MEMORANDUM

TO: Recipients of the 2015 State Medical Facilities Plan

THROUGH: Drexdal Pratt, Director
Division of Health Service Regulation

FROM: Shelley Carraway, Chief
Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section

SUBJECT: Revised Adult Chemical Dependency Treatment Bed Need Determination for the Central Region

DATE: February 20, 2015

The published 2015 State Medical Facilities Plan (SMFP) identifies a need determination for 51 additional adult chemical dependency treatment beds in the Central Region. On December 5, 2014, the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section issued a Certificate of Need for 39 adult chemical dependency treatment beds to be located in the Central Region. This certificate was issued pursuant to a need determination in the 2014 SMFP. The methodology for chemical dependency treatment beds does not include an adjustment in the following year’s SMFP for a bed need for which no certificates have been issued at the time the plan is submitted to the Governor. Thus, the 2015 SMFP did not show the increase in the existing planning inventory.

Pursuant to Policy GEN-2, the existing planning inventory has been revised and the projected need determination has been recalculated. The projected need for adult chemical dependency treatment beds for the Central Region in the 2015 SMFP has decreased from 51 to 12. The review opportunity for the Central Region has not changed from the 2015 SMFP.

Enclosed is a revised Table 16C (page 382). Please insert the new page into each copy of the 2015 SMFP. This memorandum and related material will be placed on the Division’s website.

If you have questions about the revised need determination for adult chemical dependency treatment beds for the Central Region, please contact Amy Craddock in Healthcare Planning at 919-855-3865 or Martha Frisone in Certificate of Need at 919-855-3873.

Enclosure