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March 24, 2016

Ms. Brenda Ewing
1000 West Hamlet Avenue
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No Review

Record #: 1906
Facility Name: Sandhills Regional Medical Center
FID #: 000195
Business Name: Sandhills Regional Medical Center
Business #: 1626
Project Description: Utilize third floor for an Intensive Outpatient Behavioral Health Unit
County: Richmond

Dear Ms. Ewing:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) received your letter of February 16, 2016 regarding the above referenced proposal. Based on the CON law **in effect on the date of this response to your request**, the proposal described in your correspondence is not governed by, and therefore, does not currently require a certificate of need. However, please note that if the CON law is subsequently amended such that the above referenced proposal would require a certificate of need, this determination does not authorize you to proceed to develop the above referenced proposal when the new law becomes effective.

However, you need to contact the Agency's Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section to determine if they have any requirements for development of the proposed project.

It should be noted that this determination is binding only for the facts represented in your correspondence. Consequently, if changes are made in the project or in the facts provided in your correspondence referenced above, a new determination as to whether a certificate of need is required would need to be made by this office. Changes in a project include, but are not limited



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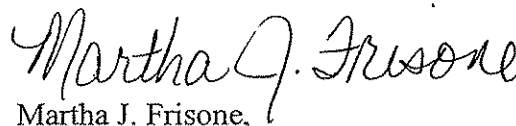
to: (1) increases in the capital cost; (2) acquisition of medical equipment not included in the original cost estimate; (3) modifications in the design of the project; (4) change in location; and (5) any increase in the number of square feet to be constructed.

Please contact this office if you have any questions. Also, in all future correspondence you should reference the Facility ID # (FID) if the facility is licensed.

Sincerely,

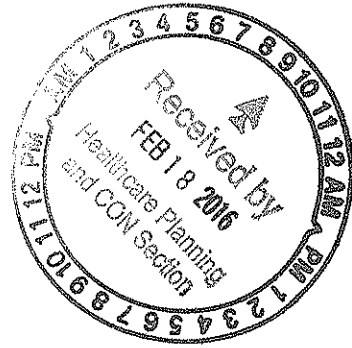


Tanya S. Rupp
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cc: Construction Section, DHSR
Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR
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February 16, 2016

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Tonya Rupp,

Sandhills Regional Medical Center is informing Certificate of Need section the proposed plans to open a new service line of Intensive Outpatient Behavioral Health Program. The program will be located on the 3rd floor of the hospital; the 3rd floor of the hospital has been closed for over two years. There will be no structural changes for deletion or additions to bed capacity. The capital cost to implement the program will be less than \$10,000, which includes painting and purchasing furniture.

The structure of the program will consist of three to five days of scheduled therapy services that will be provided by licensed therapist for three to four hours on scheduled days. The individual client will not receive more than 15 hours a week and each individual will be seen by the psychiatrist every 30 days.

Sandhills Regional Medical Center is asking for a no review confirmation letter, if the proposed plan above meets criteria.

For any questions please contact Brenda Ewing CNO at 910-205-8105 or Kenyett Moody Director of BHU at 910-205-8137.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brenda Ewing RN BSN".

Brenda Ewing RN BSN