

**Technology and Equipment Committee
Oral Report to the SHCC
2019 Summer Petitions and Comments**

CARDIAC CATHETERIZATION

The Agency received one petition.

- **Pardee UNC Health Care** petitioned for an adjusted need determination for one unit of cardiac catheterization equipment in Henderson County. One comment was received in support of the petition.

GAMMA KNIFE

The Agency received one petition.

- **Atrium Health** petitioned for an adjusted need determination for one gamma knife in the western portion of the state (Health Service Areas I, II, and III). One comment was received in opposition to the petition.

LINEAR ACCELERATORS

No petitions or comments were received.

LITHOTRIPSY

No petitions or comments were received.

MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING

The Agency received two petitions.

- **Sentara Albemarle Medical Center** petitioned to remove the need for one MRI scanner in the Pasquotank/Camden/Currituck/Perquimans service area from the *Proposed 2019 SMFP*. No comments were received.
- **Raleigh Radiology** petitioned for one MRI scanner in the Wake County service area. Three comments were received in opposition to the petition. One comment in favor of the petition was received, in addition to 86 letters of support.

POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY SCANNERS

The Agency received one petition.

- **Southeastern Regional Medical Center** petitioned for an adjusted need determination for one PET scanner in HSA V, designated for Robeson County. One comment was received in favor of the petition. Seven letters of support were received.

This concludes my report. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.