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July 6, 2023 – July 11, 2023

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Letters of Intent

LOI2023053 Fairview Park, Limited Partnership d/b/a Fairview Park Hospital

Cost Overrun for CON2021049

Received: 6/19/2023

Application must be submitted on: 7/19/2023

Site: 200 Industrial Boulevard, Dublin, GA 31021 (Laurens County)

Estimated Cost: \$8,042,000

LOI2023054 EHCA Johns Creek, LLC d/b/a Emory Johns Creek Hospital

Renovation and Addition of 37 Medical/Surgical Beds

Received: 6/28/2023

Application must be submitted on: 7/28/2023

Site: 6325 Hospital Parkway, Johns Creek, GA 30097 (Fulton County)

Estimated Cost: \$20,000,000

Letters of Intent – Batching

none

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none

Withdrawn CON Applications

none

New CON Applications

2023-052 Hamilton Medical Center, Inc.

Relocation and Consolidation of Cardiovascular Services

Filed: 6/30/2023

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

Contact: Sandy McKenzie, President of Operations 706-272-6289

Estimated Cost: \$230,000,000

Pending Review/Incomplete Applications

none

Pending Review/Complete Applications

2023-012 Piedmont Mountainside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Mountainside Hospital

Addition of 14 Short-Stay General Hospital Beds

Filed: 3/9/2023 Deemed Incomplete: 3/23/2023 Deemed Complete: 4/18/2023

60th Day Deadline: 6/16/2023

Decision Deadline: 8/15/2023

Site: 1266 Highway 515 South, Jasper, GA 30143 (Pickens County)

Contact: Lindsay Gard, Exec. Director/CFO 706-299-5110

Estimated Cost: \$13,600,000

2023-013 The Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown

Upgrade and Reconfiguration of Inpatient Beds

Filed: 3/17/2023 Deemed Incomplete: 3/31/2023 Deemed Complete: 4/21/2023

60th Day Deadline: 6/19/2023

Decision Deadline: 8/18/2023

Site: 710 Center Street, Columbus, GA 31901 (Muscogee County)

Contact: Allen Holladay, Chief Financial Officer 706-660-6194
Estimated Cost: \$45,840,002

2023-014 Youth Villages, Inc. d/b/a Youth Villages - Inner Harbour Campus

Construction of Five Residential Cottages

Filed: 3/27/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 4/6/2023

60th Day Deadline: 6/4/2023

Decision Deadline: 8/3/2023

Site: 4685 Dorsett Shoals Road, Douglasville, GA 30135 (Douglas County)

Contact: Tanya L. Anderson, MS, LPC, Executive Director 770-852-6238

Estimated Cost: \$28,333,000

2023-016 Medlink Georgia, Inc.

Development of Freestanding DTRC

Filed: 3/31/2023 **Deemed Incomplete:** 4/14/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 4/24/2023

60th Day Deadline: 6/22/2023

Decision Deadline: 8/21/2023

Site: 112 Banks Road, Commerce, GA 30521 (Banks County)

Contact: Arthur K. Gorman, Director of Imaging Services 706-338-5000

Estimated Cost: \$867,000

2023-020 Rehabilitation Hospital of Columbus, LLC

Cost Overrun for CON2020-036

Filed: 4/21/2023 **Deemed Incomplete:** 5/3/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 5/17/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/15/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/13/2023

Site: 8301 Veterans Parkway, Columbus, GA 31909 (Muscogee County)

Contact: Susan Lyerly, Assoc. Gen. Counsel 205-969-4528

Estimated Cost: \$41,257,037

2023-021 Southeast Georgia Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Satilla Health

Cost Overrun for CON2020-007

Filed: 4/24/2023 **Deemed Incomplete:** 5/8/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 5/31/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/29/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/27/2023

Site: 2500 Satilla Parkway, Waycross, GA 31501 (Ware County)

Contact: Christopher Kovacs, Chief Operating Officer 912-287-2501

Estimated Cost: \$754,217

2023-022 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Development of Outpatient Diagnostic Services

Filed: 5/3/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 5/17/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/15/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/13/2023

Site: 2800 Buford Drive, Buford, GA 30519 (Gwinnett County)

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

Estimated Cost: \$20,797,326

2023-024 Atlanta Neuroscience Institute Inc. d/b/a Atlanta Neuroscience Institute

Acquisition of MRI Scanner

Filed: 5/10/2023 **Deemed Complete:** 5/22/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/20/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/18/2023

Site: 3200 Downwood Circle, NW, Suite 550, Atlanta, GA 30327 (Fulton County)

Contact: Tamara Smith, Chief Operating Officer 404-609-5432

Estimated Cost: \$3,127,443

2023-026 Northeast Georgia Physicians Group, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Physicians Group - Toccoa

Replacement of CT Scanner

Filed: 5/18/2023 Deemed Complete: 6/1/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/30/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/28/2023
Site: 274 Big A Road, Toccoa, GA 30577 (Stephens County)
Contact: Linda Berger, Director of Strategy & Planning 770-219-6631
Estimated Cost: \$392,554

2023-028 Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC d/b/a Doctors Hospital of Augusta

Addition of Two Floors and 56 Beds to Burn Tower
Filed: 5/24/2023 Deemed Complete: 6/7/2023
60th Day Deadline: 8/5/2023
Decision Deadline: 10/4/2023
Site: 3651 Wheeler Road, Augusta, GA (Richmond County)
Contact: Angela Taylor, VP of Development and Operations 706-651-4809
Estimated Cost: \$83,000,000

2023-029 PruittHealth Home Health, Inc.

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 8
Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023
Site: 1500 East Forsyth Street, Suite 22, Americus, GA 31709 (Sumter County)
Contact: Marissa Bakhshian, Assistant General Counsel 678-533-6300
Estimated Cost: \$75,000

2023-030 PruittHealth Home Health, Inc. d/b/a PruittHealth @ Home - Gainesville

Expand Home Health Services in SSDR 1
Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023
Site: 39 Rivers Drive, Rome, GA 30161 (Floyd County)
Contact: Marissa Bakhshian, Assistant General Counsel 252-626-3483
Estimated Cost: \$10,000

2023-031 FMA Healthcare, LLC

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 3
Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023
Site: 1590 Phoenix Blvd, Suite 100, Atlanta, GA 30349 (Clayton County)
Contact: Tola Adeoti, Chief Operating Officer 770-907-7226
Estimated Cost: \$45,000

2023-032 Faith Medical Agency, LLC

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 3
Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023
Site: 1590 Phoenix Blvd, Suite 260, Atlanta, GA 30349 (Clayton County)
Contact: Tola Adeoti, Chief Operating Officer 770-907-7226
Estimated Cost: \$40,000

2023-034 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth

Addition of 18 Obstetrical Inpatient Beds
Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023
60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023
Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023
Site: 1200 Northside Forsyth Drive, Cumming, GA 30041 (Forsyth County)
Contact: Brian J. Toporek, Senior Planning Analyst 404-851-6821
Estimated Cost: \$10,931,732

2023-036 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center – South Hall Campus

Addition of 10 Obstetrical Beds

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

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

Contact: Linda Berger, Director of Strategy & Planning 770-219-6631

Estimated Cost: \$170,000

2023-037 Five Points Healthcare of GA, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Home Health

Expand Home Health Services in SSDR 3

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 2825 Breckinridge Blvd, Suite 100, Duluth, GA 30096 (Gwinnett County)

Contact: Shane Brinkerhoff, Interim President, Home Health 470-464-7605

Estimated Cost: \$10,000

2023-038 Crisp Regional Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Crisp Regional Health Services

Establish 3-Bed Level II Neonatal Intermediate Care Program

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 902 N. 7th Street, Cordele, GA (Crisp County)

Contact: Steven L. Gautney, CEO 229-276-3300

Estimated Cost: \$121,673

2023-040 ProHealth Home Health-Georgia, LLC d/b/a ProHealth Home Health

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 1

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 141 East Felton Road, Cartersville, GA 30126 (Bartow County)

Contact: David Lester, CEO 205-547-1980

Estimated Cost: \$66,250

2023-041 ProHealth Home Health-Georgia, LLC d/b/a ProHealth Home Health

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 3

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 2265 Roswell Rd, Suite 224, Marietta, GA 30062 (Cobb County)

Contact: David Lester, CEO 205-547-1980

Estimated Cost: \$77,000

2023-042 ARAA Home Health Agency LLC

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 3

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 10 Glenlake Parkway, Ste 130, Atlanta, GA 30328 (Fulton County)

Contact: Miriam Tales, Co-Founder, Owner 678-833-1818

Estimated Cost: \$45,638

2023-043 Ultra Care of Georgia, Inc.

Expand Home Health Services in SSDR 8

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 5280 Veterans Parkway, Suite 107, Columbus, GA 31904 (Muscogee County)

Contact: Glenn Page, CEO 706-324-7763

Estimated Cost: \$49,000

2023-048 Janella's House of Nursing

Establish Home Health Service in SSDR 3

Filed: 5/30/2023 Deemed Complete: 5/30/2023

60th Day Deadline: 7/28/2023

Decision Deadline: 9/26/2023

Site: 1423 Stockbridge Road, Suite 4, Jonesboro, GA 30236 (Clayton County)

Contact: Caroline K. Charleston, Chief Operating Officer 404-988-0723

Estimated Cost: \$1,000

Recently Approved Applications

2023-004 Crisp Regional Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Crisp Regional Health Services

Expansion and Renovation of Surgical Department

Filed: 2/2/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/16/2023

60th Day Deadline: 4/16/2023

Decision Deadline: 6/15/2023

APPROVED: 6/15/2023

Site: 902 N. 7th Street, Cordele, GA 31015 (Crisp County)

Contact: Steven L. Gautney, CEO 229-276-3300

Estimated Cost: \$19,638,000

2023-005 Fayette Community Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Fayette Hospital

Establishment of Mobile PET Services - Batching

Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023

60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023

Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023

APPROVED: 6/16/2023

Site: 1255 Highway 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)

Contact: Scott Wolfe, CFO 770-719-7073

Estimated Cost: \$50,000

2023-006 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center – South Hall Campus

Establishment of Mobile PET/CT Services at South Hall Campus - Batching

Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023

60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023

Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023

APPROVED: 6/16/2023

Site: 1515 River Place, Braselton, GA 30517 (Hall County)

Contact: Linda Berger, Director of Planning 770-219-6631

Estimated Cost: \$2,000,000

2023-008 Columbus Memory Center, P.C. d/b/a Columbus Memory Center

Establishment of Mobile PET Services - Batching

Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023

60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023

Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023

APPROVED: 6/16/2023

Site: 7196 North Lake Drive, Columbus, GA 31909 (Muscogee County)

Contact: Jonathan Liss, MD, Chief Executive Officer 706-327-4000

Estimated Cost: \$150,000

2023-010 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Acquisition of PET/CT Unit - Batching

Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023
60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023
Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023
APPROVED: 6/16/2023
Site: 2200 Medical Center Boulevard, Lawrenceville, GA 30046 (Gwinnett County)
Contact: Brian J. Toporek, Senior Planner 404-851-6821
Estimated Cost: \$4,637,339

2023-011 University Cancer & Blood Center, LLC

Addition of PET/CT Unit - Batchring
Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023
60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023
Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023
APPROVED: 6/16/2023
Site: 3320 Old Jefferson Road, Bldg 700, Athens, GA 30607 (Clarke County)
Contact: Loretta Goodson, CEO 706-353-5016
Estimated Cost: \$2,841,910

Recently Denied Applications

2023-007 EHCA Johns Creek LLC d/b/a Emory Johns Creek Hospital

Establishment of Non-Special MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Services - Batchring
Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023
60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023
Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023
DENIED: 6/16/2023
Site: 6335 Hospital Parkway, Johns Creek, GA 30097 (Fulton County)
Contact: Laurie Hansen, VP of Operations 678-474-7012
Estimated Cost: \$20,610,562

2023-009 Augusta Oncology Associates, P.C. d/b/a Augusta Oncology Multispecialty Clinic

Establishment of Non-Special MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Service - Batchring
Filed: 2/20/2023 Deemed Complete: 2/20/2023
60th Day Deadline: 4/20/2023
Decision Deadline: 6/19/2023
DENIED: 6/16/2023
Site: 1125 Interstate Pkwy, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)
Contact: Traci M. Duffie, CEO 706-736-1830
Estimated Cost: \$9,590,668

Disqualified Applications

none

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: Grants WellStar Windy Hill's Petition for Writ of Certiorari, 5/2/2023.

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

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 Request 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

DET-ASC2022-021 Athens Orthopedic Clinic Ambulatory Surgery Center-SPARC, LLC Request for Letter of Determination received on 9/16/2022, regarding the establishment of a Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center.

Agency Decision: Approved on 3/15/2023

Appealed: Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center, Inc. ("PARMC") files Request for Administrative Appeal on 3/31/2023.

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, Inc. d/b/a 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. Affirms Superior Court's denial of Braselton ASC's, NGMC-South Hall

Campus', NGMC-Main Campus', and NGMC Barrow's Petition for Judicial Review, 5/3/2023. Braselton ASC, NGMC-South Hall Campus, NGMC-Main Campus, and NGMC Barrow file Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the Georgia Supreme Court, 6/12/2023.

Supreme Court: Pending

2020-002 Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC (Columbia)

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. Affirms Superior Court of Fulton County's 12/23/2021 decision and affirms the Department's approval of CON Project No. GA 2020-002, 10/26/2022. AUMC files Motion for Reconsideration, 11/3/2022. Denies AUMC's Motion for Reconsideration, 11/9/2022.

AUMC files Petition for Certiorari in the Georgia Supreme Court, 11/28/2022.

Supreme Court: Pending

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 Bibb County, 5/26/2021. Peach files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Peach County, 5/26/2021. 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, 1/27/2023. Houston files Petition for Judicial Review on Remand in Superior Court of Houston County, 2/23/2023. Peach files Petition for Judicial Review on Remand in Superior Court of Peach County, 2/27/2023.

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. Vacates Department's final decision and remands the case to the Department, 11/23/2022. Grants Peach's Petition for Judicial Review on Remand, reverses Commissioner's 1/27/2023 Remand Order, and denies Coliseum's CON application, 7/6/2023.

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. Vacates Department's final decision and remands the case to the Department, 11/22/2022. Grants Houston's Petition for Judicial Review on Remand, reverses Commissioner's 1/27/2023 Remand Order, and denies Coliseum's CON application, 5/25/2023. Coliseum files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 6/26/2023. The Department files Application for Discretionary Appeal in the Georgia Court of Appeals, 6/26/2023.

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). Vacates Superior Court of Houston County and Superior Court of Peach County decisions with instructions to remand the case to the Department, 10/26/2022.

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.

2020-015 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. Affirms Superior Court of Gwinnett County's 11/24/2021 judgment and reverses Superior Court of Hall County's 12/1/2021 judgment, granting a CON to Northside Hospital Gwinnett, 10/26/2022. NGMC-Main Campus and NGMC-South Hall file Consolidated Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the Georgia Supreme Court, 12/5/2022. RCOG-Lawrenceville, RCOG-Snellville, and Vantage-Lawrenceville file Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the Georgia Supreme Court, 12/5/2022.

Supreme Court: Pending

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: 10/16/2023, 9:00 A.M. / Remote Video Conference

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

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") files Request to Intervene, 7/14/2021.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

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") files 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

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms Department's decision to grant a CON to Northside, 4/3/2023. NGMC-Main Campus files for Commissioner Review, 5/3/2023.

Commissioner Review Decision: Affirms Hearing Officer's 4/3/2023 decision to grant a CON to Northside, 6/2/2023. NGMC-Main Campus files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Hall County, 6/30/2023.

Superior Court of Hall County: Pending

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") files 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

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer affirms Department's decision to grant a CON to Northside, 4/3/2023. NGMC-Main Campus files for Commissioner Review, 5/3/2023.

Commissioner Review Decision: Affirms Hearing Officer's 4/3/2023 decision to grant a CON to Northside, 6/2/2023. NGMC-Main Campus files Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Hall County, 6/30/2023.

Superior Court of Hall County: Pending

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

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

Agency Decision: Denied, 9/23/2022

Appealed By: Five Points Healthcare of GA, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Home Health ("Aveanna Cobb"), 10/18/2022.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

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

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

Agency Decision: Denied, 9/23/2022

Appealed By: Five Points Healthcare of GA, LLC d/b/a Aveanna Home Health ("Aveanna Gwinnett"), 10/18/2022.

Hearing Officer: David C. Will, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

2023-002 First Look MRI Braselton, LLC (Hall)

Replacement of Existing MRI Scanner

Agency Decision: Denied, 5/30/2023

Appealed By: First Look MRI Braselton, LLC, 6/22/2023. American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC d/b/a American Health Imaging of Cumming and American Health Imaging of Gainesville ("AHI") files Request to Intervene, 6/29/2023. First Look MRI Braselton, LLC withdraws Request for Appeal, 6/29/2023.

Hearing Officer: N/A

Hearing Date: N/A

2023-007 EHCA Johns Creek LLC d/b/a Emory Johns Creek Hospital (Fulton)

Establishment of Non-Special MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy Services - Batching

Agency Decision: Denied, 6/16/2023

Appealed By: EHCA John's Creek, LLC d/b/a Emory John's Creek Hospital ("EJCH"), 6/27/2023. Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Main Campus ("NGMC-Main Campus") files Request to Intervene, 6/30/2023. Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Northeast Georgia Medical Center-South Hall ("NGMC-South Hall") files Request to Intervene, 6/30/2023.

Hearing Officer: William C. Joy, Esq.

Hearing Date: Pending

Requests for DET-EQT for Diagnostic or Therapeutic Equipment

DET-EQT2023016 Reagan Medical Center, LLC

Purchase of 2016 Evo Revolution CT

Request received: 3/17/2023

Contact Person: Sabrina Boyd Carroll

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/27/2023

DET-EQT2023018 Piedmont Walton Hospital

Mobile CT Scanner at Piedmont Walton Hospital

Request received: 4/11/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/23/2023

DET-EQT2023019 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.

Purchase Robotic Surgical System

Request received: 4/21/2023

Contact Person: Linda Berger
Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/23/2023

DET-EQT2023020 Piedmont Fayette Hospital

CT Scanner Replacement
Request received: 5/1/2023
Contact Person: Lavinia Luca
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023021 Piedmont Mountainside Hospital

Acquisition of CT System at Piedmont Mountainside Hospital
Request received: 5/8/2023
Contact Person: Lavinia Luca
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023022 Houston Hospitals, Inc.

Houston Warner Robins da Vinci Acquisition
Request received: 5/10/2023
Contact Person: David S. Levitt
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023025 Legacy Brain & Spine, L.L.C.

Purchase Fixed MRI
Request received: 5/26/2023
Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023026 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.

Purchase MRI for Dawsonville MOB
Request received: 5/30/2023
Contact Person: Linda Berger
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023027 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee

Acquisition of Below Threshold da Vinci Surgical Robot
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023028 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta

Acquisition of CT Simulator and HDR
Request received: 6/9/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023029 Houston Hospitals, Inc. d/b/a Houston Healthcare

Lease da Vinci Robot
Request received: 6/13/2023
Contact Person: David S. Levitt
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023030 Egleston Children's Hospital at Emory University, Inc. d/b/a Children's

Purchase Fixed CT Scanner
Request received: 6/15/2023
Contact Person: David Fenstermacher
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023031 Resurgens LLC

Lease Fixed MRI
Request received: 6/19/2023
Contact Person: Kesha Colton
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023032 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee
Retention of Below Threshold CT Unit
Request received: 6/26/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023033 EHCA Johns Creek, LLC d/b/a Emory Johns Creek Hospital
Acquisition of a Mobile MRI
Request received: 6/27/2023
Contact Person: Laurie Hansen
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023034 Georgia Bone & Joint Surgeons, P.C.
MRI Acquisition
Request received: 6/29/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023035 Emsite Health, LLC
Lease Fixed MRI
Request received: 7/5/2023
Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross
Determination: Pending

DET-EQT2023036 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth
Temporary Lease of Mobile MRI Unit
Request received: 7/5/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
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-ASC2023006 Thomas Eye Surgery Center, LLC
Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center
Site: 5995 Barfield Road, NE, Suite 200, Sandy Springs, GA 30328
Number of OR's: 4 **Specialty:** Ophthalmology
Project costs as submitted: \$0.00
Request received: 3/1/2023
Contact Person: Rebecca M. Thornhill
Determination: Approved **Determination Date:** 6/30/2023

DET-ASC2023010 Non-Surgical Orthopaedics, P.C.
Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center
Site: 335 Roseland Street, Suite 100, Marietta, GA 30060
Number of OR's: 1 **Specialty:** Physiatry
Project costs as submitted: \$0.00
Request received: 3/31/2023
Contact Person: Anthony R. Grasso
Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2023011 Athens Orthopedic Clinic Ambulatory Surgery Center - Loganville, LLC
Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center
Site: 3440 Highway 81, Suite 100, Loganville, GA 30052
Number of OR's: 3 **Specialty:** Orthopedic Surgery
Project costs as submitted: \$25,500.00
Request received: 4/14/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2023012 Georgia Interventional Pain - O, LLC

Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Site: 1008 Druid Park Avenue, Suite 102, Augusta, GA 30904

Number of OR's: 1 **Specialty:** Pain Medicine

Project costs as submitted: \$977,925.75

Request received: 4/26/2023

Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross

Determination: Approved

Determination Date: 6/27/2023

DET-ASC2023013 Non-Surgical Orthopaedics, P.C.

Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Site: 1301 Sigman Road, Suite 120, Conyers, GA 30012

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

Project costs as submitted: \$0.00

Request received: 5/13/2023

Contact Person: Anthony R. Grasso

Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2023014 Georgia Interventional Pain - N, LLC

Establishment of Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Site: 39C Oak Hill Court, Suite 102, Newnan, GA 30265

Number of OR's: 1 **Specialty:** Pain Medicine

Project costs as submitted: \$859,283.00

Request received: 6/21/2023

Contact Person: Joseph R. Ross

Determination: Pending

DET-ASC2023015 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta and Total Joint Specialists, LLC

Establishment of Joint Venture Ambulatory Surgery Center

Site: 1150 Hammond Drive, Suite 600, Atlanta, GA 30328

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

Project costs as submitted: \$3,633,452.05

Request received: 7/10/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

Requests for Miscellaneous Letters of Determination

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

DET2023005 Piedmont Newnan Hospital

Replacement of CON Approved CT Scanner at Outpatient Imaging Center

Request received: 1/13/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/13/2023

DET2023042 Piedmont Mountainside Hospital, Inc.

Replacement of Diagnostic Cath Lab Equipment

Request received: 3/17/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/14/2023

DET2023044 Magnolia Manor, Inc.

Construction of Assisted Living Facility and Relocation of Skilled Nursing Facility

Request received: 3/21/2023

Contact Person: Mark Todd

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/23/2023

DET2023047 Fayette County Nursing Home, LLC dba Southland Health and Rehabilitation

Capital Expenditure Below Threshold

Request received: 3/27/2023

Contact Person: Kim Sheffield

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/15/2023

DET2023048 West Georgia Endoscopy Center, LLC

Capital Expenditures Below Threshold for Endoscopy Center

Request received: 3/30/2023

Contact Person: Kathlynn Butler Polvino

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 7/5/2023

DET2023049 Doctors Hospital Surgery Center, L.P. d/b/a Evans Surgery Center

Expansion of Clinical Services at Multi-Specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

Request received: 3/31/2023

Contact Person: Leslie Law Williams

Determination: Pending

DET2023053 Thomas Eye Surgery Center of Fayette, LLC

Change in Participation in CMS Medicaid Program and Indigent/Charity Care Commitment

Request received: 4/5/2023

Contact Person: Rebecca M. Thornhill

Determination: Pending

DET2023054 Lenora Church Road Property - SNF, LLC

Renovation of Existing Nursing Home

Request received: 4/5/2023

Contact Person: Margaret Wheeler

Determination: Pending

DET2023055 Hospital Authority of Valdosta, Lowndes County, Georgia

Expansion of Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Laboratory

Request received: 4/7/2023

Contact Person: Michele Madison

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/26/2023

DET2023056 Georgia Department of Veterans Service

ADA H/C Renovations - Wood Building

Request received: 4/12/2023

Contact Person: Russell Feagin

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/20/2023

DET2023057 Fellowship Home at Meriwether

10% Increase of Bed Capacity

Request received: 4/17/2023

Contact Person: John LaHood

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/20/2023

DET2023058 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Development of Cardiovascular Diagnostic Center

Request received: 4/18/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/20/2023

DET2023059 Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Inc.

Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital Angiography Replacement

Request received: 4/18/2023

Contact Person: Christopher Kane

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/20/2023

DET2023060 Vest Monroe, LLC d/b/a Ridgeview Institute - Monroe

10 Percent Increase in Bed Capacity

Request received: 4/19/2023

Contact Person: Kathryn MT Platt

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/23/2023

DET2023062 Piedmont Newnan Hospital

CT Scanner Replacement at Piedmont Newnan Hospital

Request received: 4/25/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/12/2023

DET2023063 M&O ELLIJAY, LLC

Development of Medical Office Building

Request received: 4/26/2023

Contact Person: CHRISTIAN T. HAUCK

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/26/2023

DET2023064 Greenleaf Center, LLC

10% Increase in Bed Capacity

Request received: 4/27/2023

Contact Person: Amy B. Cheng

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/26/2023

DET2023065 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Gwinnett

Below Threshold Expansion of Dialysis Department

Request received: 4/28/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 6/27/2023

DET2023067 Floyd Healthcare Management, Inc. d/b/a Atrium Health Floyd Medical Center

Atrium Health Floyd Medical Center 2023 Therapeutic Cardiac Cath Exemption

Request received: 5/5/2023

Contact Person: Drew Dempsey

Determination: Pending

DET2023068 EHCA Johns Creek, LLC d/b/a Emory Johns Creek Hospital

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: Laurie Hansen

Determination: Pending

DET2023069 Cartersville Medical Center, LLC d/b/a Piedmont Cartersville Medical Center

Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Pending

DET2023070 Vidalia Health Services, LLC d/b/a Memorial Health Meadows Hospital

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: Heather Walters

Determination: Pending

DET2023071 The Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Pending

DET2023072 Doctors Hospital of Augusta, LLC d/b/a Doctors Hospital of Augusta

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: Jeremy Cope

Determination: Pending

DET2023073 Cobb Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Cobb Hospital

Wellstar Cobb Hospital Annual Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023074 Douglas Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Douglas Hospital

Wellstar Douglas Hospital Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023075 Paulding Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Paulding Medical Center

Wellstar Paulding Medical Center Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023076 Wellstar North Fulton Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

Wellstar North Fulton Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023077 Wellstar Spalding Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Spalding Medical Center

Wellstar Spalding Medical Center Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption

Request received: 5/8/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023078 Grady Memorial Hospital Corporation

Grady Lee + White Outpatient Center

Request received: 5/9/2023

Contact Person: Shannon Sale

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 7/7/2023

DET2023079 Grady Memorial Hospital Corporation

Grady Cascade Outpatient Center

Request received: 5/9/2023

Contact Person: Shannon Sale

Determination: Non-reviewable as proposed **Determination Date:** 7/7/2023

DET2023080 Prime Healthcare Foundation - Southern Regional, LLC

Continuation of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption

Request received: 5/9/2023

Contact Person: Kathlynn Butler Polvino

Determination: Pending

DET2023081 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center - Villa Rica

Continuation of Exemption for Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization

Request received: 5/10/2023

Contact Person: Kathlynn Butler Polvino

Determination: Pending

DET2023082 Coffee Regional Medical Center

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exempt Request

Request received: 5/10/2023

Contact Person: Vicki Lewis

Determination: Pending

DET2023083 Houston Hospitals, Inc. d/b/a Houston Healthcare Warner Robins

Houston Healthcare Warner Robins PCI Determination Request

Request received: 5/11/2023

Contact Person: Charles Briscoe

Determination: Pending

DET2023084 Upson County Hospital, Inc d/b/a Upson Regional Medical Center

URMC PCI Determination Request

Request received: 5/11/2023

Contact Person: John Williams

Determination: Pending

DET2023085 Northeast Georgia Medical Center, Inc.

Continue Adult PCI Service at NGMC So Hall campus

Request received: 5/11/2023

Contact Person: Linda Berger

Determination: Pending

DET2023086 Burke Hospital Company d/b/a Burke Health

Burke Health Request for Determination - PCI

Request received: 5/12/2023

Contact Person: Victor Moldovan

Determination: Pending

DET2023087 DeKalb Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Emory Decatur Hospital

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/12/2023

Contact Person: Andy Hogan

Determination: Pending

DET2023088 Piedmont Fayette Hospital

Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption

Request received: 5/12/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Pending

DET2023089 Southeast Georgia Health Services, LLC

Therapeutic Cardiac Cath PCI Exemption - Renewal

Request received: 5/12/2023

Contact Person: Christopher Kovacs

Determination: Pending

DET2023090 Hospital Authority of Valdosta, Lowndes County, Georgia

Renovation Under the Threshold

Request received: 5/12/2023

Contact Person: Michele Madison

Determination: Pending

DET2023091 Piedmont Newnan Hospital

Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption

Request received: 5/15/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Pending

DET2023092 Paulding Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Paulding Nursing Center

Wellstar Paulding Nursing Center Renovations

Request received: 5/15/2023

Contact Person: James Satcher

Determination: Pending

DET2023093 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Atlanta

Request to Continue Providing Adult Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization

Request received: 5/15/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET2023094 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee
Request to Continue Providing Adult Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET2023095 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth
Request to Continue Providing Adult Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET2023096 Eastside Medical Center, LLC d/b/a Piedmont Eastside Medical Center
Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Lavinia Luca
Determination: Pending

DET2023097 Adventist Health System Georgia, Inc. d/b/a Adventhealth Gordon
Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Chris Self
Determination: Pending

DET2023098 Piedmont Henry Hospital
Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Lavinia Luca
Determination: Pending

DET2023099 East Georgia Regional Medical Center, LLC
EGRMC 2023 Renewal of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Statutory Exemption
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Stephen G. Pennington
Determination: Pending

DET2023100 Piedmont Rockdale Hospital, Inc.
Annual Assessment of Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterization Exemption
Request received: 5/15/2023
Contact Person: Lavinia Luca
Determination: Pending

DET2023101 Specialty Surgery Center, Inc.
Conversion of Corporation to Limited Liability Company
Request received: 5/16/2023
Contact Person: Brian Looby
Determination: Pending

DET2023102 Center for Advanced Research & Education, LLC
Acquisition for Purposes not Covered by CON
Request received: 5/16/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET2023103 Douglas Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Wellstar Douglas Hospital
Wellstar Douglas Hospital Renovations
Request received: 5/18/2023
Contact Person: James Satcher
Determination: Pending

DET2023104 John D. Archbold Memorial Hospital

Expenditure to Comply with Accreditation/Licensure Standards

Request received: 5/19/2023

Contact Person: Kathryn MT Platt

Determination: Pending

DET2023106 St. Mary's Hospital, Inc.

Request for Determination-Renewal of Therapeutic Cardiac Cath Statutory Exemption

Request received: 5/15/2023

Contact Person: Liz Schoen

Determination: Pending

DET2023107 Floyd Healthcare Management, Inc., d/b/a Atrium Health Floyd

Expenditure to Acquire Existing Medical Office Building

Request received: 5/23/2023

Contact Person: Drew Dempsey

Determination: Pending

DET2023108 Floyd Healthcare Management, Inc., d/b/a Atrium Health Floyd

Expenditure to Acquire Existing Medical Office Building

Request received: 5/23/2023

Contact Person: Drew Dempsey

Determination: Pending

DET2023109 Savannah Health Services, LLC

Renovate Existing Milk Prep Area

Request received: 5/25/2023

Contact Person: Laura Dow

Determination: Pending

DET2023110 Siskin Hospital for Physical Rehabilitation

Establishment of Outpatient Physical Therapy Clinic

Request received: 5/26/2023

Contact Person: Michelle E Benavides

Determination: Pending

DET2023111 Piedmont Henry Hospital

Replacement of CON-Approved Equipment at Piedmont Henry Hospital

Request received: 5/31/2023

Contact Person: Lavinia Luca

Determination: Pending

DET2023112 Tanner Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a Tanner Medical Center Carrollton

Replacement of CON Authorized Equipment - CT

Request received: 6/1/2023

Contact Person: Kathlynn Butler Polvino

Determination: Pending

DET2023113 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Imaging at Hamilton Mill

Replacement of CT scanner

Request received: 6/6/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2023114 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Imaging at Hamilton Mill

Replacement of MRI Unit

Request received: 6/6/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek

Determination: Pending

DET2023115 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Imaging at Hamilton Mill

Below Threshold Repairs as a Result of Deep Freeze Flooding

Request received: 6/6/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET2023116 Clairmont Place Condominium Association
Conversion of Montclair Personal Care Home to Montclair Assisted Living Community
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Allison Rutland Soulen
Determination: Pending

DET2023117 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC (Relocate Sandy Spgs Imaging Ctr)
Relocate Existing CON Imaging Center
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Dan Balentine
Determination: Pending

DET2023118 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC (Replace 3.0T MRI)
Replace CON-Approved 3.0T MRI
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Dan Balentine
Determination: Pending

DET2023119 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC (Replace 1.5T MRI)
Replace CON-Approved 1.5T MRI
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Dan Balentine
Determination: Pending

DET2023120 American Health Imaging of Georgia, LLC (Replace CT)
Replace CON-Approved CT
Request received: 6/7/2023
Contact Person: Dan Balentine
Determination: Pending

DET2023121 Hamilton Medical Center, Inc.
Hamilton Medical Center Maternity Renovation
Request received: 6/13/2023
Contact Person: Danny Wright
Determination: Pending

DET2023122 Medici Surgical Center Cobb, LLC
Restructuring of Ownership in ASC
Request received: 6/15/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET2023123 Medici Surgical Center Gwinnett, LLC
Restructuring of Ownership in ASC
Request received: 6/15/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET2023124 Atlanta Spine Surgery Center, LLC
Restructuring of Ownership in ASC
Request received: 6/15/2023
Contact Person: Victor Moldovan
Determination: Pending

DET2023125 Houston Hospitals, Inc. d/b/a Houston Healthcare
Facility Renovations
Request received: 6/22/2023
Contact Person: David S. Levitt
Determination: Pending

DET2023126 Howard Healthcare Management, LLC

Separation of ASCs into Two Entities

Request received: 6/23/2023**Contact Person:** Joseph R. Ross**Determination:** Pending**DET2023127 Piedmont Augusta Hospital**

Replacement of Electrophysiology Equipment

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Lavinia Luca**Determination:** Pending**DET2023128 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee**

Below Threshold Capital Expenditures to Renovate Radiology Suite

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Brian Toporek**Determination:** Pending**DET2023129 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee**

Below Threshold Expenditures to Relocate Fluoroscopy

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Brian Toporek**Determination:** Pending**DET2023130 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee**

Below Threshold Expenditures to Renovate Imaging Suite in MOB

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Brian Toporek**Determination:** Pending**DET2023131 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Cherokee**

Replacement of CT Scanner

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Brian Toporek**Determination:** Pending**DET2023132 Piedmont Augusta Hospital**

Replacement of Cardiac Catheterization Equipment

Request received: 6/26/2023**Contact Person:** Lavinia Luca**Determination:** Pending**DET2023133 Savannah Health Services, LLC**

Renovate Hallway and HVAC

Request received: 6/28/2023**Contact Person:** Laura Dow**Determination:** Pending**DET2023134 Phoebe Sumter Medical Center, Inc.**

Ultrasound Relocation

Request received: 7/5/2023**Contact Person:** Christopher Kane**Determination:** Pending**DET2023135 Phoebe Sumter Medical Center, Inc.**

Patient Treatment Modalities (PTM) Area Renovation

Request received: 7/5/2023**Contact Person:** Christopher Kane**Determination:** Pending**DET2023136 Northside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Northside Hospital Forsyth**

Replacement of MRI at Northside Snellville Imaging

Request received: 7/5/2023

Contact Person: Brian Toporek
Determination: Pending

DET2023137 Radiotherapy Clinics of Georgia
Linac Replacement
Request received: 7/6/2023
Contact Person: Kathryn MT Platt
Determination: Pending

Requests for Extended Implementation/Effective Period

2021037 The A.G. Rhodes Home - Cobb, Inc.
Major Renovation
Request to Extend Completion Date
Site: 900 Wylie Road SE, Marietta (Cobb)
Project Approved: 11/22/2021
Request Received: 7/10/2023
Contact: John Hicks, Director of Capital Projects (404-797-9870)
Approved Cost: \$ 36,238,000
Determination: Pending

Need Projection Analyses Posted **6/22/2023**

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

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

2028 Non-Special MRT Need Projection – Posted 6/22/2023

2028 PET Need Projection – Posted 6/22/2023

2027 Ambulatory Surgical Services Need Projection by HPA– Posted 3/31/2023

2028 Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation Need Projections – Posted 6/22/2023

2027 Neonatal Intermediate Care Bed Need Projection – Posted 3/31/2023

2027 Neonatal Intensive Care Bed Need Projection – Posted 3/31/2023

2027 Obstetric Services Bed Need Projection – Posted 3/31/2023

2025 Nursing Home Bed Need Projection – Posted 3/31/2023

2025 Home Health Agency Services Need Projection - Posted 3/31/2023

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 (7/11/2023))

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 Orthopaedic 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
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
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 Batching Cycles and the related services, generally, 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 6/22/2023 on DCH Website* Summer 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.

[Positron Emission Tomography](#)

[MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy](#)

[Pediatric Cath/Open Heart](#)

[Adult Open Heart](#)

[Birthing Centers](#)

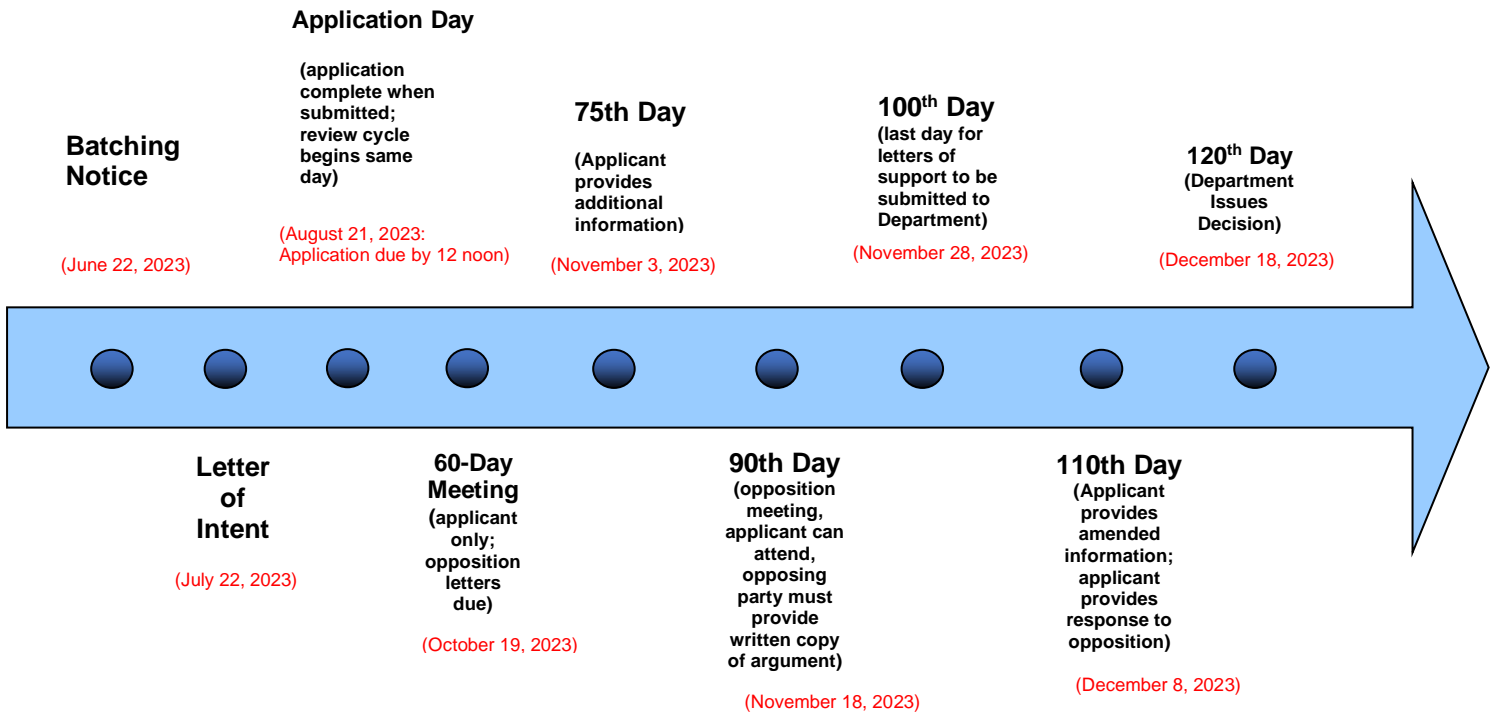
[Psych/Substance Abuse](#)

[Inpatient Rehabilitation](#)

Need Projections can be found on the [“OHP Need Projections” Page](#)

BATCHED APPLICATIONS: SEQUENCE OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION REVIEW ACTIVITIES

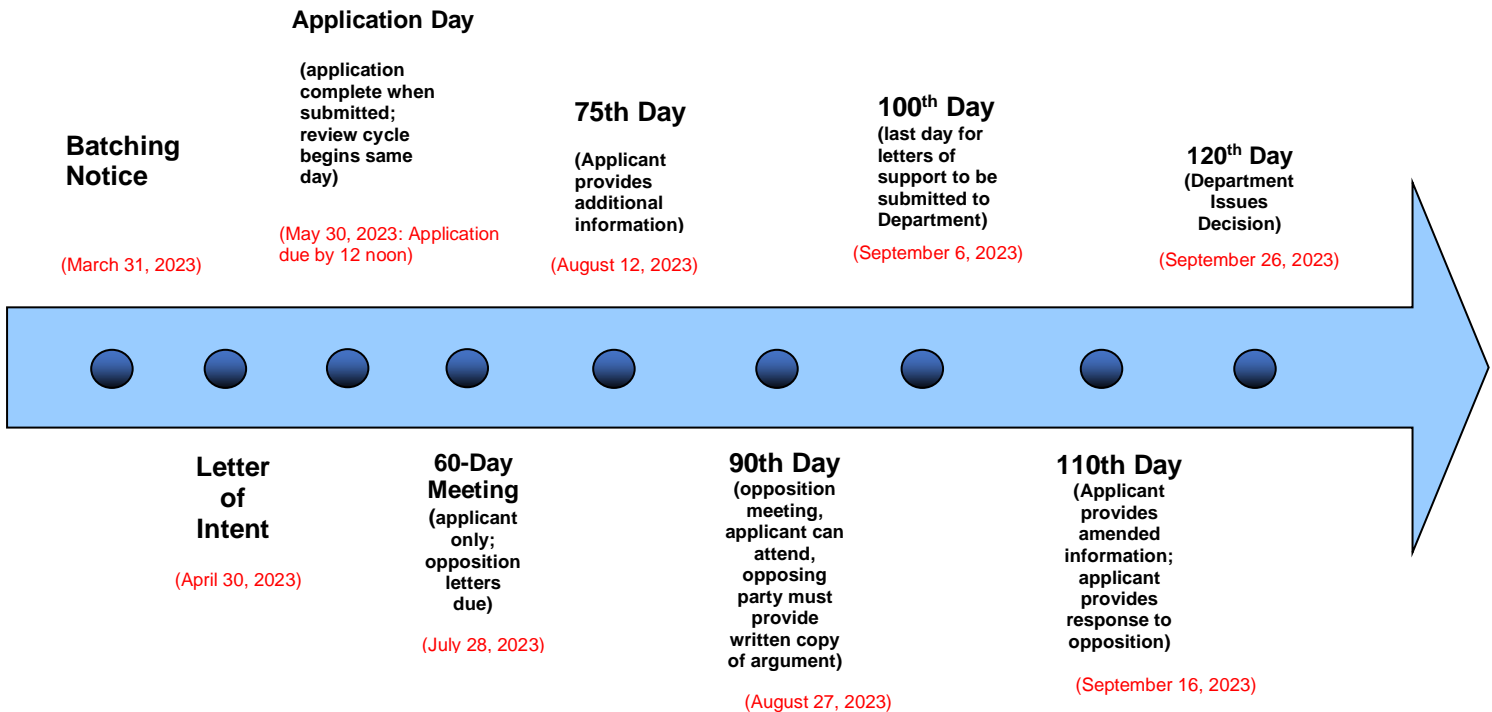
SUMMER CYCLE



- ▶ 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)
- ▶ 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)

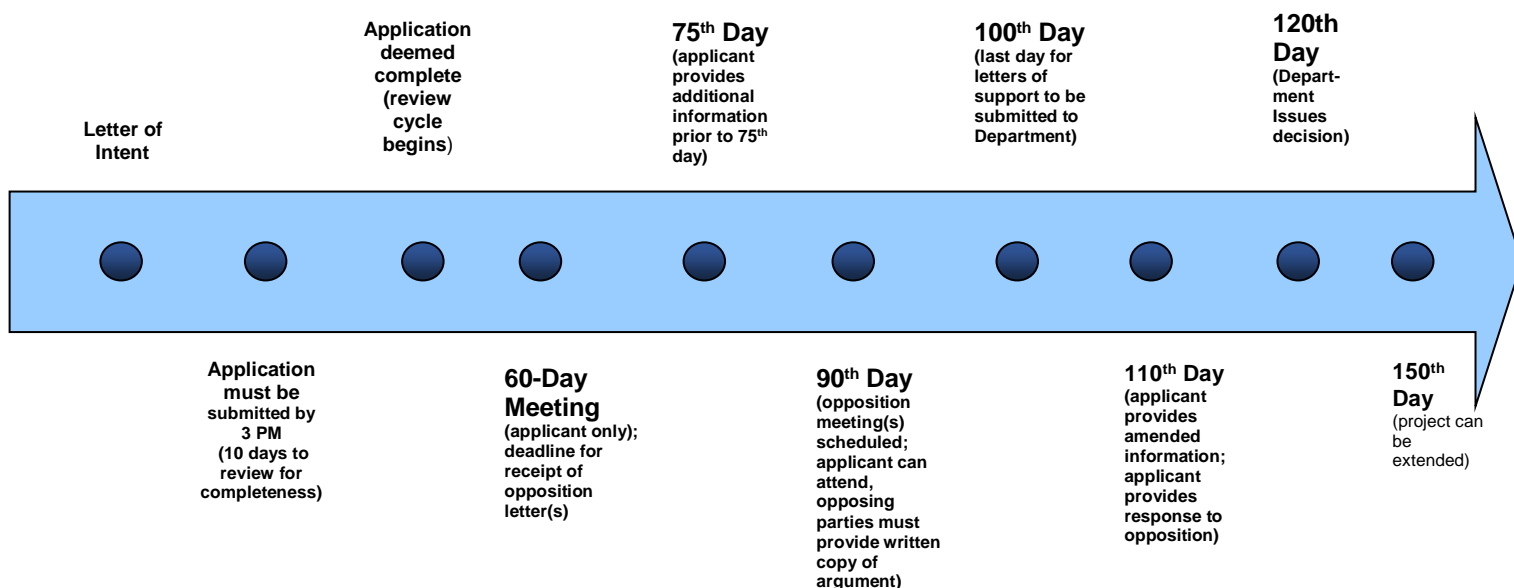
BATCHED APPLICATIONS: SEQUENCE OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION REVIEW ACTIVITIES

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)
- ▶ 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

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Georgia Department of Community Health, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, East Tower, 16th Floor,
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For questions concerning pending Certificate of Need applications please contact Bruce
Henderson, Compliance Specialist Supervisor
(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 CON-related 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.ga.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 [Letters of Intent](#) 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)

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

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

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

Carl P. Dowling
(Appointed on February 22, 2023)

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
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, East Tower, 16th Floor
Atlanta, GA 30334**

The web portal may be accessed here: <https://dch.georgia.gov/office-health-planning-applications-and-requests-forms-0>

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
111-2-2-.43 Repealed

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>