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Four proposals compete for 23 dialysis stations in Cabarrus County

RALEIGH – Total Renal Care of North Carolina and RAI Care Centers of North Carolina have filed a total of four competing applications with the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to develop additional dialysis services in Cabarrus County.

A public hearing for these projects will be held on Nov. 17 at 11 a.m. in the Kannapolis Train Station, 201 South Main St. Dialysis is a medical treatment that filters impurities from the blood of a person with kidney failure.

The July 2010 Semi-Annual Dialysis Report, a component of the 2010 State Medical Facilities Plan, has identified the need for 23 additional dialysis stations in Cabarrus County. A summary of the four proposals follows:

- Total Renal Care proposes to add five stations at the existing 15-station Harrisburg Dialysis Center in Concord. The project is expected to cost \$113,000 and to be completed by July 1, 2011.
- Total Renal Care proposes to develop the Cabarrus County Dialysis Center, a 12-station dialysis facility in Concord. The project is expected to cost \$1.4 million and to be completed by July 1, 2012.
- Total Renal Care proposes to add six stations at the existing 21-station Copperfield Dialysis Center in Concord. The project is expected to cost \$139,200 and to be completed by July 1, 2011.
- RAI Care Centers also proposes to develop RAI Care Centers – Concord, a 23-station dialysis facility in Concord. The project is expected to cost \$1.7 million and to be completed by Jan. 1, 2012.

Anyone may file written comments concerning these proposals. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than Nov. 1 at the following address:

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