



## ILLINOIS HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

## CERTIFICATE OF NEED PERMIT APPLICATION

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 SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62761  
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**INSTRUCTIONS****GENERAL**

- The application for permit (Application) must be completed for all proposed projects that are subject to the permit requirements of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act (Planning Act), including those involving the establishment, expansion, modernization and certain discontinuations of a service or facility.
- The persons preparing the application for permit are advised to refer to the Planning Act, as well as the rules promulgated there under (77 Ill. Adm. Codes 1100, 1110, 1120 and 1130) for more information.
- **The Application does not supersede any of the above-cited rules and requirements.**
- The Application is organized into several sections, involving information requirements that coincide with the Review Criteria in 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1110 (Processing, Classification Policies and Review Criteria) and 1120 (Financial and Economic Feasibility).
- Questions concerning completion of this form may be directed to Health Facilities and Services Review Board staff at (217) 782-3516.
- Copies of the Application form are available on the Health Facilities and Services Review Board Website [www.hfsrb.illinois.gov](http://www.hfsrb.illinois.gov).

**SPECIFIC**

- Use the Application as written and formatted.
- Complete and submit **ONLY** those Sections along with the required attachments that are applicable to the type of project proposed.
- **ALL APPLICABLE CRITERIA** for each applicable section must be addressed. **If a criterion is NOT APPLICABLE, label it as such and state the reason why.**
- For all applications for which time and distance documentation is required, submit copies of all MapQuest printouts that indicate the distance and time to or from the proposed facility.
- **ALL PAGES ARE TO BE NUMBERED CONSECUTIVELY BEGINNING WITH PAGE 1 OF THE APPLICATION. DO NOT INCLUDE INSTRUCTIONS AS PART OF THE APPLICATION OR IN NUMBERING THE PAGES IN THE APPLICATION.**
- Unless otherwise stated, attachments for each Section should be appended after the last page of the Application.
- Begin each attachment on a separate 8 1/2" x 11" sheet of paper and print or type the attachment identification in the lower right-hand corner of each attached page.
- Include documents such as MapQuest printouts, physician referral letters, impact letters, and documentation of receipt as appendices after the last attachment. Label as Appendices 1, 2, etc.
- For all applications that require physician referrals, the following must be provided: a summary of the total number of patients by zip code and a summary (number of patients by zip code) for each facility the physician referred patients to in the past 12 or 24 months, whichever is applicable.
- Information to be considered must be included with the applicable Section attachments. References to appended material not included within the appropriate Section will **NOT** be considered.
- The Application must be signed by the authorized representative(s) of each applicant entity.
- Provide an original Application and one copy, both **unbound**. **Label the copy that contains the original signatures original (put the label on the Application).**

**Failure to follow these requirements WILL result in the Application being declared incomplete. In addition, failure to provide certain required information (e.g., not providing a site for the proposed project or having an invalid entity listed as the applicant) may result in the Application being declared null and void. Applicants are advised to read Part 1130 with respect to completeness (1130.620(c)).**

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS****FLOOD PLAIN REQUIREMENTS**

Before an application for permit involving construction will be deemed **COMPLETE**, the applicant must **attest** that the project **is or is not in a flood plain** and that the location of the proposed project complies with the Flood Plain Rule under **Illinois Executive Order #2006-5**.

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION REQUIREMENTS**

In accordance with the requirements of the Illinois State Agency Historic Resources Preservation Act (Preservation Act), the Health Facilities Services and Review Board is required to advise the Historic Preservation Agency (HPA) of any projects that could affect historic resources. Specifically, the Preservation Act provides for a review by the Historic Preservation Agency to determine if certain projects may impact historic resources. These types of projects include:

1. Projects involving demolition of any structures;
2. Construction of new buildings; or
3. Modernization of existing buildings.

The applicant must submit the following information to the HPA so that known or potential cultural resources within the project area can be identified and the project's effects on significant properties can be evaluated:

1. General project description and address;
2. Topographic or metropolitan map showing the general location of the project;
3. Photographs of any standing buildings/structure within the project area; and
4. Addresses for buildings/structures, if present.

The HPA will provide a determination letter concerning the applicability of the Preservation Act. Include the determination letter or comments from HPA with the application for permit.

Information concerning the Preservation Act may be obtained by calling (217) 785-7930 or writing the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency, Preservation Services Division, 1 Old State Capitol Plaza, Springfield, Illinois 67201-1507.

**SAFETY NET IMPACT STATEMENT**

A SAFETY NET IMPACT STATEMENT must be submitted for **ALL SUBSTANTIVE AND DISCONTINUATION PROJECTS**. **SEE SECTION X** OF THE APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

**CHARITY CARE INFORMATION**

CHARITY CARE INFORMATION must be provided for **ALL** projects. **SEE SECTION XI** OF THE APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

**FEE**

An application-processing fee (refer to Part 1130.230 to determine the fee) must be submitted with most applications. If a fee is applicable, an initial fee of \$2,500 **MUST** be submitted with the application. HFSRB staff will inform applicants of the amount of the fee balance, if any, that must be submitted. **The application will not be deemed complete and review will not be initiated until the entire processing fee is submitted. Payment may be made by check or money order and must be made payable to the Illinois Department of Public Health.**

**APPLICATION SUBMISSION**

**Submit an original and one copy of all Sections** of the application, including all necessary attachments. **The original must contain original signatures in the certification portions of this form.** Submit all copies to:

**Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board  
525 West Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor  
Springfield, Illinois 62761**

**ILLINOIS HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD  
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT**

**SECTION I. IDENTIFICATION, GENERAL INFORMATION, AND CERTIFICATION**

**This Section must be completed for all projects.**

**Facility/Project Identification**

Facility Name:		
Street Address:		
City and Zip Code:		
County:	Health Service Area:	Health Planning Area:

**Applicant(s)** [Provide for each applicant (refer to Part 1130.220)]

Exact Legal Name:
Street Address:
City and Zip Code:
Name of Registered Agent:
Registered Agent Street Address:
Registered Agent City and Zip Code:
Name of Chief Executive Officer:
CEO Street Address:
CEO City and Zip Code:
CEO Telephone Number:

**Type of Ownership of Applicants**

<input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	
<input type="checkbox"/> For-profit Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Governmental	
<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Corporations and limited liability companies must provide an <b>Illinois certificate of good standing</b>.</li> <li>○ Partnerships must provide the name of the state in which they are organized and the name and address of each partner specifying whether each is a general or limited partner.</li> </ul>		
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 1 IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>		

**Primary Contact** [Person to receive ALL correspondence or inquiries]

Name:
Title:
Company Name:
Address:
Telephone Number:
E-mail Address:
Fax Number:

**Additional Contact** [Person who is also authorized to discuss the application for permit]

Name:
Title:
Company Name:
Address:
Telephone Number:
E-mail Address:
Fax Number:

**Post Permit Contact**

[Person to receive all correspondence subsequent to permit issuance-**THIS PERSON MUST BE EMPLOYED BY THE LICENSED HEALTH CARE FACILITY AS DEFINED AT 20 ILCS 3960**]

Name:
Title:
Company Name:
Address:
Telephone Number:
E-mail Address:
Fax Number:

**Site Ownership**

[Provide this information for each applicable site]

Exact Legal Name of Site Owner:
Address of Site Owner:
Street Address or Legal Description of the Site: <b>Proof of ownership or control of the site is to be provided as Attachment 2. Examples of proof of ownership are property tax statements, tax assessor's documentation, deed, notarized statement of the corporation attesting to ownership, an option to lease, a letter of intent to lease, or a lease.</b>
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 2, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>

**Operating Identity/Licensee**

[Provide this information for each applicable facility and insert after this page.]

Exact Legal Name:
Address:
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> For-profit Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Governmental <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company <input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship <input type="checkbox"/> Other
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Corporations and limited liability companies must provide an Illinois Certificate of Good Standing.</li> <li>○ Partnerships must provide the name of the state in which organized and the name and address of each partner specifying whether each is a general or limited partner.</li> <li>○ <b>Persons with 5 percent or greater interest in the licensee must be identified with the % of ownership.</b></li> </ul>
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 3, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>

**Organizational Relationships**

Provide (for each applicant) an organizational chart containing the name and relationship of any person or entity who is related (as defined in Part 1130.140). If the related person or entity is participating in the development or funding of the project, describe the interest and the amount and type of any financial contribution.

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 4, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.**

**Flood Plain Requirements**

[Refer to application instructions.]

Provide documentation that the project complies with the requirements of Illinois Executive Order #2006-5 pertaining to construction activities in special flood hazard areas. As part of the flood plain requirements, please provide a map of the proposed project location showing any identified floodplain areas. Floodplain maps can be printed at [www.FEMA.gov](http://www.FEMA.gov) or [www.illinoisfloodmaps.org](http://www.illinoisfloodmaps.org). **This map must be in a readable format.** In addition, please provide a statement attesting that the project complies with the requirements of Illinois Executive Order #2006-5 (<http://www.hfsrb.illinois.gov>).

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS **ATTACHMENT 5**, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**Historic Resources Preservation Act Requirements**

[Refer to application instructions.]

Provide documentation regarding compliance with the requirements of the Historic Resources Preservation Act.

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS **ATTACHMENT 6**, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT****1. Project Classification**

[Check those applicable - refer to Part 1110.40 and Part 1120.20(b)]

Part 1110 Classification:

- Substantive
- Non-substantive

**2. Narrative Description**

In the space below, provide a brief narrative description of the project. Explain **WHAT** is to be done in **State Board defined terms, NOT WHY** it is being done. If the project site does NOT have a street address, include a legal description of the site. Include the rationale regarding the project's classification as substantive or non-substantive.



### Project Costs and Sources of Funds

Complete the following table listing all costs (refer to Part 1120.110) associated with the project. When a project or any component of a project is to be accomplished by lease, donation, gift, or other means, the fair market or dollar value (refer to Part 1130.140) of the component must be included in the estimated project cost. If the project contains non-reviewable components that are not related to the provision of health care, complete the second column of the table below. Note, the use and sources of funds must be equal.

<b>Project Costs and Sources of Funds</b>			
<b>USE OF FUNDS</b>	<b>CLINICAL</b>	<b>NONCLINICAL</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Preplanning Costs			
Site Survey and Soil Investigation			
Site Preparation			
Off Site Work			
New Construction Contracts			
Modernization Contracts			
Contingencies			
Architectural/Engineering Fees			
Consulting and Other Fees			
Movable or Other Equipment (not in construction contracts)			
Bond Issuance Expense (project related)			
Net Interest Expense During Construction (project related)			
Fair Market Value of Leased Space or Equipment			
Other Costs To Be Capitalized			
Acquisition of Building or Other Property (excluding land)			
<b>TOTAL USES OF FUNDS</b>			
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS</b>	<b>CLINICAL</b>	<b>NONCLINICAL</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Cash and Securities			
Pledges			
Gifts and Bequests			
Bond Issues (project related)			
Mortgages			
Leases (fair market value)			
Governmental Appropriations			
Grants			
Other Funds and Sources			
<b>TOTAL SOURCES OF FUNDS</b>			
<b>NOTE: ITEMIZATION OF EACH LINE ITEM MUST BE PROVIDED AT ATTACHMENT 7, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>			

**Related Project Costs**

Provide the following information, as applicable, with respect to any land related to the project that will be or has been acquired during the last two calendar years:

<p>Land acquisition is related to project      <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Purchase Price:    \$ _____</p> <p>Fair Market Value: \$ _____</p>
<p>The project involves the establishment of a new facility or a new category of service  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, provide the dollar amount of all <b>non-capitalized</b> operating start-up costs (including operating deficits) through the first full fiscal year when the project achieves or exceeds the target utilization specified in Part 1100.</p> <p>Estimated start-up costs and operating deficit cost is \$ _____.</p>

**Project Status and Completion Schedules**

<b>For facilities in which prior permits have been issued please provide the permit numbers.</b>
<p>Indicate the stage of the project's architectural drawings:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> None or not applicable                      <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary  <input type="checkbox"/> Schematics    <input type="checkbox"/> Final Working </p>
<p>Anticipated project completion date (refer to Part 1130.140): _____</p>
<p>Indicate the following with respect to project expenditures or to financial commitments (refer to Part 1130.140):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase orders, leases or contracts pertaining to the project have been executed.  <input type="checkbox"/> Financial commitment is contingent upon permit issuance. Provide a copy of the contingent "certification of financial commitment" document, highlighting any language related to CON Contingencies  <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Commitment will occur after permit issuance. </p>
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS <u>ATTACHMENT 8</u>, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>

**State Agency Submittals** [Section 1130.620(c)]

<p>Are the following submittals up to date as applicable:</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer Registry  <input type="checkbox"/> APORS  <input type="checkbox"/> All formal document requests such as IDPH Questionnaires and Annual Bed Reports been submitted  <input type="checkbox"/> All reports regarding outstanding permits </p> <p><b>Failure to be up to date with these requirements will result in the application for permit being deemed incomplete.</b></p>
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### Cost Space Requirements

Provide in the following format, the **Departmental Gross Square Feet (DGSF)** or the **Building Gross Square Feet (BGSF)** and cost. The type of gross square footage either **DGSF** or **BGSF** must be identified. The sum of the department costs **MUST** equal the total estimated project costs. Indicate if any space is being reallocated for a different purpose. Include outside wall measurements plus the department's or area's portion of the surrounding circulation space. **Explain the use of any vacated space.**

Dept. / Area	Cost	Gross Square Feet		Amount of Proposed Total Gross Square Feet That Is:			
		Existing	Proposed	New Const.	Modernized	As Is	Vacated Space
<b>REVIEWABLE</b>							
Medical Surgical							
Intensive Care							
Diagnostic Radiology							
MRI							
Total Clinical							
<b>NON REVIEWABLE</b>							
Administrative							
Parking							
Gift Shop							
Total Non-clinical							
<b>TOTAL</b>							

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS **ATTACHMENT 9**, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**Facility Bed Capacity and Utilization**

Complete the following chart, as applicable. Complete a separate chart for each facility that is a part of the project and insert the chart after this page. Provide the existing bed capacity and utilization data for the latest **Calendar Year for which data is available**. **Include observation days in the patient day totals for each bed service**. Any bed capacity discrepancy from the Inventory will result in the application being deemed **incomplete**.

<b>FACILITY NAME:</b>		<b>CITY:</b>			
<b>REPORTING PERIOD DATES:</b>		<b>From:</b>	<b>to:</b>		
<b>Category of Service</b>	<b>Authorized Beds</b>	<b>Admissions</b>	<b>Patient Days</b>	<b>Bed Changes</b>	<b>Proposed Beds</b>
Medical/Surgical					
Obstetrics					
Pediatrics					
Intensive Care					
Comprehensive Physical Rehabilitation					
Acute/Chronic Mental Illness					
Neonatal Intensive Care					
General Long Term Care					
Specialized Long Term Care					
Long Term Acute Care					
Other ((identify)					
<b>TOTALS:</b>					

**CERTIFICATION**

The Application must be signed by the authorized representatives of the applicant entity. Authorized representatives are:

- in the case of a corporation, any two of its officers or members of its Board of Directors;
- in the case of a limited liability company, any two of its managers or members (or the sole manager or member when two or more managers or members do not exist);
- in the case of a partnership, two of its general partners (or the sole general partner, when two or more general partners do not exist);
- in the case of estates and trusts, two of its beneficiaries (or the sole beneficiary when two or more beneficiaries do not exist); and
- in the case of a sole proprietor, the individual that is the proprietor.

**This Application is filed on the behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\*  
in accordance with the requirements and procedures of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act.  
The undersigned certifies that he or she has the authority to execute and file this Application on  
behalf of the applicant entity. The undersigned further certifies that the data and information  
provided herein, and appended hereto, are complete and correct to the best of his or her  
knowledge and belief. The undersigned also certifies that the fee required for this application is  
sent herewith or will be paid upon request.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED TITLE

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED TITLE

Notarization:  
Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

Notarization:  
Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary

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\*Insert the EXACT legal name of the applicant

## SECTION II. DISCONTINUATION

This Section is applicable to the discontinuation of a health care facility maintained by a State agency.

**NOTE:** If the project is solely for discontinuation and if there is no project cost, the remaining Sections of the application are not applicable.

### Criterion 1110.130 – Discontinuation (State-Owned Facilities and Relocation of ESRD's)

READ THE REVIEW CRITERION and provide the following information:

#### GENERAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Identify the categories of service and the number of beds, if any that is to be discontinued.
2. Identify all of the other clinical services that are to be discontinued.
3. Provide the anticipated date of discontinuation for each identified service or for the entire facility.
4. Provide the anticipated use of the physical plant and equipment after the discontinuation occurs.
5. Provide the anticipated disposition and location of all medical records pertaining to the services being discontinued and the length of time the records will be maintained.
6. For applications involving the discontinuation of an entire facility, certification by an authorized representative that all questionnaires and data required by HFSRB or DPH (e.g., annual questionnaires, capital expenditures surveys, etc.) will be provided through the date of discontinuation, and that the required information will be submitted no later than 90 days following the date of discontinuation.

#### REASONS FOR DISCONTINUATION

The applicant shall state the reasons for the discontinuation and provide data that verifies the need for the proposed action. See criterion 1110.130(b) for examples.

#### IMPACT ON ACCESS

1. Document whether or not the discontinuation of each service or of the entire facility will have an adverse effect upon access to care for residents of the facility's market area.
2. Document that a written request for an impact statement was received by all existing or approved health care facilities (that provide the same services as those being discontinued) located within 45 minutes travel time of the applicant facility.

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 10, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

### SECTION III. BACKGROUND, PURPOSE OF THE PROJECT, AND ALTERNATIVES - INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

This Section is applicable to all projects except those that are solely for discontinuation with no project costs.

#### Background

READ THE REVIEW CRITERION and provide the following required information:

##### BACKGROUND OF APPLICANT

1. A listing of all health care facilities owned or operated by the applicant, including licensing, and certification if applicable.
2. A certified listing of any adverse action taken against any facility owned and/or operated by the applicant during the three years prior to the filing of the application.
3. Authorization permitting HFSRB and DPH access to any documents necessary to verify the information submitted, including, but not limited to official records of DPH or other State agencies; the licensing or certification records of other states, when applicable; and the records of nationally recognized accreditation organizations. **Failure to provide such authorization shall constitute an abandonment or withdrawal of the application without any further action by HFSRB.**
4. If, during a given calendar year, an applicant submits more than one application for permit, the documentation provided with the prior applications may be utilized to fulfill the information requirements of this criterion. In such instances, the applicant shall attest that the information was previously provided, cite the project number of the prior application, and certify that no changes have occurred regarding the information that has been previously provided. The applicant is able to submit amendments to previously submitted information, as needed, to update and/or clarify data.

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 11, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM. EACH ITEM (1-4) MUST BE IDENTIFIED IN ATTACHMENT 11.**

#### Criterion 1110.230 – Purpose of the Project, and Alternatives

##### PURPOSE OF PROJECT

1. Document that the project will provide health services that improve the health care or well-being of the market area population to be served.
2. Define the planning area or market area, or other relevant area, per the applicant's definition.
3. Identify the existing problems or issues that need to be addressed as applicable and appropriate for the project.
4. Cite the sources of the documentation.
5. Detail how the project will address or improve the previously referenced issues, as well as the population's health status and well-being.
6. Provide goals with quantified and measurable objectives, with specific timeframes that relate to achieving the stated goals **as appropriate.**

For projects involving modernization, describe the conditions being upgraded, if any. For facility projects, include statements of the age and condition of the project site, as well as regulatory citations, if any. For equipment being replaced, include repair and maintenance records.

**NOTE: Information regarding the "Purpose of the Project" will be included in the State Board Staff Report.**

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 12, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM. EACH ITEM (1-6) MUST BE IDENTIFIED IN ATTACHMENT 12.**

**ALTERNATIVES**

- 1) Identify **ALL** of the alternatives to the proposed project:

Alternative options **must** include:

- A) Proposing a project of greater or lesser scope and cost;
  - B) Pursuing a joint venture or similar arrangement with one or more providers or entities to meet all or a portion of the project's intended purposes; developing alternative settings to meet all or a portion of the project's intended purposes;
  - C) Utilizing other health care resources that are available to serve all or a portion of the population proposed to be served by the project; and
  - D) Provide the reasons why the chosen alternative was selected.
- 2) Documentation shall consist of a comparison of the project to alternative options. The comparison shall address issues of total costs, patient access, quality and financial benefits in both the short-term (within one to three years after project completion) and long-term. This may vary by project or situation. **FOR EVERY ALTERNATIVE IDENTIFIED, THE TOTAL PROJECT COST AND THE REASONS WHY THE ALTERNATIVE WAS REJECTED MUST BE PROVIDED.**
  - 3) The applicant shall provide empirical evidence, including quantified outcome data that verifies improved quality of care, as available.

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 13, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.**



**SECTION IV. PROJECT SCOPE, UTILIZATION, AND UNFINISHED/SHELL SPACE**

**Criterion 1110.234 - Project Scope, Utilization, and Unfinished/Shell Space**

READ THE REVIEW CRITERION and provide the following information:

**SIZE OF PROJECT:**

1. Document that the amount of physical space proposed for the proposed project is necessary and not excessive. **This must be a narrative and it shall include the basis used for determining the space and the methodology applied.**
2. If the gross square footage exceeds the BGSF/DGSF standards in Appendix B, justify the discrepancy by documenting one of the following:
  - a. Additional space is needed due to the scope of services provided, justified by clinical or operational needs, as supported by published data or studies and certified by the facility's Medical Director.
  - b. The existing facility's physical configuration has constraints or impediments and requires an architectural design that delineates the constraints or impediments.
  - c. The project involves the conversion of existing space that results in excess square footage.
  - d. Additional space is mandated by governmental or certification agency requirements that were not in existence when Appendix B standards were adopted.

**Provide a narrative for any discrepancies from the State Standard. A table must be provided in the following format with Attachment 14.**

SIZE OF PROJECT				
DEPARTMENT/SERVICE	PROPOSED BGSF/DGSF	STATE STANDARD	DIFFERENCE	MET STANDARD?

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 14, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**PROJECT SERVICES UTILIZATION:**

**This criterion is applicable only to projects or portions of projects that involve services, functions or equipment for which HFSRB has established utilization standards or occupancy targets in 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100.**

Document that in the second year of operation, the annual utilization of the service or equipment shall meet or exceed the utilization standards specified in 1110.Appendix B. **A narrative of the rationale that supports the projections must be provided.**

**A table must be provided in the following format with Attachment 15.**

UTILIZATION					
	DEPT./ SERVICE	HISTORICAL UTILIZATION (PATIENT DAYS) (TREATMENTS) ETC.	PROJECTED UTILIZATION	STATE STANDARD	MEET STANDARD?
YEAR 1					
YEAR 2					

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 15, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**UNFINISHED OR SHELL SPACE:**

Provide the following information:

1. Total gross square footage (GSF) of the proposed shell space.
2. The anticipated use of the shell space, specifying the proposed GSF to be allocated to each department, area or function.
3. Evidence that the shell space is being constructed due to:
  - a. Requirements of governmental or certification agencies; or
  - b. Experienced increases in the historical occupancy or utilization of those areas proposed to occupy the shell space.
4. Provide:
  - a. Historical utilization for the area for the latest five-year period for which data is available; and
  - b. Based upon the average annual percentage increase for that period, projections of future utilization of the area through the anticipated date when the shell space will be placed into operation.

APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 16, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.

**ASSURANCES:**

Submit the following:

1. Verification that the applicant will submit to HFSRB a CON application to develop and utilize the shell space, regardless of the capital thresholds in effect at the time or the categories of service involved.
2. The estimated date by which the subsequent CON application (to develop and utilize the subject shell space) will be submitted; and
3. The anticipated date when the shell space will be completed and placed into operation.

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## SECTION V. MASTER DESIGN AND RELATED PROJECTS

This Section is applicable only to proposed master design and related projects.

### Criterion 1110.235(a) - System Impact of Master Design

Read the criterion and provide documentation that addresses the following:

1. The availability of alternative health care facilities within the planning area and the impact that the proposed project and subsequent related projects will have on the utilization of such facilities;
2. How the services proposed in future projects will improve access to planning area residents;
3. What the potential impact upon planning area residents would be if the proposed services were not replaced or developed; and
4. The anticipated role of the facility in the delivery system, including anticipated patterns of patient referral, any contractual or referral agreements between the applicant and other providers that will result in the transfer of patients to the applicant's facility.

### Criterion 1110.235(b) - Master Plan or Related Future Projects

Read the criterion and provide documentation regarding the need for all beds and services to be developed, and document the improvement in access for each service proposed. Provide the following:

1. The anticipated completion date(s) for the future construction or modernization projects;
2. Evidence that the proposed number of beds and services is consistent with the need assessment provisions of Part 1100; or documentation that the need for the proposed number of beds and services is justified due to such factors, but not limited to:
  - a. limitation on government funded or charity patients that are expected to continue;
  - b. restrictive admission policies of existing planning area health care facilities that are expected to continue;
  - c. the planning area population is projected to exhibit indicators of medical care problems such as average family income below poverty levels or projected high infant mortality.
3. Evidence that the proposed beds and services will meet or exceed the utilization targets established in Part 1100 within two years after completion of the future construction or modernization project(s), based upon:
  - a. historical service/beds utilization levels;
  - b. projected trends in utilization (include the rationale and projection assumptions used in such projections);
  - c. anticipated market factors such as referral patterns or changes in population characteristics (age, density, wellness) that would support utilization projections; and
  - d. anticipated changes in delivery of the service due to changes in technology, care delivery techniques or physician availability that would support the projected utilization levels.

**Criterion 1110.235(c) - Relationship to Previously Approved Master Design Projects**

READ THE CRITERION which requires that projects submitted pursuant to a master design permit are consistent with the approved master design project. Provide the following documentation:

1. Schematic architectural plans for all construction or modification approved in the master design permit;
2. The estimated project cost for the proposed projects and also for the total construction/modification projects approved in the master design permit;
3. An item by item comparison of the construction elements (i.e. site, number of buildings, number of floors, etc.) in the proposed project to the approved master design project; and
4. A comparison of proposed beds and services to those approved under the master design permit.

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**SECTION VI. SERVICE SPECIFIC REVIEW CRITERIA**

This Section is applicable to all projects proposing the establishment, expansion or modernization of categories of service that are subject to CON review, as provided in the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act [20 ILCS 3960]. It is comprised of information requirements for each category of service, as well as charts for each service, indicating the review criteria that must be addressed for each action (establishment, expansion, and modernization). After identifying the applicable review criteria for each category of service involved, read the criteria and provide the required information **APPLICABLE TO THE CRITERIA THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED:**

**A. Criterion 1110.530 - Medical/Surgical, Obstetric, Pediatric and Intensive Care**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Medical/Surgical, Obstetric, Pediatric and/or Intensive Care categories of service must submit the following information:

2. Indicate bed capacity changes by Service:                      Indicate # of beds changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Surgical		
<input type="checkbox"/> Obstetric		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pediatric		
<input type="checkbox"/> Intensive Care		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

<b>APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA</b>	<b>Establish</b>	<b>Expand</b>	<b>Modernize</b>
1110.530(c)(1) - Planning Area Need - 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X		
1110.530(c)(2) - Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	X	
1110.530(c)(3) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X		
1110.530(c)(4) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Expansion of Existing Category of Service		X	
1110.530(c)(5) - Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X		
1110.530(d)(1) - Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X		
1110.530(d)(2) - Maldistribution	X	X	
1110.530(d)(3) - Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X		
1110.530(e)(1), (2), and (3) - Deteriorated Facilities			X
1110.530(e)(4) - Occupancy			X

<b>APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA</b>	<b>Establish</b>	<b>Expand</b>	<b>Modernize</b>
1110.530(f) - Staffing Availability	X	X	
1110.530(g) - Performance Requirements	X	X	X
1110.530(h) - Assurances	X	X	
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS <u>ATTACHMENT 19</u>, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>			

**B. Criterion 1110.630 - Comprehensive Physical Rehabilitation**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Comprehensive Physical Rehabilitation category of service must submit the following information:
2. Indicate bed capacity changes by Service:                      Indicate # of beds changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Comprehensive Physical Rehabilitation</b>		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

<b>APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA</b>	<b>Establish</b>	<b>Expand</b>	<b>Modernize</b>
1110.630(c)(1) - Planning Area Need - 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X		
1110.630(c)(2) - Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	X	
1110.630(c)(3) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X		
1110.630(c)(4) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Expansion of Existing Category of Service		X	
1110.630(c)(5) - Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X		
1110.630(d)(1) - Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X		
1110.630(d)(2) - Maldistribution	X		
1110.630(d)(3) - Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X		
1110.630(e)(1), (2), and (3) - Deteriorated Facilities			X
1110.630(e)(4) - Occupancy			X
1110.630(f)(1) - Staffing Availability	X	X	
1110.630(g) - Performance Requirements	X	X	X
1110.630(h) - Assurances	X	X	
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**C. Criterion 1110.730 - Acute Mental Illness and Chronic Mental Illness**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Acute Mental Illness and Chronic Mental Illness categories of service must submit the following information:
2. Indicate bed capacity changes by Service:      Indicate # of beds changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Acute Mental Illness</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Chronic Mental Illness</b>		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA	Establish	Expand	Modernize
1110.730(c)(1) - Planning Area Need - 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X		
1110.730(c)(2) - Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	X	
1110.730(c)(3) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X		
1110.730(c)(4) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Expansion of Existing Category of Service		X	
1110.730(c)(5) - Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X		
1110.730(d)(1) - Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X		
1110.730(d)(2) - Maldistribution	X		
1110.730(d)(3) - Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X		
1110.730(e)(1), (2), and (3) - Deteriorated Facilities			X
1110.730(e)(4) - Occupancy			X
1110.730(f)(1) - Staffing Availability	X	X	
1110.730(g) - Performance Requirements	X	X	X
1110.730(h) - Assurances	X	X	

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**D. Criterion 1110.1230 - Open Heart Surgery**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Open Heart Surgery category of service must submit the following information.
2. Indicate bed capacity changes by Service:      Indicate # of beds changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Heart Surgery		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

1. **Criterion 1110.1230(a), Peer Review**  
 Read the criterion and submit a detailed explanation of your peer review program.
2. **Criterion 1110.1230(b), Establishment of Open Heart Surgery**  
 Read the criterion and provide the following information:
  - a. The number of cardiac catheterizations (patients) performed in the latest 12-month period for which data is available.
  - b. The number of patients referred for open heart surgery following cardiac catheterization at your facility, for each of the last two years.
3. **Criterion 1110.1230(c), Unnecessary Duplication of Services**  
 Read the criterion and address the following:
  - a. Contact all existing facilities within 90 minutes travel time of your facility which currently provide or are approved to provide open heart surgery to determine what the impact of the proposed project will be on their facility.
  - b. Provide a sample copy of the letter written to each of the facilities and include a list of the facilities that were sent letters.
  - c. Provide a copy of all of the responses received.
4. **Criterion 1110.1230(d), Support Services**  
 Read the criterion and indicate on a service by service basis which of the services listed in this criterion are available on a 24-hour inpatient basis and explain how any services not available on a 24-hour inpatient basis can be immediately mobilized for emergencies at all times.
5. **Criterion 1110.1230(e), Staffing**  
 Read the criterion and for those positions described under this criterion provide the following information:
  - a. The name and qualifications of the person currently filling the job.
  - b. Application filed for a position.
  - c. Signed contracts with the required staff.
  - d. A detailed explanation of how you will fill the positions.

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**E. Criterion 1110.1330 - Cardiac Catheterization**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Cardiac Catheterization category of service must submit the following information.
2. Indicate bed capacity changes by Service:      Indicate # of beds changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac Catheterization		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

1. **Criterion 1110.1330(a), Peer Review**  
 Read the criterion and submit a detailed explanation of your peer review program.
2. **Criterion 1110.1330(b), Establishment or Expansion of Cardiac Catheterization Service**  
 Read the criterion and, if applicable, submit the following information:
  - a. A map (on 8 1/2" x 11" paper) showing the location of the other hospitals providing cardiac catheterization services within the planning area.
  - b. The number of cardiac catheterizations performed for the last 12 months at each of the hospitals shown on the map.
  - c. Provide the number of patients transferred directly from the applicant's hospital to another facility for cardiac catheterization services in each of the last three years.
3. **Criterion 1110.1330(c), Unnecessary Duplication of Services**  
 Read the criterion and, if applicable, submit the following information.
  - a. Copies of the letter sent to all facilities within 90 minutes travel time that currently provide cardiac catheterization. This letter must contain a description of the proposed project and a request that the other facility quantify the impact of the proposal on its program.
  - b. Copies of the responses received from the facilities to which the letter was sent.
4. **Criterion 1110.1330(d), Modernization of Existing Cardiac Catheterization Laboratories**  
 Read the criterion and, if applicable, submit the number of cardiac catheterization procedures performed for the latest 12 months.
5. **Criterion 1110.1330(e), Support Services**  
 Read the criterion and indicate on a service by service basis which of the listed services are available on a 24-hour basis and explain how any services not available on a 24-hour basis will be available when needed.

**6. Criterion 1110.1330(f), Laboratory Location**

Read the criterion and, if applicable, submit line drawings showing the location of the proposed laboratories. If the laboratories are not in close proximity, explain why.

**7. Criterion 1110.1330(g), Staffing**

Read the criterion and submit a list of names and qualifications of those who will fill the positions detailed in this criterion. Also, provide staffing schedules to show the coverage required by this criterion.

**8. Criterion 1110.1330(h), Continuity of Care**

Read the criterion and submit a copy of the fully executed written referral agreement(s).

**9. Criterion 1110.1330(i), Multi-institutional Variance**

Read the criterion and, if applicable, submit the following information:

- a. A copy of a fully executed affiliation agreement between the two facilities involved.
- b. Names and positions of the shared staff at the two facilities.
- c. The volume of open heart surgeries performed for the latest 12-month period at the existing operating program.
- d. A cost comparison between the proposed project and expansion at the existing operating program.
- e. The number of cardiac catheterization procedures performed in the last 12 months at the operating program.
- f. The number of catheterization laboratories at the operating program.
- g. The projected cardiac catheterization volume at the proposed facility annually for the next 2 years.
- h. The basis for the above projection.

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**F. Criterion 1110.1430 - In-Center Hemodialysis**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the In-Center Hemodialysis category of service must submit the following information:
2. Indicate station capacity changes by Service: Indicate # of stations changed by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Stations	# Proposed Stations
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>In-Center Hemodialysis</b>		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA	Establish	Expand	Modernize
1110.1430(c)(1) - Planning Area Need - 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X		
1110.1430(c)(2) - Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	X	
1110.1430(c)(3) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X		
1110.1430(c)(4) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Expansion of Existing Category of Service		X	
1110.1430(c)(5) - Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X		
1110.1430(d)(1) - Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X		
1110.1430(d)(2) - Maldistribution	X		
1110.1430(d)(3) - Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X		
1110.1430(e)(1), (2), and (3) - Deteriorated Facilities and Documentation			X
1110.1430(f) - Staffing	X	X	
1110.1430(g) - Support Services	X	X	X
1110.1430(h) - Minimum Number of Stations	X		
1110.1430(i) - Continuity of Care	X		
1110.1430(j) - Relocation (if applicable)	X		
1110.1430(k) - Assurances	X	X	
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4. **Projects for relocation** of a facility from one location in a planning area to another in the same planning area must address the requirements listed in subsection (a)(1) for the “Establishment of Services or Facilities”, as well as the requirements in Section 1130.525 – “Requirements for Exemptions Involving the Discontinuation of a Health Care Facility or Category of Service” and subsection 1110.1430(j) - Relocation of an in-center hemodialysis facility.

**G. Non-Hospital Based Ambulatory Surgery**

Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize the Non-Hospital Based Ambulatory Surgery category of service must submit the following information.

ASTC Service
<input type="checkbox"/> Cardiovascular
<input type="checkbox"/> Colon and Rectal Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Dermatology
<input type="checkbox"/> General Dentistry
<input type="checkbox"/> General Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Gastroenterology
<input type="checkbox"/> Neurological Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Nuclear Medicine
<input type="checkbox"/> Obstetrics/Gynecology
<input type="checkbox"/> Ophthalmology
<input type="checkbox"/> Oral/Maxillofacial Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Orthopedic Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Otolaryngology
<input type="checkbox"/> Pain Management
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
<input type="checkbox"/> Plastic Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Podiatric Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Radiology
<input type="checkbox"/> Thoracic Surgery
<input type="checkbox"/> Urology
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA	Establish New ASTC or Service	Expand Existing Service
1110.1540(c)(2) – Service to GSA Residents	X	X
1110.1540(d) – Service Demand – Establishment of an ASTC or Additional ASTC Service	X	
1110.1540(e) – Service Demand – Expansion of Existing ASTC Service		X
1110.1540(f) – Treatment Room Need Assessment	X	X
1110.1540(g) – Service Accessibility	X	
1110.1540(h)(1) – Unnecessary Duplication/Maldistribution	X	
1110.1540(h)(2) – Maldistribution	X	
1110.1540(h)(3) – Impact to Area Providers	X	

1110.1540(i) – Staffing	X	X
1110.1540(j) – Charge Commitment	X	X
1110.1540(k) – Assurances	X	X

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**H. Criterion 1110.2330 - Selected Organ Transplantation**

**This section is applicable to projects involving the establishment or modernization of the Selected Organ Transplantation service.**

1. Applicants proposing to establish or modernize the Selected Organ Transplantation category of service must submit the following information:
2. Indicate changes by Service: Indicate # of rooms changed by action(s):

Transplantation Type	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA	Establish	Modernize
1110.2330(c)(1) – Planning Area Need - 7 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X	
1110.2330(c)(2) – Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	
1110.2330(c)(3) – Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X	
1110.2330(c)(4) – Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X	
1110.2330(d)(1) – Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X	
1110.2330(d)(2) – Maldistribution	X	
1110.2330(d)(3) – Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X	
1110.2330(e)(1), (2), and (3) – Deteriorated Facilities		X
1110.2330(e)(4) – Utilization		X
1110.2330(f) – Staffing Availability	X	
1110.2330(g) – Surgical Staff	X	
1110.2330(h) – Collaborative Support	X	
1110.2330(i) – Support Services	X	
1110.2330(j) – Performance Requirements	X	X
1110.2330(k) – Assurances	X	X

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**I. Criterion 1110.2430 - Kidney Transplantation**

**This section is applicable to all projects involving the establishment of the Kidney Transplantation service.**

1. Applicants proposing to establish or modernize the Kidney Transplantation category of service must submit the following information:
  
2. Indicate changes: Indicate # of key rooms by action:

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Kidney Transplantation</b>		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit required documentation for the criteria printed below in bold:**

<b>APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA</b>	<b>Establish</b>	<b>Modernize</b>
1110.2430(c)(1) – Planning Area Need - 7 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X	
1110.2430(c)(2) – Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	
1110.2430(c)(3) – Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X	
1110.2430(c)(4) – Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X	
1110.2430(d)(1) – Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X	
1110.2430(d)(2) – Maldistribution	X	
1110.2430(d)(3) – Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X	
1110.2430(e)(1), (2), and (3) – Deteriorated Facilities		X
1110.2430(e)(4) – Utilization		X
1110.2430(f) – Staffing Availability	X	
1110.2430(g) – Surgical Staff	X	
1110.2430(h) – Support Services	X	
1110.2430(i) – Performance Requirements	X	X
1110.2430(j) – Assurances	X	
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION for “Surgical Staff” and “Support Services”, AS ATTACHMENT 27 IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>		



**J. Criterion 1110.2530 - Subacute Care Hospital Model**

Category of Service	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> Subacute Care Hospital	

**This section is applicable to all projects proposing to establish a subacute care hospital model.**

**1. Criterion 1110.2530(a), Distinct Unit**

- a. Provide a copy of the physical layout (an architectural schematic) of the subacute unit (include the room numbers) and describe the travel patterns to support services and patient and visitor access.
- b. Provide a summary of shared services and staff and how costs for such will be allocated between the unit and the hospital or long-term care facility.
- c. Provide a staffing plan with staff qualifications and explain how non-dedicated staffing services will be provided.

**2. Criterion 1110.2530(b), Contractual Relationship**

- a. If the applicant is a licensed long-term care facility or a previously licensed general hospital, the applicant must provide a copy of a contractual agreement (transfer agreement) with a general acute care hospital. Provide the travel time to the facility that signed the contract. Explain how the procedures for providing emergency care under this contract will work.
- b. If the applicant is a licensed general hospital, the applicant must document that its emergency capabilities continue to exist in accordance with the requirements of hospital licensure.

**3. Rule 1110.2540(b), State Board Prioritization of Hospital Applications**

Read this rule, which applies only to hospital applications, and provide the requested information as applicable.

**a. Financial Support**

Will the subacute care model provide the necessary financial support for the facility to provide continued acute care services? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, submit the following information:

- (1) Two years of projected financial statements that exclude the financial impact of the subacute care hospital model as well as two years of projected financial statements which include the financial impact of the subacute care hospital model;
- (2) the assumptions used in developing both sets of financial statements;
- (3) a narrative description of the factors within the facility or the area which will prevent the facility from complying with the financial ratios within the next two years without the proposed project;
- (4) a narrative explanation as to how the proposed project will allow you to meet the financial ratios;
- (5) if the projected financial statements (which include the subacute impact) at the applicant facility fail to meet the Part 1120 financial ratios, provide a copy of a binding agreement with another institution which guarantees the financial viability

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of the subacute hospital model for a period of five years; and

(6) historical financial statements for each of the last three calendar years.

- b. Medically Underserved Area (as designated by the Department of Health and Human Services)

Is the facility located in a medically underserved area? Yes  No

If yes, provide a map showing the location of the medically underserved area and of the applicant facility.

- c. Multi-Institutional System

Provide copies of all contractual agreements between your facility and any hospitals or long-term care facilities in your planning area which are within 60 minutes travel time of your facility which provide for exclusive best effort arrangements concerning transfer of patients between your two facilities. **Note: Best effort arrangement means the acute care facility will encourage and recommend to its medical staff that patients requiring subacute care will only be transferred to the applicant facility.**

- d. Medicare/Medicaid

Provide the Medicare patient days and admissions, the Medicaid patient days and admissions, and the total patient days and admissions for the latest calendar or fiscal year (specify the dates).

- e. Casemix and Utilization

Provide the following information:

- (1) the number of admissions and patient days for each of the last five years for each of the following:

- Ventilator cases
- Head trauma cases
- Rehabilitation cases including spinal cord injuries
- Amputees
- Other orthopedic cases requiring subacute care (Specify diagnosis)
- Other complex diagnosis which included physiological monitoring on a continuous basis

- (2) for multi-institutional systems provide the above information from each of the signatory facilities. If more than one signatory is involved, provide separate sheets for each one.

- f. HMO/PPO Utilization

Provide the number of patient days at the applicant facility for the last 12 months being reimbursed through contractual relationships with preferred provider organizations or HMOs.

- g. Notice of License Revocation/Decertification

Did IDPH issue the applicant facility a notice of license revocation Yes  No

Was the applicant facility decertified from a Federal Title XVIII or XIX program within the past 5 years Yes  No

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## h. Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations

Is the applicant facility accredited by the Joint Commission? Yes  No   
If yes, provide a copy of the latest Joint Commission letter of accreditation.

## i. Staffing

Provide documentation that the following staff will be available for the subacute care hospital model. Documentation must consist of letters of interest from individuals for each of the positions. Indicate if any of the individuals who will fill these positions are presently employed at the applicant facility.

- Full-time medical director exclusively for the model
- Two or more full-time (FTEs) physical therapist
- One or more occupational therapists
- One or more speech therapists

## j. Audited Financial Reports

Submit audited financial reports of the applicant facility for the latest three fiscal years.

**4. Rule 1110.2540(c), State Board Prioritization-Long-Term Care Facilities**

This rule applies only to LTC facility applications. Read the criterion and submit the required information, as applicable.

## a. Exceptional Care

Has the applicant facility had an Exceptional Care Contract with the Illinois Department of Public Aid for at least two years in the past four years? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, provide copies of the Exceptional Care Contract with the Illinois Department of Public Aid for each these four years.

## b. Medically Underserved Area (as designated by the Department of Health and Human Services)

Is the facility located in a medically underserved area? Yes  No

If yes, provide a map showing the location of the medically underserved area and of the applicant facility.

## c. Medicare/Medicaid

Provide the Medicare patient days and admissions, the Medicaid patient days and admissions, and the total patient days and admissions for the latest calendar or fiscal year (specify the dates).

## d. Case Mix and Utilization

Provide the following information:

(1) the number of admissions and patient days for each of the last five years for each of the following:

- Ventilator cases
- Head trauma cases
- Rehabilitation cases including spinal cord injuries
- Amputees
- Other orthopedic cases requiring subacute care (Specify diagnosis)

- Other complex diagnoses which included physiological monitoring on a continuous basis

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- (2) for multi-institutional systems, provide the same information from each of the signatory facilities. If more than one signatory is involved, provide a separate sheet for each one.

e. HMO/PPO Utilization

Provide the number of patient days at the applicant facility for the last 12 months being reimbursed through contractual relationships with preferred provider organizations or HMO's.

f. Notice of License Revocation/Decertification

Did IDPH issue the applicant facility a notice of license revocation Yes  No

Was the applicant facility decertified from a Federal Title XVIII or XIX program within the past 5 years Yes  No

g. Staffing

Provide documentation that the following staff will be available for the subacute care hospital model. Documentation shall consist of letters of interest from individuals for each of the positions. Indicate if any of the individuals who will fill the positions are currently employed by the applicant facility.

- Full-time medical director exclusively for the model
- Two or more full time (FTEs) physical therapists
- One or more occupational therapists
- One or more speech therapists

h. Financial Reports

Submit copies of the applicant facility's financial reports for the last three fiscal years.

i. Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations

Is the applicant facility accredited by the Joint Commission? Yes  No   
If yes, provide a copy of the latest Joint Commission letter of accreditation.

j. Multi-Institutional Arrangements

Provide copies of all contractual agreements between your facility and any hospitals or long-term care facilities in your planning area which are within 60 minutes travel time of your facility which provide for exclusive best effort arrangements concerning transfer of patients between your two facilities. **Note: Best effort arrangement means the referring facility will encourage and recommend to its medical staff that patients requiring subacute care will only be transferred to the applicant facility.**

#### **5. Section 1110.2540(d), State Board Prioritization of Previously Licensed Hospitals - Chicago**

This section must be completed only by applicants whose site was previously licensed as a hospital in Chicago. Provide the following information:

- a. letters from health facilities establishing a referral agreement for subacute hospital patients;
- b. letters from physicians indicating that they will refer subacute patients to your proposed facility;
- c. the number of admissions and patient days for each of the last five years for each of the

following types of patients (this information must be provided from each referring facility):

- Ventilator cases
- Head trauma cases
- Rehabilitation cases including spinal cord injuries
- Amputees
- Other orthopedic cases requiring subacute care (Specify diagnosis)
- Other complex diagnoses, which included physiological monitoring on a continuous basis.

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**K. Community-Based Residential Rehabilitation Center**

This section is applicable to all projects proposing to establish a Community-based Residential Rehabilitation Center Alternative Health Care Model.

**A. Criterion 1110.2830(a), Staffing**

Read the criterion and provide the following information:

1. A detailed staffing plan that identifies the number and type of staff positions dedicated to the model and the qualifications for each position;
2. How special staffing circumstances will be handled;
3. The staffing patterns for the proposed center; and
4. The manner in which non-dedicated staff services will be provided.

**B. Criterion 1110.2830(b), Mandated Services**

Read the criterion and provide a narrative description documenting how the applicant will provide the minimum range of services required by the Alternative Health Care Delivery Act and specified in 1110.2820(b).

**C. Criterion 1110.2830(c), Unit Size**

Read the criterion and provide a narrative description that identifies the number and location of all beds in the model. Include the total number of beds for each residence and the total number of beds for the model.

**D. Criterion 1110.2830(d), Utilization**

Read the criterion and provide documentation that the target utilization for the model will be achieved by the second year of the model's operation. Include supporting information such as historical utilization trends, population growth, expansion of professional staff or programs, and the provision of new procedures that may increase utilization.

**E. Criterion 1110.2830(e), Background of Applicant**

Read the criterion and provide documentation that demonstrates the applicant's experience in providing the services required by the model. Provide evidence that the programs offered in the model have been accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities as a Brain Injury Community-Integrative Program for at least three of the last five years.

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**L. 1110.2930 - Long Term Acute Care Hospital**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize Long Term Acute Care Hospital Bed projects must submit the following information:
2. Indicate the bed service(s) and capacity changes by Service:  
Indicate the # of beds by action(s):

Category of Service	# Existing Beds	# Proposed Beds
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>LTACH</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Intensive Care</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> _____		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

<b>APPLICABLE REVIEW CRITERIA</b>	<b>Establish</b>	<b>Expand</b>	<b>Modernize</b>
1110.2930(c)(1) - Planning Area Need - 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (formula calculation)	X		
1110.2930(c)(2) - Planning Area Need - Service to Planning Area Residents	X	X	
1110.2930(c)(3) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Establishment of Category of Service	X		
1110.2930(cb)(4) - Planning Area Need - Service Demand - Expansion of Existing Category of Service		X	
1110.2930(c)(5) - Planning Area Need - Service Accessibility	X		
1110.2930(d)(1) - Unnecessary Duplication of Services	X		
1110.2930(d)(2) - Maldistribution	X		
1110.2930(d)(3) - Impact of Project on Other Area Providers	X		
1110.2930(e)(1), (2), and (3) - Deteriorated Facilities			X
1110.2930(e)(4) - Occupancy			X
1110.2930(f) - Staffing Availability	X	X	
1110.2930(g) - Performance Requirements	X	X	X
1110.2930(h) - Assurances	X	X	
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS <u>ATTACHMENT 30</u>, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>			

**M. Criterion 1110.3030 - Clinical Service Areas Other than Categories of Service**

1. Applicants proposing to establish, expand and/or modernize Clinical Service Areas Other than categories of service must submit the following information:
2. Indicate changes by Service: Indicate # of key room changes by action(s):

Service	# Existing Key Rooms	# Proposed Key Rooms
<input type="checkbox"/>		
<input type="checkbox"/>		
<input type="checkbox"/>		

3. READ the applicable review criteria outlined below and **submit the required documentation for the criteria:**

Project Type	Required Review Criteria
New Services or Facility or Equipment	(c) - Need Determination - Establishment
Service Modernization	(d)(1) - Deteriorated Facilities
	AND/OR
	(d)(2) - Necessary Expansion
	PLUS
	(d)(3)(A) - Utilization - Major Medical Equipment
	OR
	(d)(3)(B) - Utilization - Service or Facility
<b>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS <u>ATTACHMENT 31</u>, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</b>	



**N. Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services**

These criteria are applicable only to those projects or components of projects involving the freestanding emergency center medical services (FECMS) category of service.

**A. Criterion 1110.3230 – Establishment of Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services**

Read the criterion and provide the following information:

1. Projected Utilization – Provide the projected number of patient visits per day for each treatment station in the FEC based upon 24-hour availability, including an explanation of how the projection was determined. [1110.3230(b)(3)(B) and (C)]
2. The identification of the municipality of the FEC and FECMS and the municipality's population as reported by the most recently available U.S. Census Bureau data. [1110.3230(a)(5)(A)]
3. The identification of the hospital that owns or controls the FEC and the distance of the proposed FEC from that hospital, including an explanation of how that distance was calculated. [1110.3230(a)(5)(B)]
4. The identification of the Resource Hospital affiliated with the FEC, the distance of the proposed FEC from that Resource Hospital, (including an explanation of how that distance was calculated), and identification of that Resource Hospital's EMS system, including certification of the hospital's Resource Hospital status. [1110.3230(a)(5)(C)]
5. Certification signed by two authorized representative(s) of the applicant entity(s) that they have reviewed, understand and plan to comply with both of the following requirements [1110.3230(a)(6)(A) and (B)]:
  - A) The requirements of becoming a Medicare provider of freestanding emergency services; and
  - B) The requirements of becoming licensed under the Emergency Medical Services Systems Act [210 ILCS 50/32.5].
6. Area Need; Service to Area Residents - Document the proposed service area and projected patient volume for the proposed FEC [1110.3230(b)(2)]:
  - A) Provide a map of the proposed service area, indicating the boundaries of the service area, and the total minutes travel time from the proposed site, indicating how the travel time was calculated.
  - B) Provide a list of the projected patient volume for the proposed FEC, categorized by zip code. Indicate what percentage of this volume represents residents from the proposed FEC's service area.
  - C) Provide either of the following:
    - a) Provide letters from authorized representatives of hospitals, or other FEC facilities, that are part of the Emergency Medical Services System (EMSS) for the defined service area, that contain patient origin information by zip code, (each letter shall contain a certification by the authorized representative that the representations contained in the letter are true and correct. A complete set of the letters with original notarized signatures shall accompany the application for permit), or
    - b) Patient origin information by zip code from independent data sources (e.g., Illinois Health and Hospital Association COMPdata or IDPH hospital discharge data), based upon the patient's legal residence, for patients receiving services in the existing service area's facilities' emergency departments (EDs), verifying that at least 50% of the ED patients served during the last 12-month

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period were residents of the service area.

7. Area Need; Service Demand – Historical Utilization [1110.3230(b)(3)(A)]
  - A) Provide the annual number of ED patients that have received care at facilities that are located in the FEC's service area for the latest two-year period prior to submission of the application
  - B) Provide the estimated number of patients anticipated to receive services at the proposed FEC, including an explanation of how the projection was determined.
  
8. Area Need; Service Accessibility - Document one of the following (using supporting documentation as specified in accordance with the requirements of 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1110.3230(b)(4)(B) Supporting Documentation) [1110.3230(b)(4)(A)]:
  - i) The absence of the proposed ED service within the service area;
  - ii) The area population and existing care system exhibit indicators of medical care problems,
  - iii) All existing emergency services within the 30-minute normal travel time meet or exceed the utilization standard specified in 77 Ill Adm. Code 1100.
  
9. Unnecessary Duplication - Document that the project will not result in an unnecessary duplication by providing the following information [1110.3230(c)(1)]:
  - A) A list of all zip code areas (in total or in part) that are located within 30 minutes normal travel time of the project's site;
  - B) The total population of the identified zip code areas (based upon the most recent population numbers available for the State of Illinois population); and
  - C) The names and locations of all existing or approved health care facilities located within 30 minutes normal travel time from the project site that provide emergency medical services.
  
10. Unnecessary Maldistribution - Document that the project will not result in maldistribution of services by documenting the following [1110.3230(c)(2)]:
  - A) Historical utilization (for the latest 12-month period prior to submission of the application) for existing ED departments within 30 minutes travel time of the applicant's site; or
  - B) That there is not an insufficient population to provide the volume or caseload necessary to utilize the ED services proposed by the project at or above utilization standards.
  
11. Impact on Area Providers [1110.3230(c)(3)] – Document that, within 24 months after project completion, the proposed project will not lower the utilization of other service area providers below, or further below, the utilization standards specified in 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100 (using supporting documentation in accordance with the requirements of 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1110.3230(c)(4)).
  
12. Staffing Availability - Document that a sufficient supply of personnel will be available to staff the service (in accordance with the requirements of 1110.3230(e)).

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**B. Criterion 1110.3230 – Expansion of Existing Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services**

Read the criterion and provide the following information:

1. The identification of the municipality of the FEC and FECMS and the municipality's population as reported by the most recently available U.S. Census Bureau data. [1110.3230(a)(5)(A)]
2. The identification of the hospital that owns or controls the FEC and the distance of the proposed FEC from that hospital, including an explanation of how that distance was calculated. [1110.3230(a)(5)(B)]
3. The identification of the Resource Hospital affiliated with the FEC, the distance of the proposed FEC from that Resource Hospital (including an explanation of how that distance was calculated), and identification of that Resource Hospital's EMS system, including certification of the hospital's Resource Hospital status. [1110.3230(a)(5)(C)]
4. Provide copies of Medicare and EMS licensure, in addition to certification signed by two authorized representative(s) of the applicant entity(s), indicating that the existing FEC complies with both of the following requirements [1110.3230(a)(6)(A) and (B)]:
  - A) The requirements of being a Medicare provider of freestanding emergency services; and
  - B) The requirements of being licensed under the Emergency Medical Services Systems Act [210 ILCS 50/32.5].
5. Area Need; Service to Area Residents - Document the proposed service area and projected patient volume for the expanded FEC [1110.3230(b)(2)]:
  - A) Provide a map of the proposed service area, indicating the boundaries of the service area, and the total minutes travel time from the expanded FEC, indicating how the travel time was calculated.
  - B) Provide a list of the historical (latest 12-month period) patient volume for the existing FEC, categorized by zip code, based on the patient's legal residence. Indicate what percentage of this volume represents residents from the existing FEC's service area, based on patient's legal residence.
6. Staffing Availability - Document that a sufficient supply of personnel will be available to staff the service (in accordance with the requirements of 1110.3230(e)).

**C. Criterion 1110.3230 – Modernization of Existing Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services**

Read the criterion and provide the following information:

1. The historical number of visits (based on the latest 12-month period) for the existing FEC.
2. The identification of the municipality of the FEC and FECMS and the municipality's population as reported by the most recently available U.S. Census Bureau data. [1110.3230(a)(5)(A)]
3. The identification of the hospital that owns or controls the FEC and the distance of the proposed FEC from that hospital, including an explanation of how that distance was calculated. [1110.3230(a)(5)(B)]

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4. The identification of the Resource Hospital affiliated with the FEC, the distance of the proposed FEC from that Resource Hospital, (including an explanation of how that distance was calculated), and identification of that Resource Hospital's EMS system, including certification of the hospital's Resource Hospital status. [1110.3230.(a)(5)(c)]
5. Provide copies of Medicare and EMS licensure, in addition to certification signed by two authorized representative(s) of the applicant entity(s), indicating that the existing FEC complies with both of the following requirements [1110.3230(a)(6)(A) and (B)]:
  - A) The requirements of being a Medicare provider of freestanding emergency services; and
  - B) The requirements of being licensed under the Emergency Medical Services Systems Act [210 ILCS 50/32.5].
6. Category of Service Modernization - Document that the existing treatment areas to be modernized are deteriorated or functionally obsolete and need to be replaced or modernized due to such factors as, but not limited to high cost of maintenance, non-compliance with licensing or life safety codes, changes in standards of care, or additional space for diagnostic or therapeutic purposes. Documentation shall include the most recent IDPH Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMMS) Inspection reports, and Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations reports. Other documentation shall include the following, as applicable to the factors cited in the application, copies of maintenance reports, copies of citations for life safety code violations, and other pertinent reports and data.

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 32, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.**

**O. BIRTH CENTER – REVIEW CRITERIA**

These criteria are applicable only to those projects or components of projects involving a birth center.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (a) – “Location”**

1. Document that the proposed birth center will be located in one of the geographic areas, as provided in the Alternative Healthcare Delivery Act.
2. Document that the proposed birth center is owned or operated by a hospital; or owned or operated by a federally qualified health center; or owned and operated by a private person or entity.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (b) – “Service Provision to a Health Professional Shortage Area”**

Document whether the proposed site is located in or will predominantly serve the residents of a health professional shortage area. If it will not, demonstrate that it will be located in a health planning area with a demonstrated need for obstetrical service beds or that there will be a reduction in the existing number of obstetrical service beds in the planning area so that the birth center will not result in an increase in the total number of obstetrical service beds in the health planning area.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (c) – “Admission Policies”**

Provide admission policies that will be in effect at the facility and a signed statement that no restrictions on admissions due to payor source will occur.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (d) – “Bed Capacity”**

Document that the proposed birth center will have no more than 10 beds.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (e) – “Staffing Availability”**

Document that necessary staffing is available by providing letters of interest from prospective staff members, completed applications for employment, or a narrative explanation of how the proposed staffing will be achieved.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (f) – “Emergency Surgical Backup”**

Document that either:

1. The birth center will operate under a hospital license and will be located within 30 minutes ground travel time from the hospital; **OR**
2. A contractual agreement has been signed with a licensed hospital within 30 minutes ground travel time from the licensed hospital for the referral and transfer of patients in need of an emergency caesarian delivery.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (g) – “Education”**

A written narrative on the prenatal care and community education services offered by the birth center and how these services are being coordinated with other health services in the community.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (h) – “Inclusion in Perinatal System”**

1. Letter of agreement with a hospital designated under the Perinatal System and a copy of the hospital’s maternity service; **OR**

2. An applicant that is not a hospital shall identify the regional perinatal center that will provide neonatal intensive care services, as needed to the applicant birth center patients; and a letter of intent, signed by both the administrator of the proposed birth center and the administrator of the regional perinatal center, shall be provided.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (i) – “Medicare/Medicaid Certification”**

The applicant shall document that the proposed birth center will be certified to participate in the Medicare and Medicaid programs under titles XVIII and XIX, respectively, of the federal Social Security Act.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (j)- “Charity Care”**

The applicant shall provide to HFSRB a copy of the charity care policy that will be adopted by the proposed birth center.

**Criterion 77 IAC 1110.3130 (k) – “Quality Assurance”**

The applicant shall provide to HFSRB a copy of the quality assurance program to be adopted by the birth center.

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The following Sections **DO NOT** need to be addressed by the applicants or co-applicants responsible for funding or guaranteeing the funding of the project if the applicant has a bond rating of A- or better from Fitch's or Standard and Poor's rating agencies, or A3 or better from Moody's (the rating shall be affirmed within the latest 18-month period prior to the submittal of the application):

- Section 1120.120 Availability of Funds – Review Criteria
- Section 1120.130 Financial Viability – Review Criteria
- Section 1120.140 Economic Feasibility – Review Criteria, subsection (a)

**VII. 1120.120 - AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

The applicant shall document that financial resources shall be available and be equal to or exceed the estimated total project cost plus any related project costs by providing evidence of sufficient financial resources from the following sources, as applicable [**Indicate the dollar amount to be provided from the following sources**]:

_____	<p>a) Cash and Securities – statements (e.g., audited financial statements, letters from financial institutions, board resolutions) as to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) the amount of cash and securities available for the project, including the identification of any security, its value and availability of such funds; and</li> <li>2) interest to be earned on depreciation account funds or to be earned on any asset from the date of applicant's submission through project completion;</li> </ol>
_____	<p>b) Pledges – for anticipated pledges, a summary of the anticipated pledges showing anticipated receipts and discounted value, estimated time table of gross receipts and related fundraising expenses, and a discussion of past fundraising experience.</p>
_____	<p>c) Gifts and Bequests – verification of the dollar amount, identification of any conditions of use, and the estimated time table of receipts;</p>
_____	<p>d) Debt – a statement of the estimated terms and conditions (including the debt time period, variable or permanent interest rates over the debt time period, and the anticipated repayment schedule) for any interim and for the permanent financing proposed to fund the project, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) For general obligation bonds, proof of passage of the required referendum or evidence that the governmental unit has the authority to issue the bonds and evidence of the dollar amount of the issue, including any discounting anticipated;</li> <li>2) For revenue bonds, proof of the feasibility of securing the specified amount and interest rate;</li> <li>3) For mortgages, a letter from the prospective lender attesting to the expectation of making the loan in the amount and time indicated, including the anticipated interest rate and any conditions associated with the mortgage, such as, but not limited to, adjustable interest rates, balloon payments, etc.;</li> <li>4) For any lease, a copy of the lease, including all the terms and conditions, including any purchase options, any capital improvements to the property and provision of capital equipment;</li> <li>5) For any option to lease, a copy of the option, including all terms and conditions.</li> </ol>

_____	e) Governmental Appropriations – a copy of the appropriation Act or ordinance accompanied by a statement of funding availability from an official of the governmental unit. If funds are to be made available from subsequent fiscal years, a copy of a resolution or other action of the governmental unit attesting to this intent;
_____	f) Grants – a letter from the granting agency as to the availability of funds in terms of the amount and time of receipt;
_____	g) All Other Funds and Sources – verification of the amount and type of any other funds that will be used for the project.
	<b>TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE</b>
<p>APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS <u>ATTACHMENT 34</u>, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.</p>	



**SECTION VIII. 1120.130 - FINANCIAL VIABILITY**

All the applicants and co-applicants shall be identified, specifying their roles in the project funding or guaranteeing the funding (sole responsibility or shared) and percentage of participation in that funding.

**Financial Viability Waiver**

The applicant is not required to submit financial viability ratios if:

1. "A" Bond rating or better
2. All of the projects capital expenditures are completely funded through internal sources
3. The applicant's current debt financing or projected debt financing is insured or anticipated to be insured by MBIA (Municipal Bond Insurance Association Inc.) or equivalent
4. The applicant provides a third party surety bond or performance bond letter of credit from an A rated guarantor.

See Section 1120.130 Financial Waiver for information to be provided

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The applicant or co-applicant that is responsible for funding or guaranteeing funding of the project shall provide viability ratios for the latest three years for which **audited financial statements are available and for the first full fiscal year at target utilization, but no more than two years following project completion.** When the applicant's facility does not have facility specific financial statements and the facility is a member of a health care system that has combined or consolidated financial statements, the system's viability ratios shall be provided. If the health care system includes one or more hospitals, the system's viability ratios shall be evaluated for conformance with the applicable hospital standards.

	Historical 3 Years			Projected
<b>Enter Historical and/or Projected Years:</b>				
Current Ratio				
Net Margin Percentage				
Percent Debt to Total Capitalization				
Projected Debt Service Coverage				
Days Cash on Hand				
Cushion Ratio				

Provide the methodology and worksheets utilized in determining the ratios detailing the calculation and applicable line item amounts from the financial statements. Complete a separate table for each co-applicant and provide worksheets for each.

Variance

Applicants not in compliance with any of the viability ratios shall document that another organization, public or private, shall assume the legal responsibility to meet the debt obligations should the applicant default.

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**SECTION IX. 1120.140 - ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY**

This section is applicable to all projects subject to Part 1120.

**A. Reasonableness of Financing Arrangements**

The applicant shall document the reasonableness of financing arrangements by submitting a notarized statement signed by an authorized representative that attests to one of the following:

- 1) That the total estimated project costs and related costs will be funded in total with cash and equivalents, including investment securities, unrestricted funds, received pledge receipts and funded depreciation; or
- 2) That the total estimated project costs and related costs will be funded in total or in part by borrowing because:
  - A) A portion or all of the cash and equivalents must be retained in the balance sheet asset accounts in order to maintain a current ratio of at least 2.0 times for hospitals and 1.5 times for all other facilities; or
  - B) Borrowing is less costly than the liquidation of existing investments, and the existing investments being retained may be converted to cash or used to retire debt within a 60-day period.

**B. Conditions of Debt Financing**

This criterion is applicable only to projects that involve debt financing. The applicant shall document that the conditions of debt financing are reasonable by submitting a notarized statement signed by an authorized representative that attests to the following, as applicable:

- 1) That the selected form of debt financing for the project will be at the lowest net cost available;
- 2) That the selected form of debt financing will not be at the lowest net cost available, but is more advantageous due to such terms as prepayment privileges, no required mortgage, access to additional indebtedness, term (years), financing costs and other factors;
- 3) That the project involves (in total or in part) the leasing of equipment or facilities and that the expenses incurred with leasing a facility or equipment are less costly than constructing a new facility or purchasing new equipment.

**C. Reasonableness of Project and Related Costs**

Read the criterion and provide the following:

1. Identify each department or area impacted by the proposed project and provide a cost and square footage allocation for new construction and/or modernization using the following format (insert after this page).

COST AND GROSS SQUARE FEET BY DEPARTMENT OR SERVICE									
Department (list below)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	Total Cost (G + H)
	Cost/Square Foot New Mod.		Gross Sq. Ft. New Circ.*		Gross Sq. Ft. Mod. Circ.*		Const. \$ (A x C)	Mod. \$ (B x E)	
Contingency									
<b>TOTALS</b>									

\* Include the percentage (%) of space for circulation

**D. Projected Operating Costs**

The applicant shall provide the projected direct annual operating costs (in current dollars per equivalent patient day or unit of service) for the first full fiscal year at target utilization but no more than two years following project completion. Direct cost means the fully allocated costs of salaries, benefits and supplies for the service.

**E. Total Effect of the Project on Capital Costs**

The applicant shall provide the total projected annual capital costs (in current dollars per equivalent patient day) for the first full fiscal year at target utilization but no more than two years following project completion.

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**SECTION X. SAFETY NET IMPACT STATEMENT**

**SAFETY NET IMPACT STATEMENT that describes all of the following must be submitted for ALL SUBSTANTIVE PROJECTS AND PROJECTS TO DISCONTINUE STATE-OWNED HEALTH CARE FACILITIES [20 ILCS 3960/5.4]:**

1. The project's material impact, if any, on essential safety net services in the community, to the extent that it is feasible for an applicant to have such knowledge.
2. The project's impact on the ability of another provider or health care system to cross-subsidize safety net services, if reasonably known to the applicant.
3. How the discontinuation of a facility or service might impact the remaining safety net providers in a given community, if reasonably known by the applicant.

**Safety Net Impact Statements shall also include all of the following:**

1. For the 3 fiscal years prior to the application, a certification describing the amount of charity care provided by the applicant. The amount calculated by hospital applicants shall be in accordance with the reporting requirements for charity care reporting in the Illinois Community Benefits Act. Non-hospital applicants shall report charity care, at cost, in accordance with an appropriate methodology specified by the Board.
2. For the 3 fiscal years prior to the application, a certification of the amount of care provided to Medicaid patients. Hospital and non-hospital applicants shall provide Medicaid information in a manner consistent with the information reported each year to the Illinois Department of Public Health regarding "Inpatients and Outpatients Served by Payor Source" and "Inpatient and Outpatient Net Revenue by Payor Source" as required by the Board under Section 13 of this Act and published in the Annual Hospital Profile.
3. Any information the applicant believes is directly relevant to safety net services, including information

regarding teaching, research, and any other service.

**A table in the following format must be provided as part of Attachment 38.**

Safety Net Information per PA 96-0031			
CHARITY CARE			
Charity (# of patients)	Year	Year	Year
Inpatient			
Outpatient			
<b>Total</b>			
Charity (cost in dollars)	Year	Year	Year
Inpatient			
Outpatient			
<b>Total</b>			
MEDICAID			
Medicaid (# of patients)	Year	Year	Year
Inpatient			
Outpatient			
<b>Total</b>			
Medicaid (revenue)	Year	Year	Year
Inpatient			
Outpatient			
<b>Total</b>			

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**SECTION XI. CHARITY CARE INFORMATION**

Charity Care information **MUST** be furnished for **ALL** projects [1120.20(c)].

1. All applicants and co-applicants shall indicate the amount of charity care for the latest three **audited** fiscal years, the cost of charity care and the ratio of that charity care cost to net patient revenue.
2. If the applicant owns or operates one or more facilities, the reporting shall be for each individual facility located in Illinois. If charity care costs are reported on a consolidated basis, the applicant shall provide documentation as to the cost of charity care; the ratio of that charity care to the net patient revenue for the consolidated financial statement; the allocation of charity care costs; and the ratio of charity care cost to net patient revenue for the facility under review.
3. If the applicant is not an existing facility, it shall submit the facility's projected patient mix by payer source, anticipated charity care expense and projected ratio of charity care to net patient revenue by the end of its second year of operation.

**Charity care" means care provided by a health care facility for which the provider does not expect to receive payment from the patient or a third-party payer (20 ILCS 3960/3). Charity Care must be provided at cost.**

**A table in the following format must be provided for all facilities as part of Attachment 39.**

CHARITY CARE			
	Year	Year	Year
<b>Net Patient Revenue</b>			
Amount of Charity Care (charges)			
Cost of Charity Care			

**APPEND DOCUMENTATION AS ATTACHMENT 39, IN NUMERIC SEQUENTIAL ORDER AFTER THE LAST PAGE OF THE APPLICATION FORM.**

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