

Alabama CON Report

CON Review Board Meeting April 16, 2025

I. Certificate of Need Program

- A. AL2024-025, 211-213 Ana Drive Operations, LLC d/b/a Hilltop at Glenwood II, Lauderdale County, AL:** Proposes to convert sixteen (16) existing assisted living facility (ALF) beds into sixteen (16) specialty care assisted living facility (SCALF) beds in Florence, Lauderdale County, Alabama. **Opposition: KnR Properties, LLC.**

Denied.

- B. AL2025-001, Fresenius Medical Care McCalla, LLC d/b/a Fresenius Medical Care McCalla, Jefferson County, AL:** Proposes to expand its existing end-stage renal disease (ESRD) treatment facility consisting of thirteen (13) in-center hemodialysis stations, including one (1) isolation station, through the addition of four (4) in-center hemodialysis stations, for a total of seventeen (17) stations in the city of Bessemer, Jefferson County, Alabama. **Opposition: None.**

Approved.

- C. AL2025-003, Bio-Medical Applications of Alabama, Inc. d/b/a Fresenius Medical Care Whetstone, Monroe County, AL:** Proposes to expand the existing end-stage renal disease (ESRD) treatment facility consisting of twenty (20) stations, including nineteen (19) in-center hemodialysis stations and one (1) home training station, through the addition of one (1) home training station, for a total of twenty-one (21) stations in the city of Monroeville, Monroe County, Alabama. **Opposition: None.**

Approved.

- D. AL2025-005, Encompass Health Rehabilitation Hospital of Gadsden, Inc., Etowah County, AL:** Proposes the addition of five (5) inpatient physical rehabilitation beds to the existing forty-nine (49) bed inpatient rehabilitation facility (IRF), for a total of fifty-four (54) rehabilitation beds, in the city of Gadsden, Etowah County, Alabama, Region IV. **Opposition: None.**

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II. Reviewability Determinations and Pending Reviewability Determinations

- A. Reviewability Determinations:**

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RV2025-001, Vascular and Interventional Specialists of Alabama, PLLC, proposes to offer interventional radiology services at its existing office in Pelham, Alabama. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-009, Proveer at Heritage Woods Specialty Care Assisted Living Facility, proposes to modify building to convert five (5) existing assisted living facility (ALF) beds into single occupancy specialty care assisted living facility (SCALF) beds. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-010, Children's of Alabama, proposes to relocate Children's on 3rd Outpatient Rehabilitation Center to another building within Jefferson County, Alabama. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-012R, Atrium Health Floyd Cherokee Medical Center, proposes to renovate existing exercise room and director's office to create an outpatient mammography room and bone density scan (DXA) room with additional space for a waiting area, staff workstations, and dressing rooms. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-013, Southeast Health Medical Center, proposes to relocate its Medicine Shop to the first floor of the facility's outpatient building. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-014, Southeast Health Medical Center, proposes to replace the CT equipment at its outpatient imaging center. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-015, The Board of Trustees of the University of Alabama for the University of Alabama Hospital, proposes to install dedicated medical air pumps for the existing hyperbaric chambers in the clinic. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-016, The Board of Trustees of the University of Alabama for the University of Alabama Hospital, proposes to replace the existing infant warmer and procedures lights in the Women & Infants Center at the University of Alabama Hospital. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-017, Shelby Baptist Medical Center, proposes to upgrade imaging equipment and relocate dialysis services. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-018, Good Samaritan Hospice of Madison, Inc., proposes to relocate its administrative office within Lauderdale County, Alabama. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-019, Baptist Health Brookwood Hospital, proposes to upgrade equipment and relocate its neurology laboratory. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

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RV2025-020R, Bullock County Rural Emergency Hospital, proposes to renovate certain space on the main floor of the hospital. **Status: Withdrawn.**

RV2025-021, Foley Hospital Company, LLC d/b/a Baldwin Health, proposes to replace the flooring throughout areas of its existing hospital and freestanding emergency department (FED). **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

RV2025-022, Baptist Health Brookwood Hospital, proposes to add an additional CT machine and related finishes upgrade, all under applicable thresholds. **Status: Non-Reviewable.**

B. Pending Reviewability Determinations:

RV2025-023, Good Samaritan Hospice of Madison, Inc. d/b/a Affinity Hospice, proposes to make an administrative correction regarding a canceled relocation. **Status: Pending.**

RV2025-024, Dialysis Clinic, Inc., proposes to establish and operate a ten (10) station dialysis facility, in partnership with Bibb Medical Center Dialysis, LLC, in Centreville, Alabama. **Status: Pending.**

RV2025-026, Urology Associates of Mobile, proposes to replace its linear accelerator in Mobile, Baldwin, and Clarke counties citing satisfaction of the four-part test for application of the Physician Office Exemption (POE). **Status: Pending.**

RV2025-027, First Choice Hospice, LLC d/b/a ACG Hospice, proposes to consolidate its four (4) existing certificates of need (CONs) into one (1) CON designating ACG Hospice Dothan as the parent location, making the other three (3) locations branch offices serving the following counties: Covington, Butler, Escambia, Conecuh, Barbour, Dale, Henry, Houston, Coffee, Crenshaw, Geneva, Pike, Montgomery, Autauga, and Elmore. **Status: Pending.**

III. Old Business

A. Public Hearing and Vote on 410-1-7-.06, Filing of a Certificate of Need Application:

The comment period ended March 17, 2025, for the rule changes to the filing of a Certificate of Need Application pursuant to the requirements of Ala. Admin. Code r. 410-1-7-.06. No comments were received during the comment period.

Approved.

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The next CON Review Board meeting will be held on May 21, 2025.