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PUBLIC NOTICE

Three Health Systems Compete for Linear Accelerator in Franklin and Wake

RALEIGH — Three health systems have filed certificate of need applications with the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services to acquire a linear accelerator in response to a need determination in the 2023 State Medical Facilities Plan for one linear accelerator in Service Area 20, which is comprised of Franklin and Wake counties.

- UNC Health Rex proposes to acquire one additional linear accelerator at UNC Health Rex Cancer Care of Wakefield in Raleigh, for a total of two linear accelerators at that location and a total of six linear accelerators operated by UNC Health Rex in Service Area 20. The project is expected to cost \$10.6 million and would be completed in May 2025.
- WakeMed proposes to acquire one linear accelerator and a CT simulator to develop a hospital-based radiation therapy treatment center near its main campus in Raleigh, for a total of one linear accelerator operated by WakeMed in Service Area 20. The project is expected to cost \$9.6 million and would be completed in October 2025.
- Duke University Health System proposes to acquire one linear accelerator and a CT simulator to develop a radiation oncology facility in Garner, N.C., for a total of four linear accelerators approved or operated by Duke University Health System in Service Area 20. The project is expected to cost \$33.5 million and would be completed in January 2026.

A public hearing for these projects will be held June 20 at 10 a.m. in room 104 of the Brown Building on Dorothea Dix Campus, 801 Biggs Drive in Raleigh.

Anyone may file written comments concerning this proposal. Comments must be received by the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section no later than 5 p.m. on May 31.

Comments may be submitted as an attachment to an email if they are sent to DHSR.CON.Comments@dhhs.nc.gov. Comments may also be mailed to the following address:

NC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES • DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION HEALTHCARE PLANNING AND CERTIFICATE OF NEED SECTION

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