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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **Approval Sought for Change of Scope to Add Acute Care Beds in Durham County**

**DURHAM, NC** – University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill and University of North Carolina Health Care System have filed a certificate of need application with the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services for a change of scope to develop 42 additional acute care beds on the UNC Hospitals Cary Campus in response to a need determination in the 2026 State Medical Facilities Plan.

The project is expected to cost \$18.6 million and would be completed in January 2032.

A public hearing for this project will be held June 12 at noon in conference room 123 of the William V. Bell Building, 201 E. Main St. in Durham.

Anyone may file written comments concerning this proposal. Comments must be received by the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section no later than 5 p.m. on June 1.

Comments may be submitted as an attachment to an email if they are sent to [DHRS.CON.Comments@dhhs.nc.gov](mailto:DHRS.CON.Comments@dhhs.nc.gov). Comments may also be mailed to the following address:

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