

**2. Narrative Description**

Provide in the space below, 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.

The proposed project addresses the addition of eight stations to an existing ESRD facility located in Crystal Lake. The additional seven stations will be developed through a reconfiguration of the space within the existing 9-station facility.

ARA-Crystal Lake Dialysis has experienced steady increases in utilization over the past two years, and patients have been identified who will require dialysis within the next 12-18 months in sufficient number to support the proposed 16 stations.

This is a "non-substantive" project because it deals with ESRD services, exclusively.

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