



9/30/2014 Georgia Update

The Georgia Department of Community Health (The Department) released its Batching Review Cycle Notifications on September 30, 2014.

The Department found Need for the following services:

Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Planning Region 3 Projected Net Beds: 14

The Department WILL accept applications for this need for new or expanded services and **WILL** also accept applications filed under the exceptions to need methodology for Neonatal Intensive Care beds.

The Department did NOT find need but WILL accept applications for new or expanded services filed under the exceptions to need methodology for these services:

- Ambulatory Surgery Center Services
- Comprehensive Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation (CIPR) Services
- Neonatal Intermediate Care Services
- Obstetrical Services

The Department did NOT find need and WILL NOT accept CON Application for the following services and also **WILL NOT** accept application filed under the exceptions to need methodology:

- Home Health Services
- Skilled Nursing Facilities

Pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-.08(1)(c)2, the notice of intent is due and must be received by the Division no later than the close of business (5:00 P.M.) on **Thursday, October 30, 2014**.

Pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-.08(1)(d), to participate in this review cycle, any interested party must have, in the Division's office, subject to a properly submitted notice of intent to apply, a properly submitted application received no later than **12:00 P.M. on Monday, December 1, 2014** (rollover date).

The next assessment of need by the Department for all of these service lines will be on or around March 31, 2015.

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