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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **WakeMed Proposes New Psychiatric Hospital in Wake County**

RALEIGH — WakeMed and WakeMed Behavioral Health Services LLC filed a certificate of need application with the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services to develop a new 150-bed psychiatric hospital — WakeMed Behavioral Health Center — in Knightdale.

The project is expected to cost \$137 million and would be completed in October 2026.

A public hearing for this project will be held Oct. 20 at 10 a.m. on the Dorothea Dix Campus, Brown Building-Room 104, 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 Oct. 3.

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

Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section  
Division of Health Service Regulation  
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Certificate of need public notices are posted on the [DHSR website](#).

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