

**Acute Care Services Committee
Oral Report to the SHCC
2020 Summer Petitions and Comments**

CHAPTER 5: ACUTE CARE HOSPITAL BEDS

The Agency received two petitions.

- **Cape Fear Valley Health** petitioned to remove the proposed 53-bed need determination in Cumberland County. The Agency received no comments on this petition.
- **Duke University Health System** petitioned for an adjusted need determination for 20 acute care beds in Wake County. The agency received two comments in opposition.

CHAPTER 6: OPERATING ROOMS

The Agency received no petitions. Two comments were received regarding the Dental Single Specialty Demonstration Project.

CHAPTER 7: OTHER ACUTE CARE SERVICES

The Agency received one petition.

- **Mission Hospital** petition for an adjusted need determination for 8 Burn ICU beds in Buncombe County. The agency received three comments in opposition.

CHAPTER 8: INPATIENT REHABILITATION SERVICES

No petitions or comments were received.

CHAPTER 9: END-STAGE RENAL DISEASE DIALYSIS FACILITIES

The Agency received one petition.

- **Solomon and Marissa Dunston** petitioned for an adjusted need determination for a dialysis facility in Franklin County. The agency received one comment in opposition.

The Agency also received four comments regarding ESRD policies and methodology.

Healthcare Planning staff will add items to the ESRD Data Collection Form to obtain information regarding the effect of COVID-19 on dialysis facilities.

Healthcare Planning staff have added items to License Renewal Applications to obtain additional information regarding the effect of COVID-19 on services in hospitals and ambulatory surgical facilities that are covered in the SMFP. This data, as well as additional data from the statewide data processor, will be available to inform the planning process for the 2022 SMFP.

This concludes my report. Thank you Mr. Chairman.