/10/2020. American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Decatur ("AHI-Decatur") filed Request to Intervene. 11/12/2020.

Hearing Officer: D. Wright McLeod, Esq.

Hearing Date: 4/19-23/2021, 8:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to deny a CON to UIC Chamblee, 8/16/2021. The Department and AHI-Decatur file for Commissioner Review, 9/15/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 8/16/2021 decision to approve a CON for UIC Chamblee and reinstates the Department's denial of CON Project No. GA 2020-026, 10/15/2021. UIC Chamblee files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County, 11/15/2021.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Dismisses UIC Chamblee's Petition for Judicial Review, 3/2/2022.

2020-027 United Imaging Centers of Jonesboro, LLC (Clayton)

Proposed Freestanding Advanced Diagnostic Imaging Center in Clayton County

Agency Decision: Denied, 10/16/2020

Appealed By: United Imaging Centers of Jonesboro, LLC d/b/a United Imaging Centers of Jonesboro ("UIC Jonesboro"), 11/10/2020. American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Fayetteville ("AHI-Fayetteville") filed Request to Intervene, 11/12/2020.

Hearing Officer: D. Wright McLeod, Esq.

Hearing Date: 4/19-23/2021, 8:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to deny a CON to UIC Jonesboro, 8/21/2021. The Department and AHI-Fayetteville file for Commissioner Review, 9/20/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 8/21/2021 decision to approve a CON for UIC Jonesboro and reinstates the Department's denial of CON Project No. GA 2020-027, 10/20/2021. UIC Jonesboro files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County, 11/19/2021.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Dismisses UIC Jonesboro's Petition for Judicial Review, 3/2/2022.

2020-028 United Imaging Centers of Marietta, LLC (Cobb)

Proposed Freestanding Advanced Diagnostic Imaging Center in Cobb County, SSDR-3

Agency Decision: Denied, 10/16/2020

Appealed By: United Imaging Centers of Marietta, LLC d/b/a United Imaging Centers of Marietta ("UIC Marietta"), 11/10/2020. American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Marietta ("AHI-Marietta") filed

Request to Intervene, 11/12/2020.

Hearing Officer: D. Wright McLeod, Esq.

Hearing Date: 4/19-23/2021, 8:30 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to deny a CON to UIC Marietta, 8/21/2021. The Department and AHI-Marietta file for Commissioner Review, 9/20/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 8/21/2021 decision to approve a CON for UIC Marietta and reinstates the Department's denial of CON Project No. GA 2020-028, 10/20/2021. UIC Marietta files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County, 11/19/2021.

Superior Court of Fulton County: Dismisses UIC Marietta's Petition for Judicial Review, 3/2/2022.

2020-029 South Georgia Medical Center (Lowndes)

Expand Hospital Bed Capacity by 45 beds **Agency Decision:** Denied, 10/26/2020

Appealed By: Hospital Authority of Valdosta and Lowndes County Georgia d/b/a South Georgia Medical Center

("SGMC"), 11/24/2020.

Hearing Officer: William C. Joy, Esq.

Hearing Date: 5/25-27/2021, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer reverses the Department's decision to deny a CON to SGMC, 9/1/2021. The

Department files for Commissioner Review, 10/1/2021.

Commissioner Review Decision: Reverses Hearing Officer's 9/1/2021 decision to approve a CON for SGMC and reinstates the Department's denial of CON Project No. GA 2020-029, 10/29/2021. SGMC files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Lowndes County, 11/24/2021.

Superior Court of Lowndes County: Reverses Commissioner's Final Department Decision, reinstates Hearing Officer's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, and grants SGMC's CON Application, 4/13/2022.

2021-008 St. Joseph's/Candler Radiation Oncology - Statesboro (Bulloch)

Establish Non-Special MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Service – Batching

Agency Decision: Denied, 6/15/2021

Appealed By: SJC Oncology Services-Statesboro, LLC d/b/a St. Joseph's/Candler Radiation Oncology-Statesboro ("SJC-Statesboro"), 7/14/2021. Savannah Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health University Medical Center ("Memorial") filed Request to Intervene, 6/23/2021. South Georgia Center for Cancer Care, LLC ("SGCCC") filed Request to Intervene, 7/14/2021.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

2021-010 South Georgia Center for Cancer Care (Bulloch)

Add Linear Accelerator – Batching **Agency Decision:** Approved. 6/15/2021

Appealed By: Candler Hospital, Inc. ("Candler"), 7/14/2021. South Georgia Center for Cancer Care, LLC ("SGCCC") filed

Request to Intervene, 7/14/2021. **Hearing Officer:** David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

2021-016 PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. d/b/a PruittHealth @ Home - Gainesville (Hall)

Home Health Agency- Batching

Agency Decision: Denied, 9/20/2021

Appealed By: PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. d/b/a Pruitthealth @ Home – Gainesville ("PruittHealth-Gainesville"), 10/20/2021. LHCG CLXI, LLC d/b/a Northeast Georgia Home Health ("Northeast") filed Request to Intervene, 10/14/2021. Amedisys Georgia, LLC d/b/a Tugaloo Home Health Agency, an Amedisys Company ("Amedisys") filed Request to

Intervene, 10/20/2021. PruittHealth-Gainesville withdraws request for appeal hearing, 5/11/2022.

Hearing Officer: William D. Taylor, III, Esq.

Hearing Date: N/A; Hearing Officer dismisses appeal, 6/8/2022.

2021-021 PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. d/b/a PruittHealth @ Home - Atlanta (Barrow)

Home Health Agency- Batching **Agency Decision:** Denied, 9/20/2021

Appealed By: PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. d/b/a Pruitthealth @ Home – Atlanta ("PruittHealth-Atlanta"), 10/20/2021. Amedisys Georgia, L.L.C. d/b/a Amedisys Home Health of Covington, d/b/a Amedisys Home Health Care, d/b/a Amedisys

Home Health of Athens, and Amedisys Georgia, L.L.C. d/b/a Tugaloo Home Health Agency, an Amedisys Company (collectively, "Amedisys") filed Request to Intervene, 10/20/2021. PruittHealth-Atlanta withdraws request for appeal

hearing, 5/11/2022.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: N/A; Hearing Officer cancels hearing, 5/16/2022.

2021-051 Mountain HHA, LLC d/b/a Mountain Home Health (Union)

2021-054 Pediatric Services of America, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Healthcare (Gwinnett)

2021-051 Home Health Agency Expansion – Batching 2021-054 Home Health Agency Expansion – Batching

Agency Decision: 2021-051 Approved, 3/28/2022 2021-054 Denied, 3/28/2022

Appealed By: Pediatric Services of America, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Healthcare ("Aveanna"), 4/26/2021. Mountain HHA, LLC d/b/a Mountain Home Health filed Request to Intervene, 4/28/2022. Aveanna filed Notice of Voluntary Dismissal, 7/21/2022.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

2021-056 CHI Memorial Hospital-Georgia, Inc. d/b/a CHI Memorial Hospital Georgia (Catoosa)

Replacement Facility

Agency Decision: Approved, 4/29/2022

Appealed By: Parkridge Medical Center, Inc. ("Parkridge"), 5/27/2022. CHI Memorial Hospital – Georgia, Inc. ("CHI -

Georgia") filed Request to Intervene, 5/31/2022. **Hearing Officer:** William D. Taylor, III, Esq.

Hearing Date: 1/23/2023, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

2022-007 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth (Hall)

Offer Mobile PET/CT Service at Northside/Gainesville Imaging – Batching

Agency Decision: Approved, 6/24/2022

Appealed By: Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Main Campus ("NGMC-Main Campus"), 7/22/2022. Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth ("Northside") filed Request to

Intervene, 7/25/2022.

Hearing Officer: William D. Taylor, III, Esq.

Hearing Date: 12/12-16/2022, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

2022-008 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth (Gwinnett)

Offer Mobile PET/CT Service at Northside/Sugar Hill Imaging – Batching

Agency Decision: Approved, 6/24/2022

Appealed By: Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Main Campus ("NGMC-Main Campus"), 7/22/2022. Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth ("Northside") filed Request to

Intervene, 7/25/2022.

Hearing Officer: William D. Taylor, III, Esq.

Hearing Date: 12/12-16/2022, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

Requests for DET-EQT for Diagnostic or Therapeutic Equipment

DET-EQT2020037 Macon Orthopaedic and Hand Center, PA

Purchase Fixed MRI

Request received: 5/8/2020 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022013 Medical Center of Central Georgia, Inc. d/b/a Atrium Health Navicent

Discovery RT Gen 2

Request received: 2/11/2022 Contact Person: Katherine Bowen

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022060 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc

ESJH Outpatient Imaging Center CT Replacement

Request received: 7/21/2022 Contact Person: Jessica Sheridan

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022061 Ortho Sport and Spine Physicians

Purchase Fixed MRI

Request received: 7/25/2022 Contact Person: Sean Bajnath

Determination: Withdr/Appl Prior to Dec **Date of Withdrawal:** 9/12/2022

DET-EQT2022062 Ortho Sport and Spine Physicians

Purchase Fixed MRI

Request received: 7/25/2022 Contact Person: Sean Bajnath

Determination: Withdr/Appl Prior to Dec **Date of Withdrawal:** 9/12/2022

DET-EQT2022063 Emory University Hospital

Lease da Vinci Xi Dual Console System

Request received: 8/5/2022 Contact Person: Lejla Kuduzovic

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022064 Emory University Hospital

Lease ION Endoluminal System Request received: 8/5/2022

Contact Person: LEJLA KUDUZOVIC

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022065 Coastal Imaging Solutions, LLC

Replacement of CON-Approved CT Request received: 8/9/2022 Contact Person: Chris Cribbs Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022066 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Acquisition of CT Below Threshold Request received: 8/10/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022067 Piedmont Hospital Inc. dba Piedmont Atlanta Hospital

New Nuclear Medicine system with CT Capabilities

Request received: 8/11/2022

Contact Person: Christine MacEwen

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022068 Piedmont Henry Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Henry Hospital

Acquisition of CT Scanner Request received: 8/12/2022

Contact Person: Christine MacEwen

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022069 Kennestone Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Kennestone Hospital

Wellstar Kennestone Hospital Purchase of da Vinci Xi

Request received: 8/15/2022 Contact Person: James Satcher **Determination:** Pending

DET-EQT2022070 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.

Purchase of 2nd MRI at Main Campus

Request received: 8/17/2022 Contact Person: Linda Berger Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022071 Emory University d/b/a Emory University Hospital Midtown

Acquire an Ion Endoluminal System Robot

Request received: 8/19/2022 Contact Person: Daniel Owens Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022072 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta

Acquisition of CT Simulator Below Threshold

Request received: 8/19/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022073 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc

ESJH da Vinci Xi

Request received: 8/24/2022 Contact Person: Bailey Brock Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022074 Resurgens Orthopaedics

Purchase Fixed MRI

Request received: 8/29/2022 Contact Person: Kesha Colton Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022075 The Hospital Authority of Wayne County, Georgia

da Vinci Xi System

Request received: 8/31/2022

Contact Person: Mr. Joseph P. Ierardi, CEO

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022076 Southeastern Regional Medical Center, LLC

Determination Request for CT Scanner

Request received: 8/31/2022 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022077 Atlanta Knee & Shoulder Clinic, PC d/b/a Atlanta Orthopedic Institute

Acquire an MRI

Request received: 9/22/2022

Contact Person: Rajiv D. Pandya, MD

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022078 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Acquisition of Ion Endoluminal System

Request received: 9/22/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022079 Lisa Prevention LLC

Lease Fixed MRI

Request received: 9/23/2022 Contact Person: Adam Coy Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2022080 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.

Purchase CT Simulator Request received: 9/30/2022 Contact Person: Linda Berger

Determination: Pending

Requests for DET-ASC for Establishment of Physician-Owned Ambulatory Surgery Facilities

(Formerly: Requests for LNR for Establishment of Physician-Owned Ambulatory Surgery Facilities)

DET-ASC2022008 Ankle & Foot Associates, LLC

Establishment of a Single Specialty Amulatory Surgical Center

Site: 615 N Cleveland Ave, Adel, GA 31620 **Number of OR's:** 1 **Specialty:** Podiatry

Project costs as submitted: \$0.00 Request received: 3/24/2022

Contact Person: David P. Murphy, DPM

Determination: Approved **Determination Date:** 9/22/2022

DET-ASC2022011 Alliance Surgery Center at Cumming, LLC

Establishment of a Single Specialty ASC **Site:** 970 Sanders Road, Cumming, GA 30041

Number of OR's: 1 Specialty: Pain Medicine

Project costs as submitted: \$600,000.00

Request received: 7/11/2022

Contact Person: Wendy Montembeau

Determination: Approved **Determination Date:** 9/13/2022

DET-ASC2022012 Ortho Sport & Spine Physicians, LLC

Establishment of a Single Specialty ASC

Site: 211 Chicopee Dr NE, Marietta, GA 30060

Number of OR's: 1 Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery

Project costs as submitted: \$471,896.80

Request received: 7/11/2022 Contact Person: Mike Maselli Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2022013 Regenerative Sports Medicine, Inc.

Establishment of a Single Specialty ASC

Site: 1462 Montreal Road, Suite 109, Tucker, GA 30084 Number of OR's: 1 Specialty: Orthopedics

Project costs as submitted: \$583,025.00

Request received: 7/13/2022 Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross

Determination: Approved **Determination Date:** 9/12/2022

DET-ASC2022015 Georgia Interventional Pain - L, LLC

Establishment of a Single Specialty ASC

Site: 658 N. Chase Street, Suite 103, Athens, GA 30606 **Number of OR's:** 1 **Specialty:** Pain Medicine

Project costs as submitted: \$995,810.00

Request received: 8/1/2022 Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross

Determination: Approved **Determination Date:** 9/29/2022

DET-ASC2022017 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center

Establishment of Joint Venture Ambulatory Surgery Center Site: 103 Clinic Avenue, Suite A, Carrollton, GA 30117 Number of OR's: 2 Specialty: Orthopedics

Project costs as submitted: \$5,623,504.00

Request received: 8/25/2022

Contact Person: Carol Crews **Determination:** Pending

DET-ASC2022018 Evans Procedure Center, LLC

Establishment of a Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center Site: 404 Town Park Boulevard, Suite 102, Evans, GA 30809 Number of OR's: 2 Specialty: Pain Medicine

Project costs as submitted: \$0.00 Request received: 8/29/2022

Contact Person: David Jones **Determination:** Pending

DET-ASC2022019 Verispine Pain Centers, P.C.

Physician Office Based Single Specialty ASC

Site: 1001 Virginia Avenue, Suite 150-A, Hapeville, GA 30354 Number of OR's: 1 Specialty: Pain Management

Project costs as submitted: \$1,174,838.00

Request received: 9/12/2022 Contact Person: Everette Jenkins

Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2022020 Lawrenceville Center for Pain and Spine, LLC

Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Site: 755 Old Norcross Rd, Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Number of OR's: 2 Specialty: Pain Management

Project costs as submitted: \$167,812.00

Request received: 9/13/2022 Contact Person: Crystal Marcum

Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2022021 Athens Orthopedic Clinic Ambulatory Surgery Center-SPARC, LLC

Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Site: 1765 Old West Broad Street, Building 3, Athens, GA 30606

Number of OR's: 3 Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery

Project costs as submitted: \$3,668,147.00

Request received: 9/16/2022 Contact Person: Daniel Mohan

Determination: Pending

Requests for Miscellaneous Letters of Determination

DET2021247 UHS of Savannah, LLC d/b/a Coastal Harbor Health System

10% Increase in Bed Capacity Request received: 12/7/2021

Contact Person: Robert C. Threlkeld, Esq.

Determination: Pending

DET2022052 Surgery Center of Atlanta, LLC

Reduction of Indigent and Charity Care Commitment

Request received: 2/28/2022 Contact Person: Titus Duncan MD

Determination: Pending

DET2022141 Hospital Authority of Valdosta and Lowndes County, Georgia

Renovation Under Threshold Request received: 6/23/2022 Contact Person: Michele Madison

Determination: Pending

DET2022143 Parkside Operating Company LLC

Transfer of Licensed Beds from One Facility to Another

Request received: 6/27/2022 Contact Person: Karen Forrister

Determination: Pending

DET2022145 Wellstar North Fulton Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

Wellstar North Fulton HOD Relocation

Request received: 6/28/2022 Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed
Determination Date: 9/27/2022

DET2022147 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Replacement of CON-Approved Imaging Equipment

Request received: 7/13/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek Determination: Pending

DET2022148 Fairview Park, Limited Partnership d/b/a Fairview Park Hospital

Renovation of the Emergency Department

Request received: 7/14/2022 Contact Person: Stacey Howard

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed
Determination Date: 9/12/2022

DET2022149 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center Villa Rica

Replacement of CON Authorized CT Unit

Request received: 7/15/2022 Contact Person: Carol Crews

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 9/15/2022

DET2022150 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center Carrollton

Addition of Two ICU Beds Request received: 7/15/2022 Contact Person: Carol Crews Determination: Pending

DET2022151 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc

ESJH Replacement Cath Lab Request received: 7/18/2022 Contact Person: Kevin Andrews

Determination: Pending

DET2022152 Hillside, Inc Increase Bed Capacity

Request received: 7/19/2022 Contact Person: Mark Pulliam Determination: Pending

DET2022153 Emory University d/b/a Emory University Orthopaedic & Spine Hospital

Renovation and Expansion of Surgical Services

Request received: 7/22/2022 Contact Person: Shannon Kowall

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed
Determination Date: 9/21/2022

DET2022155 SC Affiliates, LLC

Confirmation ASC CON will Remain Effective

Request received: 7/27/2022 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 10/3/2022

DET2022156 AUMC Medical Center, Inc.

Potential Non-reviewable Cost Overrun on CON2014-029

Request received: 7/29/2022 Contact Person: Kathryn MT Platt

Determination: Pending

DET2022157 Burke Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Burke Health

Facility Renovation

Request received: 8/2/2022 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET2022158 West Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar West Georgia Medical Center

West Georgia Medical Center Designation of IR Lab as Cardiac Cath Lab

Request received: 8/3/2022 Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2022159 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Request to Modify CON-2021-036 Request received: 8/9/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2022160 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Acquisition of Replacement CT at Holly Springs

Request received: 8/10/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2022161 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Acquisition of Replacement CT at Towne Lake

Request received: 8/10/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2022162 Crisp Regional Hospital, Inc.

Construction of Medical Office Building

Request received: 8/10/2022 Contact Person: Michele Madison

Determination: Pending

DET2022164 Savannah Health Services, LLC

X-Ray Renovations

Request received: 8/17/2022 Contact Person: Laura Dow Determination: Pending

DET2022165 Alight Healthcare, LLC

Exemption from CON

Request received: 8/18/2022

Contact Person: Leana Gadbois-Sills

Determination: Pending

DET2022167 Richmond Healthcare Properties, Inc.

Renovations at PruittHealth - Creekside

Request received: 8/25/2022 Contact Person: Aneel Gill Determination: Pending

DET2022168 Coastal Imaging Solutions, LLC

Replacement of CON-Approved CT Request received: 8/26/2022 Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross

Determination: Pending

DET2022169 Touching Lives Globally Foundation Inc

Construction of Assisted Living Community for Skilled and Unskilled Care

Request received: 8/27/2022

Contact Person: Irolda Harris **Determination:** Pending

DET2022170 Southeastern Endoscopy Center, LLC

Establishment of a CON Exempt Endoscopy ASC

Request received: 8/30/2022 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET2022171 The Medical Center, Inc. dba Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown

Replacement of CON Approved Linear Accelerator

Request received: 9/2/2022

Contact Person: Christine MacEwen

Determination: Pending

DET2022172 University Health Services, Inc. dba Piedmont Augusta Hospital

Renovation of Endoscopy Area Request received: 9/2/2022

Contact Person: Christine MacEwen

Determination: Pending

DET2022173 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Request to Establish Women's Imaging Center Below Threshold

Request received: 9/7/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2022174 Macon Vascular Care, LLC

Relocation of Exempt ASC Request received: 9/8/2022 Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET2022175 The Emory Clinic, Inc.

Establish an Endoscopy Center Request received: 9/13/2022 Contact Person: Shawn Ploessl

Determination: Pending

DET2022176 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta

Replacement of CON-Approved PET/CT Unit

Request received: 9/13/2022 Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2022177 DeKalb Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Emory Decatur Hospital

Relocation of Adult Comprehensive Inpatient Physical Rehabilitaton Unit

Request received: 9/15/2022 Contact Person: Jennifer Schuck

Determination: Pending

DET2022178 Wellstar North Fulton Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

Wellstar North Fulton Hospital Addition of Outpatient Endoscopy Rooms

Request received: 9/16/2022 Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2022179 Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc.

Update to DET2021-065 Cath Lab Request received: 9/16/2022 Contact Person: Christine MacEwen

Determination: Pending

DET2022180 Adventist Health System Georgia Inc. D/B/A AdventHealth Home Care Gordon

Home Health County Transfer Request received: 9/19/2022 Contact Person: Kathie Hartley

Determination: Pending

DET2022181 PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. D/B/A PruittHealth @ Home - Rome, a branch of

HHA County Transfer - Pickens County

Request received: 9/19/2022 Contact Person: Aneel Gill Determination: Pending

DET2022182 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center Carrollton

Replacement of CON Authorized Equipment

Request received: 9/19/2022 Contact Person: Carol Crews Determination: Pending

DET2022183 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center Carrollton

Below Threshold Renovations to Hospital Cancer Center

Request received: 9/19/2022 Contact Person: Carol Crews Determination: Pending

DET2022184 Jimmy Simpson Foundation, Inc.

Increase in Bed Capacity from 12 to 24

Request received: 9/22/2022 Contact Person: Veronica S. Hodge

Determination: Pending

DET2022185 Vidalia Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health Meadows Hospital

USP 800 Pharmacy Upgrades Request received: 9/27/2022 Contact Person: Gregg Warnock

Determination: Pending

DET2022186 Kennestone Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Kennestone Hospital

Wellstar Kennestone Replacement of CON-Authorized CyberKnife Equipment

Request received: 9/28/2022 Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2022187 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta, Inc.

Renovated Cardiovascular ORs Request received: 9/29/2022 Contact Person: Kathryn MT Platt

Determination: Pending

Requests for Extended Implementation/Effective Period

2019028 Dodge County Hospital Authority

10-Bed Expansion of Geriatric Psych Unit - Batching

Request to Extend Completion Date **Site:** 901 Griffin Ave, Eastman (Dodge)

Project Approved: 12/20/2019 Request Received: 8/1/2022

Contact: Jan Hamrick, CFO (478-448-4067)

Approved Cost: \$1,900,420

Determination: Pending

2018069 Grady Memorial Hospital Corporation d/b/a Grady Health System

Development of Ambulatory Services Center

Request to Extend Completion Date

Site: 80 Jesse Hill Drive, SE, Atlanta (Fulton)

Project Approved: 3/14/2019 Request Received: 8/16/2022

Contact: Shannon Sale, Chief Strategy Officer (404-616-7029)

Approved Cost: \$188,422,742

Determination: Approved, 9/27/2022 **Extended Mandatory Completion:** April 1, 2023

2019041 Renal Care Options Home Health Services, LLC

Establish Home Health Agency for the Special Population of End-Stage Renal Disease – Batching

Request to Extend Completion Date

Site: 109 Parker Drive, LaGrange (Troup)

Project Approved: 3/24/2020 Request Received: 8/24/2022

Contact: Joseph Cashia, CEO (615-969-6033)

Approved Cost: \$142,524

Determination: Request Withdrawn by Applicant, 9/22/2022

2021036 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Construct New Patient Tower

Request to Extend Performance Period

Site: 1000 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville (Gwinnett)

Project Approved: 10/13/2021 Request Received: 8/31/2022

Contact: Brian Toporek, Senior Planner (404-851-6821)

Approved Cost: \$400,000,000 **Determination**: Pending

2019039 Correct Life Bostick, LLC d/b/a Bostick Nursing Center

Construction of 152-Bed Annex – Batching Request to Extend Performance Period **Site:** 1700 Bostick Circle, Hardwick (Baldwin)

Project Approved: 3/24/2020 Request Received: 9/28/2022

Contact: Aaron Minnifield, CEO (860-573-7459)

Approved Cost: \$17,484,947 **Determination:** Pending

Need Projection Analyses Posted 9/29/2022

Current Status of Official Office of Health Planning Need Projection Analyses and Other Data Resources

Need Projections and Maps for CON Regulated Services

2027 Non-Special MRT Need Projection - Posted 6/24/2022

2027 PET Need Projection – Posted 6/24/2022

2027 Ambulatory Surgical Services Need Projection by HPA- Posted 9/29/2022

2027 Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation Need Projections – Posted 9/29/2022

2027 Neonatal Intermediate Care Bed Need Projection – Posted 9/29/2022

2027 Neonatal Intensive Care Bed Need Projection – Posted 9/29/2022

2027 Obstetric Services Bed Need Projection - Posted 9/29/2022

2025 Nursing Home Bed Need Projection – Posted 9/29/2022

2025 Home Health Agency Services Need Projection - Posted 9/29/2022

Non-Batched Need Projections

2027 Long Term Care Hospital Beds - 5/4/2022

Note: Short Stay Hospital Bed Need Projections are facility-specific and completed by DCH on an ad hoc basis upon request.

Non-Filed or Incomplete Office of Health Planning Facility Surveys

Required Annual Surveys are available to individual facilities for completion and submission to the Department at www.georgiahealthdata.info.

Indigent and Charity Care Shortfalls

Facilities with Indigent and Charity Care Commitment Shortfalls for Most Recent 3 Years (Commitment status as of (10/4/2022)

Facility Name	County	Year	Shortfall Due	Service
Apex Medical Surgery Center, LLC	Troup	2020	11,890.18	Ambulatory Surgery Center
ASC of Georgia Dermatologic Surgery Centers, LLC	FULTON	2018	6,924.20	Ambulatory Surgery Center
ASC of Georgia Dermatologic Surgery Centers, LLC	FULTON	2020	20,921.12	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Asuch Surgery Center	Cobb	2018	6,963.30	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Brookstone Ambulatory Surgery Center	Muscogee	2018	24,770.12	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Brookstone Ambulatory Surgery Center	Muscogee	2019	17,302.68	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Brookstone Ambulatory Surgery Center	Muscogee	2020	17,170.24	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Center For Spine And Pain Medicine, PC	Hall	2018	101,669.68	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Chatham Orthopeadic Surgery Center	Chatham	2018	23,869.26	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Cobblestone Surgery Center, Inc	Cobb	2020	5,803.60	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Foot & Ankle Surgery Ctr, Llc, The	MUSCOGEE	2018	6,322.74	Ambulatory Surgery Center
G.I. Endoscopy Center	CLAYTON	2018	27,806.73	Ambulatory Surgery Center
GA Urology, PA Cobb Ambulatory Surgery Center	Cobb	2018	15,443.22	Ambulatory Surgery Center
GA Urology, PA Cobb Ambulatory Surgery Center	Cobb	2019	11,678.86	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Gastro Specialists Endoscopy Center, LLC	DEKALB	2020	10,043.62	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Georgia Interventional Pain	Gwinnett	2018	61,218.12	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Georgia Urology Ambulatory Surgery Ctr Alpharetta	Forsyth	2018	17,314.92	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Georgia Urology Ambulatory Surgery Ctr Alpharetta	Forsyth	2019	18,706.26	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Northwest Ga Orthopaedic Sc	COBB	2018	654,446.86	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Piedmont Surgery Center	BIBB	2018	75.49	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Piedmont Surgery Center	BIBB	2020	21,481.58	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Ponce De Leon Surgery Center, LLC	Fulton	2018	52.82	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Premier Ambulatory Surgical Center, LLC	Cobb	2018	6,380.46	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Roswell Pain Surgical Center, LLC	Cobb	2018	38.20	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Roswell Pain Surgical Center, LLC	Cobb	2020	128.00	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Salubrious ASC	Cherokee	2020	6,847.78	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Southern Orthopaedic Surg Ctr Of Fayetteville, LLC	FAYETTE	2018	39,575.36	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Southern Orthopaedic Surg Ctr Of Fayetteville, LLC	FAYETTE	2020	274,795.72	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Stephen Lober Plastic Surgery	Clarke	2019	6,747.60	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Surgery Center at Cypress Pointe, LLC	Tift	2018	28,384.44	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Surgery Center of Atlanta	Fulton	2019	738,231.35	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Surgery Center of Atlanta	Fulton	2020	574,770.90	Ambulatory Surgery Center
The Graivier Center	FULTON	2020	11,457.50	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Thomas Eye Surgery Center	FULTON	2018	284,219.98	Ambulatory Surgery Center
White Oak Surgery Center	Coweta	2020	218,149.28	Ambulatory Surgery Center

Windward Surgery Center LLC	FULTON	2019	2,096.78	Ambulatory Surgery Center
Charlton Visiting Nurses Services	Brantley	2018	13,509.80	Home Health Agency
Charlton Visiting Nurses Services	Brantley	2019	9,100.02	Home Health Agency
Charlton Visiting Nurses Services	Brantley	2020	10,750.67	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Oconee	2018	14,005.19	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Oconee	2019	36,925.98	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia	Oconee	2020	37,167.55	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia, LLC	Hall	2018	65,355.87	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia, LLC	Hall	2019	87,009.07	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care of Northeast Georgia, LLC	Hall	2020	95,776.95	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2018	214,201.47	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2019	250,997.91	Home Health Agency
Guardian Home Care, LLC	Fulton	2020	170,668.38	Home Health Agency
Piedmont Home Health	Clarke	2019	84,390.28	Home Health Agency
Pruitt Home Health - Cumming	Forsyth	2020	14,453.66	Home Health Agency
Pruitthealth Home Health - Atlanta	Gwinnett	2020	30,141.87	Home Health Agency
Pruitthealth Home Health - Gainesville	Hall	2020	51,656.79	Home Health Agency
Central Georgia PET, LLC	Bibb	2019	5,983.45	PET Services
Piedmont Henry Radiation Oncology at Riverdale, LLC	Clayton	2019	481,172.16	Radiation Therapy

Notes: The provisions of the Provider Payment Act of 2010 exempt eligible hospitals from being required to pay shortfalls associated with CON indigent and charity care commitments while the Act is in force. Critical Access Hospitals, Psychiatric Hospitals, and State-owned hospitals are exempt from the PPA so must still pay shortfalls associated with CON commitments. If an administrative hearing has been requested to dispute a shortfall pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act. O.C.G.A. § 50-13-1 et seq., information will be provided at https://dch.georgia.gov/meetings-notices as it becomes available.

NEW CERTIFICATE OF NEED FILING REQUIREMENTS

Effective June 17, 2022, the updated Georgia CON Application Form, available at https://dch.georgia.gov/con-applications-and-forms, must be used to submit a request for a Certificate of Need.

Letters of Intent

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 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 letters of intent submitted by either telephone, facsimile or e-mail pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-.06(5). **In-person filings are no longer accepted.** All forms must be submitted electronically through the Department's website at https://dch.georgia.gov/office-health-planning-applications-and-requests-forms-0.

Note: 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.

Instructions for Organization of Appendices

Appendices in the application must be separated by **dividing sheets** upon submission to the Office of Health Planning.

For Appendices with multiple documents, each document in that specific appendix must be separated by a **light-colored** dividing sheet containing the name of the document which follows the dividing sheet.

These instructions are listed on Page iv of the CON application form. Compliance with these instructions is required pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-.06(2).

Determining Completeness

Please note the completeness requirements for all applications may be found at Rule 111-2-2-.06(5). Expired, deficient, or invalid information will not be accepted as documentation for the purposes of deeming an application complete.

Batching Review

The below reviewable CON services are grouped for review into quarterly Batching Cycles. These services and the Batching Cycles are as follows:

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

Batching Notifications - Posted 9/29/2022 on DCH Website

Fall Batching Review Cycle Notifications

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

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.

Home Health Skilled Nursing

Facilities/Intermediate Care Facilities

Ambulatory Surgery

Obstetrical Services

Neonatal Intensive Care

Inpatient Rehabilitation

Neonatal Intermediate Care

Need Projections can be found on the "OHP Need Projections" Page

FALL CYCLE

Application Day (application complete when 100th Day 75th Day submitted; review cycle (last day for **Batching** 120th Dav letters of begins same (Applicant **Notice** support to be day) provides (Department submitted to additional Issues Department) information) Decision) (November 28, 2022: (March 7, 2023) Application due by 12 noon) (February 10, 2023) (March 27, 2023) (September 29, 2022) 60-Day 90th Day Letter 110th Day (opposition Meeting (Applicant of meeting, applicant can (applicant provides Intent amended only; attend. information; opposition opposing applicant (October 29, 2022) letters party must provides due) provide written copy opposition) (January 26, 2023) of argument) (March 17, 2023) (February 25, 2023)

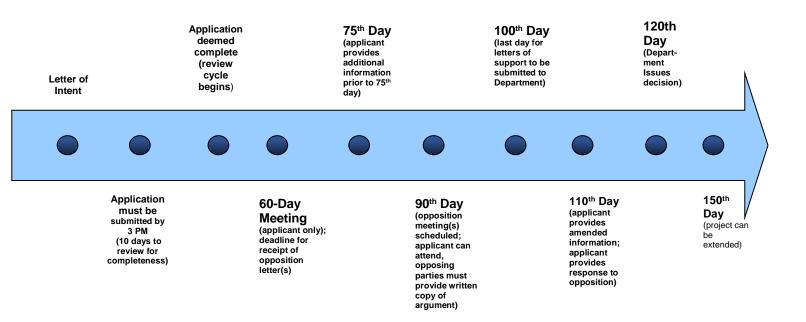
- ▶ Batching Notice issued 30 days before Letter of Intent Due
- ▶ Letter of Intent received by Department 30 days before application is submitted
- ▶ Applications submitted; deemed complete; review cycle begins
- ▶ 60-Day meeting (applicant only); deadline for receipt of opposition letter(s)
- ► 75th day applicant provides additional information
- ▶ 90th day Opposition Meeting(s) scheduled; applicant can be in attendance; opposing parties must submit the written statement of opposition arguments presented to the Department via the online web portal and provide a 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
- ▶ 100th day Last day for letters of support to be submitted to the Department
- ▶ 110th 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
- ▶ 120th day Decision issued (No discretion to extend)

SUMMER CYCLE

Application Day (application complete when 100th Day 75th Day submitted; review cycle (last day for **Batching** 120th Dav letters of begins same (Applicant **Notice** support to be day) provides (Department submitted to additional Issues Department) information) Decision) (August 23, 2022: (November 30, 2022) Application due by 12 noon) (December 20, 2022) (June 24, 2022) (November 5, 2022) 60-Day 90th Day Letter 110th Day (opposition Meeting (Applicant of meeting, applicant can (applicant provides Intent amended only; attend. information; opposition opposing applicant (July 24, 2022) letters party must provides due) provide response to written copy opposition) (October 21, 2022) of argument) (December 10, 2022) (November 20, 2022)

- ▶ 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)
- ► 75th day applicant provides additional information
- ▶ 90th day Opposition Meeting(s) scheduled; applicant can be in attendance; opposing parties must submit the written statement of opposition arguments presented to the Department via the online web portal and provide a 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
- ▶ 100th day Last day for letters of support to be submitted to the Department
- ▶ 110th 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
- ▶ 120th 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). Applications submitted after 3:00 PM will be considered received on the next business day.
- ▶ 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 prior to 75th day
- ▶ 90th day Opposition Meeting(s) scheduled; applicant can be in attendance; opposing parties must submit the written statement of opposition arguments presented to the Department via the online web portal and provide a 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
- ▶ 100th day Last day for letters of support to be submitted to the Department
- ▶ 110th 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
- ▶ 120th day Decision issued (Department has discretion to extend to 150th day)

Office of Health Planning Contact Information

Karesha Laing, Interim Executive Director, Office of Health Planning, Georgia Department of Community Health, 2 Peachtree St., N.W., 5th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30303, (klaing@dch.ga.gov)

For questions concerning pending Certificate of Need applications please contact Bruce Henderson, Senior Reviewer (bhenderson@dch.ga.gov)

For questions concerning Health Planning surveys and indigent and charity care commitment Shortfalls please contact Steve Cappel, Data Manager (steve.cappel@dch.ga.gov)

For all other questions or inquiries, please email OHP.Help@dch.ga.gov.

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. § 31-6-1 et seq. Such requests will be accepted only on the Department's form with the required filing fee of \$250.00. Requests for confirmation of the exemption for equipment below the threshold will be accepted only on the applicable form and will also require a \$250.00 filing fee. Note: Requests for confirmation of the exemptions for a single specialty ambulatory surgical center or a joint venture ambulatory surgical center below the threshold require a \$250.00 filing fee.

Requirements for Verification of Lawful Presence within the United States

The Department will no longer require information relating to this topic for Certificate of Need applications.

Periodic Reporting Requirements

From June 1, 2016 until September 15, 2016, the Department, through the Office of Health Planning, permitted facilities an opportunity to complete outstanding surveys in order to become compliant. Facilities not in compliance after the September deadline received a Notification of Deficiencies which included details regarding the outstanding surveys, where surveys could be completed, and contact information for the Department. To confirm whether your facility has an outstanding survey please contact Steve Cappel, Data Manager, at steve.cappel@dch.gov. To complete a survey, please visit www.georgiahealthdata.info.

CON Thresholds become effective annually on July 1. The current and effective thresholds can be found on the CON Thresholds page: http://dch.georgia.gov/con-thresholds.

Special Note

The <u>Letters of Intent</u> section of the Tracking and Appeals Report provides the date on which the CON Application must be submitted for each potential project. If the CON application is not received on that date, the associated Letter of Intent is considered expired.

Please do not submit Letters of Opposition or Letters of Support prior to the Department's receipt of an actual Certificate of Need application.

Open Record Requests

Requests for documents or other information can be obtained using the Open Record Request form found at the following:

https://dch.georgia.gov/divisionsoffices/office-health-planning/certificate-need-con

The ORR Form found there should be emailed to HealthPlanningInfo@dch.ga.gov

Web Links

Please access copies of available Health Planning decisions and documents at the following web address:

https://weblink.dch.georgia.gov/WebLink8/Browse.aspx?startid=63&dbid=1

Please also visit https://forms.dch.georgia.gov/HFRD/ for healthcare facility and reporting information.

LNR Conversion

As of June 1, 2016, absent the proposed undertaking of a reviewable action necessitating prior CON review and approval, the Department will no longer engage in CON review of facilities in possession of an LNR.

DET Review

Pursuant to the Department's adoption of the Facility Guidelines Institute 2018 physical plant updates on April 15, 2018, effective August 1, 2018, the Office of Health Planning will no longer engage in the review or issuance of letters of determination regarding the applicability of the CON laws to those freestanding facilities seeking to perform procedures outside of either an operating room environment or a dedicated non-sterile endoscopy room as they categorically do not meet the definition of a reviewable ambulatory surgical or obstetrical facility.

DET-ASC Requests

Effective March 14, 2022, the Ambulatory Surgical Center Determination Form available at https://dch.georgia.gov/con-applications-and-forms must be used to submit a request for a letter of determination for the establishment of an ambulatory surgical center (DET-ASC, formerly request for letter of non-reviewability for establishment of an ambulatory surgical center (LNR-ASC)).

CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPEAL PANEL

Appointed by Governor Brian Kemp

William C. Joy (Reappointed on January 28, 2021)

William Dennis (Trey) Taylor III (Appointed on November 23, 2020)

Daniel Wright McLeod (Chair, appointed on November 23, 2020)

David C. Will (Appointed on May 17, 2021)

IMPORTANT NOTICE RELATED TO REQUESTS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL

Effective September 1, 2022, all requests for an initial administrative appeal hearing or to intervene in such a hearing, related documents and filings must be submitted electronically through the Office of Health Planning's web portal. The Office of Health Planning is longer accepting in-person filings. Please refer to the Notice Related to Electronic Filings below.

IMPORTANT NOTICE RELATED TO ELECTRONIC FILINGS

Effective March 31, 2022, all Office of Health Planning applications and requests must be submitted electronically through our web portal. We are no longer accepting in-person filings. If you need to submit a document for which a web form is currently unavailable, please timely mail your submission to:

Department of Community Health
Office of Health Planning
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IMPORTANT NOTICE RELATED TO RECENTLY ADOPTED RULES

The following rules have been adopted by the Board of Community Health and implemented by the Georgia Secretary of State, effective March 31, 2022.

111-2-1-.01 Definitions 111-2-1-.02 Health Planning Functions of the Department

The above may be accessed here: https://dch.georgia.gov/document/document/final-health-planning-administration-111-2-1-rules-sos/download

The following rules have been adopted by the Board of Community Health and implemented by the Georgia Secretary of State, effective March 31, 2022.

111-2-2-.01 Definitions

111-2-2-.02 Nature of Certificate of Need

111-2-2-.03 Exemptions from Review

111-2-2-.04 Periodic Reports

111-2-2-.05 Enforcement

111-2-2-.06 Application for Certificate of Need

111-2-2-.07 Review Procedures

111-2-2-.08 Alternative Application and Review Procedures

111-2-2-.09 General Review Considerations

111-2-2-.10 Determinations

111-2-2-.11 Service-Specific Review Considerations Generally

111-2-2-.12 Reserved

111-2-2-.13 Reserved

111-2-2-.14 Reserved 111-2-2-.15 Reserved 111-2-2-.16 Reserved 111-2-2-.17 Reserved 111-2-2-.18 Reserved 111-2-2-.19 Reserved 111-2-2-.20 Specific Review Considerations for Short-Stay General Hospital Beds 111-2-2-.21 Specific Review Considerations for Adult Cardiac Catheterization Services 111-2-2-.22 Specific Review Considerations for Adult Open Heart Surgery Services 111-2-2-.23 Specific Review Considerations for Pediatric Cardiac Catheterization and Open **Heart Surgery** 111-2-2-.24 Specific Review Considerations for Perinatal Services 111-2-2-.25 Specific Review Considerations for Freestanding Birthing Centers 111-2-2-.26 Specific Review Considerations for Psychiatric and Substance Abuse Inpatient **Programs** 111-2-2-.27 Reserved 111-2-2-.28 Reserved 111-2-2-.29 Reserved 111-2-2-.30 Specific Review Considerations for Skilled Nursing and Intermediate Care Facilities 111-2-2-.31 Specific Review Considerations for Personal Care Homes 111-2-2-.32 Specific Review Considerations for Home Health Services 111-2-2-.33 Specific Review Considerations for Life Plan Community (LPC) Sheltered Nursing **Facilities** 111-2-2-.34 Specific Review Considerations for Traumatic Brain Injury 111-2-2-.35 Specific Review Considerations for Comprehensive Inpatient Physical **Rehabilitation Services** 111-2-2-.36 Specific Review Considerations for Long Term Care Hospitals 111-2-2-.37 Reserved 111-2-2-.38 Reserved 111-2-2-.39 Reserved 111-2-2-.40 Specific Review Considerations for Ambulatory Surgery Services 111-2-2-.41 Specific Review Considerations for Positron Emission Tomography Units

111-2-2-.42 Specific Review Considerations for MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Services/Units

The above may be accessed here: https://dch.georgia.gov/document/document/health-planning-certificate-need-111-2-2-rules-final-adoption-rev-v2/download

111-2-2-.43 Repealed