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DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION

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June 8, 2016

Barry Ward
Wilkes Regional Medical Center
1370 West D Street
North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Exempt from Review – Acquisition of Facility

Record #: 2290
Facility Name: Wilkes Regional Medical Center
Type of Facility: Hospital
FID #: 944573
Acquisition by: Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center
Business #: 1324
County: Wilkes

Dear Mr. Ward:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) determined that based on your letter of May 26, 2017, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-184(a)(8). Therefore, Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center may proceed to acquire the above referenced health service facility without first obtaining a certificate of need. However, you need to contact the Agency's Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section to obtain instructions for changing ownership of the existing facility. Note that pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-181(b): *"A recipient of a certificate of need, or any person who may subsequently acquire, in any manner whatsoever permitted by law, the service for which that certificate of need was issued, is required to materially comply with the representations made in its application for that certificate of need."*

It should be noted that this Agency's position is based solely on the facts represented by you and that any change in facts as represented would require further consideration by this Agency and a separate determination.

HEALTHCARE PLANNING AND CERTIFICATE OF NEED SECTION

WWW.NCDHHS.GOV

TELEPHONE 919-855-3873

LOCATION: EDGERTON BUILDING • 809 RUGGLES DRIVE • RALEIGH, NC 27603

MAILING ADDRESS: 2704 MAIL SERVICE CENTER • RALEIGH, NC 27699-2704

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/ AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER



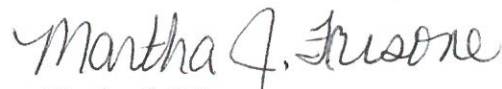
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If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,



Julie Halatek
Project Analyst



Martha J. Frisone
Chief, Healthcare Planning and
Certificate of Need Section

cc: Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR
Paige Bennett, Assistant Chief, Healthcare Planning, DHSR

CERTIFICATE OF NEED SECTION
DHSR,DHHS
2704 MAIL SERVICE CENTER
RALEIGH, NC 276992704



5/26/2017

Re: Wilkes Regional Medical Center

Dear Vendor:

On July 1, 2010, and as amended on July, 1, 2013 and again on July 1, 2015, North Carolina Baptist Hospital (“NCBH”), a North Carolina nonprofit corporation, Wake Forest University (“WFU”), a private university and North Carolina nonprofit corporation, Wake Forest University Health Sciences (“WFUHS”), a North Carolina nonprofit corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of WFU, and Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center (“WFUBMC”), a North Carolina nonprofit corporation, entered into an integration agreement that created a fully integrated governance, operational, financial, clinical, and academic enterprise. Under this integration agreement, NCBH and WFUHS, and their subsidiaries and affiliates, are operated by WFUBMC as an integrated academic medical center.

Effective July 1, 2017, WFUBMC will become the sole owner of Wilkes Regional Medical Center, (“Wilkes”). Thus Wilkes will be operated by WFUBMC as of July 1, 2017.

A list of the affected ship to locations is below. Additional detailed information will follow regarding purchasing and payables. If you have questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to direct them to one of the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Pamala

Jeff

Pamala Branscum, MBA

Jeff Pinkerton

Manager, Purchasing

Manager - Materials Management

Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center
336.716.4036

Wilkes Regional Medical Center
(336) 651-8182

pbranscu@wakehealth.edu

japinkerton@wilkesregional.com

Effected Wilkes Ship-to locations:

<p>Wilkes Regional Medical Center 1370 West D Street North Wilkesboro, NC 28659</p>	<p>Greenway Healthcare 1404 Willow Lane, Suite A N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3584</p>
<p>Wilkes Regional Supply Center 1508 West D. Street N. Wilkesboro, NC. 28659</p>	<p>Urgent Care of West Park 1900 West Park Drive N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659—3563</p>
<p>Wilkes Regional Family Medicine 200 West Park Circle, Suite C N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3541</p>	<p>Wilkes Family Health Center 1534 West D Street N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659 - 3528</p>
<p>Wilkes Regional Gastroenterology 1404 Willow Lane, Suite B N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3584</p>	<p>Wilkes Adult and Pediatric Medicine 1915 West Park Drive, Suite 103 N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659 – 3777</p>
<p>Wilkes Regional Surgical Specialists 1915 West Park Dr, Suite 100 N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3777</p>	<p>West Wilkes Family Medicine 171 West Wilkes Medical Center Rd Ferguson, NC 28624</p>
<p>Orthopedic Specialists of Wilkes 1917 West Park Dr N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3585</p>	<p>Rock Creek Family Medicine 111 Riddle Road N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659</p>
<p>Northwest Carolinas Women's Center 1405 Willow Lane N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659-3551</p>	<p>Wilkes Regional ENT & Sleep Medicine 1914 West Park Drive N. Wilkesboro, NC 28659</p>



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Dear Vendor:

As of July 1, 2017, Wilkes Regional Medical Center and Wilkes Physician Network will be owned and operated by Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center. As we make this transition, we will have a new PO process. Please begin using this process beginning July 1.

- Continue to send non-PO invoices to Wilkes Accounts Payable. PO numbers issued by Wilkes Regional Medical Center will continue to be honored and referenced by Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.
- Although POs will be produced by Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center, they will be formatted from **Wilkes Medical Center** and will begin with **7000000000**.
- Send PO invoices to WFUBMCAP@wakehealth.edu or the following:

Wilkes Medical Center
Attn: Accounts Payable
Medical Center Boulevard
Winston-Salem, NC 27157

- Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center will send payments to your company through the same payment method you previously used (excluding ePay).

We appreciate our vendor relationship with you. If you have any questions, please contact Accounts Payable Customer Service at Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center at 336-716-4491.

Sincerely,

Barry Ward

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CFO/VP-Finance
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