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Rex Healthcare proposes expansion of cancer center

RALEIGH – Rex Healthcare has filed an application with the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to expand and renovate the North Carolina Cancer Hospital at Rex.

A public hearing for this project will be held on April 16, at 2 p.m. in Room 201 of the Council Building, 701 Barbour Drive on the Dorothea Dix Campus, Raleigh.

Rex proposes to construct 71,000 square feet of new space and to renovate more than 21,000 square feet of space to expand the cancer center. No new beds or services will be added to the hospital's licensed capacity as part of this project. The projected cost is \$60.1 million and completion is scheduled for late 2013.

Anyone may file written comments concerning this proposal. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than March 31 at the following address:

Certificate of Need Section
Division of Health Service Regulation
2704 Mail Service Center
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