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VIA EMAIL ONLY

February 7, 2025

Steve Shelton sshelton@transitionslifecare.org

No Review

Record #:	4702
Date of Request: January	
Facility Name:	Transitions LifeCare
FID #:	050884
Business Name:	Hospice of Wake County, Inc.
Business #:	1001
Project Description:	Change of address for administrative office
County:	Granville

Dear Mr. Shelton:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency), received your correspondence regarding the project described above. Based on the representation in your request and the CON law **in effect on the date of this response to your request**, the project as described is not governed by, and therefore, does not currently require a certificate of need. If the CON law is subsequently amended such that the above referenced proposal would require a certificate of need, this determination does not authorize you to proceed to develop the above referenced proposal when the new law becomes effective.

This determination is binding only for the facts represented in your correspondence. If changes are made in the project or in the facts provided in the correspondence referenced above, a new determination as to whether a certificate of need is required would need to be made by this office. As a reminder, it is unlawful to offer or develop a new institutional health service without first obtaining a certificate of need. The Department reserves the right to impose sanctions, including civil penalties and the revocation of a license, upon any entity that offers or develops a new institutional health service without first obtaining a certificate of need.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Bradford Project Analyst

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Micheala Mitchell Chief

cc: Acute and Home Care Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR

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То:	<u>Stancil, Tiffany C</u>
Subject:	RE: [External] Material Compliance request, Facility ID: 050884, License Number HOS3133
Date:	Tuesday, February 4, 2025 11:18:18 AM
Attachments:	image001.png

This is actually a No Review. I already asked Mike. There is no project associated with it.

Cynthia Bradford, MSW

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Sent: Tuesday, February 4, 2025 10:21 AM
To: Bradford, Cynthia L <cynthia.bradford@dhhs.nc.gov>
Subject: RE: [External] Material Compliance request, Facility ID: 050884, License Number HOS3133

Is there a project # associated with this? Yes, the facility in is Access but no Proj is pulling up

Tiffany Stancil Administrative Specialist I <u>Division of Health Service Regulation</u>, Healthcare Planning and CON Section [ncdhhs.gov/]NC Department of Health and Human Services

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From: Bradford, Cynthia L <<u>cynthia.bradford@dhhs.nc.gov</u>>
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To: Stancil, Tiffany C <<u>Tiffany.Stancil@dhhs.nc.gov</u>>
Subject: FW: [External] Material Compliance request, Facility ID: 050884, License Number HOS3133

Here is the request that came in the other day, except this time I was able to input their info in Access. It should be there for you to log in now.

Thanks!

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From: Steve Shelton <<u>sshelton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
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To: Bradford, Cynthia L <<u>cynthia.bradford@dhhs.nc.gov</u>>; Shená Thornton
<<u>sthornton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
Cc: Jacob Jones <<u>jjones@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
Subject: RE: [External] Material Compliance request, Facility ID: 050884, License Number HOS3133

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Good afternoon,

Current name of the facility: Hospice of Wake County, Inc DBA Transitions LifeCare CFO contact – Steven Shelton, 250 Hospice Circle Raleigh NC 27607 919-828-0890

The Granville site is an satellite site for clinical staff to store supplies and meet on occasion. No patient services are taking place.

The satellite office was moved from 107 Lake Rd Suite #2 Creedmoor NC 27522 to 2557 Capital Drive #8293, Suite A Creedmoor NC 27522 on March 1, 2024. The lease on the Lake Rd property expired at the end of February 2024, prompting the move.

We incorporated in 1979. I have record of a Home Health Agency initial license noting a CON authorization with the number J1081-79. Will that help?

Steve

Steve Shelton, CPA, MBA, CHFP Chief Financial Officer Transitions LifeCare Office: (919) 719-6754 sshelton@transitionslifecare.org

From: Bradford, Cynthia L <<u>cynthia.bradford@dhhs.nc.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, January 29, 2025 2:59 PM
To: Shená Thornton <<u>sthornton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
Cc: Steve Shelton <<u>sshelton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>; Jacob Jones <<u>jjones@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
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Good Afternoon,

Thank you for your inquiry. Certificate of Need does not have any information matching the license and FID you provided. I did find the facility in the licensing database.

I have a couple items I need to verify with you before I can process your request. I need the following:

Current name of the facility.

Owner name and contact information.

Who is the point of contact for future communication. Name, address, phone, email

When was the facility relocated from the previous address.

Any Certificate of Need documentation regarding the relocation of the facility.

I have forwarded your request so it can be logged. Since there is no information on your facility in our system, I assume the facility was in place prior to CON requirements being in effect. I need to create a profile for the facility in our system, thus, the need to verify the items requested above.

I look forward to hearing from you soon!

Regards,

Cynthia Bradford, MSW

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From: Shená Thornton <<u>sthornton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
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Cc: Steve Shelton <<u>sshelton@transitionslifecare.org</u>>; Jacob Jones <<u>jjones@transitionslifecare.org</u>>
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Good afternoon Ms. Bradford,

We recently renewed our license for the facility referenced above. After issuance we noticed that the site location address is not correct. We are working with Inga Gaines in the Division of Health Service Regulation to update our record but she indicated we need to reach out to CON as well. I was given your name as the person to contact as the site in question is in Granville County. I have listed the addresses below:

- Current address listed: 107 Lake Road, Suite #2, Creedmoor NC 27522
- Correct address: 2557 Capital Drive, #8293, Suite A, Creedmoor NC 27522

Please let me know what CON needs to have our record corrected. Feel free to contact me with any questions.

Thank you.

Shená Thornton Administrative Assistant Phone: 919.828.0890, ext. 6778 Mobile: 919.812.3709 Email: <u>sthornton@transitionslifecare.org</u> 250 Hospice Circle Raleigh NC 27607 www.transitionslifecare.org



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