

R. Beale

I understand you will be on the Ashville program to discuss dialysis in Franklin. Please be advised I am a patient along with approximately 30 others from Franklin, Otto and Highlands that go 3 times a week to Sylva for treatment. This is non optional, mandatory treatment that would be better served in Franklin. My round trip mileage is 64 miles per trip. My time commitment is 8.5 hours for each trip, beginning at 4:30 am at this time. My wife attends each session with me as insurance against late session bleeding while driving. Our life commitment would be greatly improved with approval of a Franklin based facility.

Thanks for your interest


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