



CERTIFICATE OF NEED UPDATE

**South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control
April 2024**

MATTER #	FACILITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS/CON #
3042	Coastal Health, LLC 130 ½ South Irby Street Florence, S. C. 29501 (Lee County) Contact: William Jeffrey Poole, Manager and Sole Member (843) 229-0029 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Lee County at a total project cost of \$50,000.00.	Approved 3/18/2024 SC-24-05
3043	Coastal Health, LLC 130 ½ South Irby Street Florence, S. C. 29501 (Sumter County) Contact: William Jeffrey Poole Manager and Sole Member (843) 229-0029 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Sumter County at a total project cost of \$50,000.00.	Approved 3/18/2024 SC-24-06
3044	Coastal Health, LLC 130 ½ South Irby Street Florence, S. C. 29501 (Marlboro County) Contact: William Jeffrey Poole Manager and Sole Member (843) 229-0029 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Marlboro County at a total project cost of \$50,000.00.	Approved 3/18/2024 SC-24-07

3045	Coastal Health, LLC 130 ½ South Irby Street Florence, S. C. 29501 (Chesterfield County) Contact: William Jeffrey Poole Manager and Sole Member (843) 229-0029 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Chesterfield County at a total project cost of \$50,000.00.	Approved 3/18/2024 SC-24-08
3046	Coastal Health, LLC 130 ½ South Irby Street Florence, S. C. 29501 (Darlington County) Contact: William Jeffrey Poole Manager and Sole Member (843) 229-0029 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Darlington County at a total project cost of \$50,000.00.	Approved 3/18/2024 SC-24-09
3047	Sedgewood Manor Healthcare Center, LLC 1645 Ridge Road Hopkins, S. C. 29061 (Richland County) Contact: Mr. Jake Keefe, Administrator (803) 776-3573 CON Reviewer: Ashley Grant	Renovation of an existing facility of 5,532 sf and construction of an additional 12,500 sf for a total of 18,032 sf with the addition of 28 skilled nursing beds for a total of 66 skilled nursing beds at a total project cost of \$3,010,500.00.	Approved 3/15/2024 SC-24-04
3048	Three Rivers Behavioral Health, LLC d/b/a Three Rivers Behavioral Health 2900 Sunset Boulevard West Columbia, S. C. 29169 (Lexington County) Contact: Shannon Marcus, Chief Executive Officer (803) 796-9911 CON Reviewer: Ashley Grant	Addition of 7 psychiatric beds for a total of 119 psychiatric beds at a total project cost of \$38,792,52.	Approved 4/19/2024
3049	McLeod Health Cheraw 711 Chesterfield Highway Cheraw, S. C. 29520 (Chesterfield County)	Construction of a new 30,000 sf hospital for the replacement of the current McLeod Health Cheraw hospital with a decrease	Approved 4/10/2024 SC-24-10

	Contact: Bren Lowe, CEO (843) 320-3300 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	in beds to 29 acute care beds and 6 ICU beds for a total of 35 hospital beds at a total project cost of \$45,170,000.	
3050	Open Heart Health Care, LLC 121 S. Acline Street Lake City, S. C. 29560 (Florence County) Contact: Andrea Graham, President (843) 699-9318 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Florence County at a total project cost of \$11,550.00.	Under Review
3051	Open Heart Health Care, LLC 121 S. Acline Street Lake City, S. C. 29560 (Horry County) Contact: Andrea Graham, President (843) 699-9318 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Horry County at a total project cost of \$11,550.00.	Under Review
3052	Open Heart Health Care, LLC 121 S. Acline Street Lake City, S. C. 29560 (Williamsburg County) Contact: Andrea Graham, President (843) 699-9318 CON Reviewer: Dave Fiorini	Establishment of a Home Health Agency in Williamsburg County at a total project cost of \$11,550.00.	Under Review
3053	Coram Alternate Site Services, Inc. 5955 Core Road, Suite 512 North Charleston, S. C. 29406 (Greenville County) Contact: Craig Weinert, Vice President (518) 320-0228 CON Reviewer: Jane Thoennes	Establishment of a Specialty Home Health Agency to provide home infusion services in Greenville County at a total project cost of \$1,000.00.	Deemed Accepted 4/26/2024

3054	Trident Medical Center, LLC d/b/a Trident Medical Center 9330 Medical Plaza Drive, Charleston, S. C. 29406 (Charleston County) Contact: Jeffrey Wilson, President and CEO (843) 847-4100 CON Reviewer: Asheya Grant	Addition of 1 rehabilitation bed for a total of 24 rehabilitation beds at a total project cost of \$47,418.00.	Deemed Accepted 4/26/2024

For more information about individual projects, please call (803) 545-4200 for the CON Reviewer listed.

STATUS KEY

- Application Received- The date the application was received by the Department with the proof of publication and initial application fee.
- Application Submitted- The date the application was received but does not meet all filing requirements for the Department to publish in the State Register as accepted for filing.
- Deemed Accepted- The date of publication in the State Register that an application has been received by the Department and deemed “accepted for filing”.
- Deemed Complete- The date of publication in the State Register that an application has been “deemed complete”. The 120- or 150-day review period begins on this date.
- Under Review- The staff is reviewing the application.
- Approved- The date a decision was made to approve the project.
- Denied- The date a decision was made to deny the project.
- Appealed- The decision has been appealed.

CON NOTES APRIL 2024

The amendments to Regulation 61-15, *Certification of Need for Health Facilities and Services*, became effective with publication of the April 26, 2024, *State Register*. Below are the links to the revised regulation and new online CON application.

<https://scdhec.gov/sites/default/files/Library/Regulations/R.61-15.pdf>

https://scdhec.gov/sites/default/files/media/document/Application_R.61-15_2024.pdf

Joint Annual Reports (JARs) for 2023 were released for completion and submission by hospitals, nursing care facilities, and ancillary facilities. Below are the due dates for each facility type.

- Hospitals: Friday, June 14, 2024
- Nursing Care Facilities: Friday, June 21, 2024
- Ancillary Facilities: Friday, June 28, 2024

In preparation for Fiscal Year 2025, Nursing Home Administrators who currently hold a Medicaid Permit should be on the lookout for the Medicaid Patient Days Request Form. The forms for FY 2025 will be sent out around mid-May. Upon receipt, the forms should be completed indicating the specific number of Medicaid Patient Days that the nursing home wishes to provide during the time period of July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025, and returned to the Department. The deadline for submittal of the completed request form is June 15, 2024.

PROJECTS UNDER APPEAL

MATTER #	FACILITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS
2523	South of Broad Healthcare d/b/a South of Broad Hospital CON Reviewer: Louis Eubank	Construction of a 20-bed acute care “microhospital” in Beaufort County at a total project cost of \$44,895,195.	Appealed

PROJECTS WHICH DO NOT REQUIRE CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW EXEMPTIONS

For the Department to grant an exemption, the project must meet the requirements in Section 103 and be filed in accordance with Section 103 of Regulation No. 61-15.

FACILITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS
Roper St. Francis Hospital	Request for CON Exemption for the relocation of Roper Hospital within Charleston County.	Received 4/24/2024

PROJECTS WHICH DO NOT REQUIRE CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW NON-APPLICABILITY DETERMINATIONS

For a project to qualify for a non-applicability determination, it must not meet the Standards listed in Section 102 of Regulation No. 61-15 and be filed in accordance with Section 104 of Regulation No. 61-15.

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