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June 29, 2015

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Commissioner  
Department of Public Health  
410 Capitol Avenue  
Hartford, CT 06134

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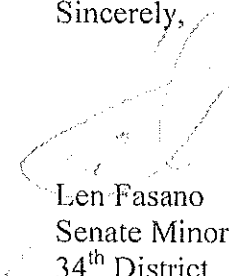
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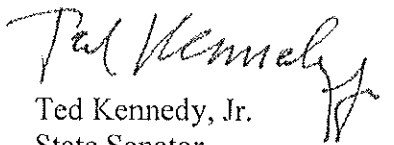
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Re: Certificate of Need  
Yale-New Haven Health System-to close two outpatient health clinics

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If you have any further concerns or questions, please feel free to contact Kimberly Martone, Director of Operations for OHCA at (860) 418-7029.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janet M. Brancifort".

Janet M. Brancifort, MPH, RRT  
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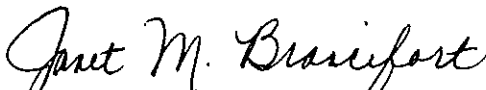
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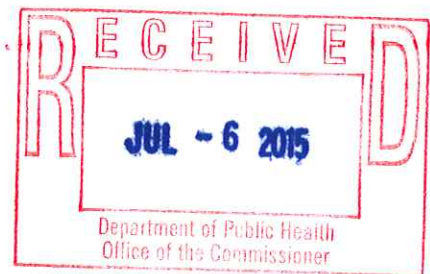
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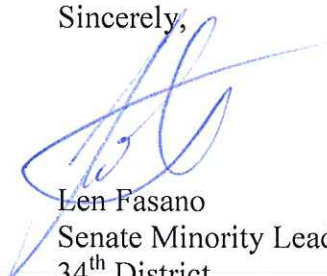
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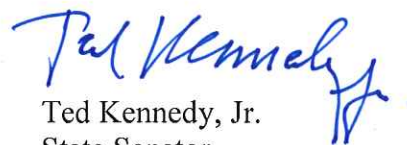
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July 2, 2015

Ms. Kimberly Martone  
Director of Operations  
Office of Healthcare Access  
410 Capitol Avenue  
MS #13HCA  
P.O. Box 340308  
Hartford, CT 06106

Re: YNHH CON Submission  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon

Dear Ms. Martone:

Please find enclosed one (1) original and four (4) copies of a Certificate of Need application for the termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's (YNHH) urgent care center on Foxon Road in East Haven. In addition, a CD is provided that includes a scanned copy of the CON in its entirety as well as MS Word and MS Excel files.

Please feel free to contact me at (203) 863-3908 with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Nancy Rosenthal".

Nancy Rosenthal  
Senior Vice President, Strategy & Regulatory Planning

Enclosures



## **Certificate of Need Application**

**Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Urgent Care At Foxon in East Haven, CT**

**July 6, 2015**

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**EXHIBIT I**



## Checklist and General Information

### Instructions:

1. Please check each box below, as appropriate; and
  2. The completed checklist *must* be submitted as the first page of the CON application.
- ☒ Attached is a paginated hard copy of the CON application including a completed affidavit, signed and notarized by the appropriate individuals.
  - ☒ (\*New\*). A completed supplemental application specific to the proposal type, available on OHCA's website under "[OHCA Forms](#)." A list of supplemental forms can be found on page 2.
  - ☒ Attached is the CON application filing fee in the form of a certified, cashier or business check made out to the "Treasurer State of Connecticut" in the amount of \$500.
  - ☒ Attached is evidence demonstrating that public notice has been published in a suitable newspaper that relates to the location of the proposal, 3 days in a row, at least 20 days prior to the submission of the CON application to OHCA. (*OHCA requests that the Applicant fax a courtesy copy to OHCA (860) 418-7053, at the time of the publication*)
  - ☒ Attached is a completed Financial Attachment
  - ☒ Submission includes one (1) original and four (4) hard copies with each set placed in 3-ring binders.
  - ☒ The following have been submitted on a CD
    1. A scanned copy of each submission in its entirety, including all attachments in Adobe (.pdf) format.
    2. An electronic copy of the applicant's responses in MS Word (the applications) and MS Excel (the financial attachment).

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### For OHCA Use Only:

Docket No.: 1532011-CON Check No.: 1340003411  
 OHCA Verified by: KR Date: 7-6-15

## General Information

<b>Main Site*</b>	MAIN SITE PFI	MEDICAID PROVIDER ID	TYPE OF FACILITY	MAIN SITE NAME
	N/A	004041836	Acute Care Hospital	Yale-New Haven Hospital
	STREET & NUMBER			
	20 York Street			
	TOWN			ZIP CODE
	New Haven			06510

\*For additional sites

<b>Project Site</b>	PROJECT SITE PFI	MEDICAID PROVIDER ID	TYPE OF FACILITY	PROJECT SITE NAME
	N/A	004041836	Hospital Outpatient Dept.	Yale New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon
	STREET & NUMBER			
	317 Foxon Road			
	TOWN			ZIP CODE
	East Haven			06512

<b>Operator</b>	OPERATING CERTIFICATE NUMBER		TYPE OF FACILITY	LEGAL ENTITY THAT WILL OPERATE OF THE FACILITY (or proposed operator)
	1851568828 (NPI)		Acute Care Hospital	Yale-New Haven Hospital
	STREET & NUMBER			
	20 York Street			
	TOWN			ZIP CODE
	New Haven			06510

<b>Chief Executive</b>	NAME		TITLE	
	Marna Borgstrom		CEO	
	STREET & NUMBER			
	20 York Street			
	TOWN		STATE	ZIP CODE
	New Haven		CT	06510
	TELEPHONE	FAX	E-MAIL ADDRESS	
	203-688-2608	N/A	marna.borgstrom@ynhh.org	

Title of Attachment:

Is the applicant an existing facility? If yes, attach a copy of the resolution of partners, corporate directors, or LLC managers, as the case may be, authorizing the project.	YES	<input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/>	Not applicable.
	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Does the Applicant have non-profit status? If yes, attach documentation.	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	See Attachment 1
Identify the Applicant's ownership type.	PC <input type="checkbox"/> LLC <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
Applicant's Fiscal Year (mm/dd)	Start <u>10/01</u>	End <u>09/30</u>

**Contact:** Identify a single person that will act as the contact between OHCA and the Applicant.

Contact Information	NAME		TITLE
	Nancy Rosenthal		SVP, Strategy and Regulatory Planning
	STREET & NUMBER		
	5 Perryridge Road		
	TOWN	STATE	ZIP CODE
	Greenwich	CT	06830
	TELEPHONE	FAX	E-MAIL ADDRESS
	203-863-3908	203-863-4736	nancy.rosenthal@ynhh.org
RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT	Employee		

Identify the person primarily responsible for preparation of the application (optional):

Prepared by	NAME		TITLE
	Mary Heffernan, Tannery Lane Partners, LLC		Principal
	STREET & NUMBER		
	19 Tannery Lane North		
	TOWN	STATE	ZIP CODE
	Weston	CT	06883
	TELEPHONE	FAX	E-MAIL ADDRESS
	203-858-5840	203-226-8178	mary.heffernan@tannerylaneconsulting.com
RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT	Consultant		

**EXHIBIT II**





Cashier's Check

No. 1340003411

Notice to Purchaser - In the event that this check is lost, misplaced or stolen, a sworn statement and 90-day waiting period will be required prior to replacement. This check should be negotiated within 90 days.

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To The Order Of TREASURER, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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 Bank of America, N.A.  
 SAN ANTONIO, TX

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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**EXHIBIT III**

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

## New Haven Register

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

County of New Haven

I Cleone P. Brandy of New Haven, Connecticut, being duly sworn, do depose and say that I am a Sales Representative of the New Haven Register, and that on the following date 6/6/15, 6/7/15 & 6/8/15 to wit.....

there was published in the regular daily edition of the said newspaper an advertisement,

PUBLIC NOTICE	
Pursuant to section 19a-638 of the Connecticut General Statutes, Yale-New Haven Hospital will submit the following Certificate of Need application:	
Applicant(s):	Yale-New Haven Hospital
Address:	317 Foxon Road
Town:	East Haven, CT 06513
Proposal:	Discontinuation of urgent care services at Foxon Road.
Estimated Total Project Cost/Expenditure:	\$0

[Signature]

And that the newspaper extracts hereto annexed were clipped from each of the

above-named issues of said newspaper.

Subscribed and sworn to this 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 2015 Before me.

[Signature]

My commission expires July 31, 2019

**EXHIBIT IV**



AffidavitApplicant: Yale-New Haven HospitalProject Title: Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon in East Haven, CTI, James Staten, CFO  
(Name) (Position – CEO or CFO)

of Yale-New Haven Hospital being duly sworn, depose and state that the said facility complies with the appropriate and applicable criteria as set forth in the Sections 19a-630, 19a-637, 19a-638, 19a-639, 19a-486 and/or 4-181 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Signature *James Staten* Date 6/25/15

Subscribed and sworn to before me on 6.25.15

*Rose Arminio*

Notary Public/Commissioner of Superior Court  
**ROSE ARMINIO**  
 NOTARY PUBLIC  
 State of Connecticut  
 My Commission Expires  
 February 28, 2018

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

## Executive Summary

The purpose of the Executive Summary is to give the reviewer a conceptual understanding of the proposal. In the space below, provide a succinct overview of your proposal (this may be done in bullet format). Summarize the key elements of the proposed project. Details should be provided in the appropriate sections of the application that follow.

Yale-New Haven Hospital ("YNHH") is requesting approval from the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") to terminate the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon in East Haven (the "Center").

YNHH has operated the Center since May of 2011. It offers urgent care services on a walk-in basis for non-life threatening conditions, primarily serving residents of New Haven, East Haven, North Branford and Branford. Northeast Medical Group ("NEMG"), the medical foundation affiliated with YNHH, provides the professional services at this site. Visits are primarily low-acuity (e.g., sinusitis, sore throat, and cough) which can be accommodated in other more cost-effective settings such as local walk-in clinics and primary care offices.

In 2012, YNHH acquired the Hospital of Saint Raphael, and, as reported to OHCA on a semiannual basis, has undertaken clinical and cultural integration, now focusing on ambulatory space and program optimization planning. Part of this planning process includes assessing outpatient program locations for potentially duplicative offerings in contiguous communities and identifying excess capacity that may lead to inefficiencies and increased cost. This is consistent with the State Health Plan issued by OHCA in 2014. YNHH is also examining each of its ambulatory care sites to ensure that clinical programs are appropriately located within the service area.

Within this context, the Center was identified as a site that performs below national benchmarks, in a market that is saturated with urgent care and walk-in clinics. Within Yale-New Haven Health System (YNHHS), NEMG offers walk-in services in North Haven and West Haven, 7.5 and 10 miles from the Center, respectively. NEMG also has several primary care offices within the service area that offer appointment-based visits for low-acuity patients. Outside of YNHHS, there are 12 urgent care sites, 2 orthopedic walk-in clinics, 1 privately operated walk-in clinic, and 3 CVS Minute Clinics, all within 10 miles or less of the Center. Nearly half of these sites became operational after the Center opened in May of 2011. All but 3 sites accept Medicare and Medicaid.

As demonstrated in this Certificate of Need application, closing the Center will not result in a reduction in access to services for patients in the service area due to the proliferation of similar providers, and will permit YNHH and NEMG to reallocate personnel to needed settings. Moreover, this proposal removes a duplicative service that charges facility fees, which is financially beneficial to patients, payers, and the state health care system.



*Pursuant to Section 19a-639 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Office of Health Care Access is required to consider specific criteria and principles when reviewing a Certificate of Need application. Text marked with a “§” indicates it is actual text from the statute and may be helpful when responding to prompts.*

## **Project Description**

1. Provide a detailed narrative describing the proposal. Explain how the Applicant(s) determined the necessity for the proposal and discuss the benefits for each Applicant separately (if multiple Applicants). Include all key elements, including the parties involved, what the proposal will entail, the equipment/service location(s), the geographic area the proposal will serve, the implementation timeline and why the proposal is needed in the community.

### **Response:**

**Yale-New Haven Hospital (“YNHH”) is proposing to terminate the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon in East Haven (the “Center”). A recent assessment has shown the abundance of duplicative urgent care services in the East Haven area, contributing to excess capacity in urgent care and walk-in services. East Haven and the immediate surrounding area are home to 12 urgent care centers, and several walk-in clinics. As a result, the Center has not met anticipated volume expectations.**

### **Overview of YNHH and Yale New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon**

**YNHH is a 1,541 bed (including bassinets) teaching hospital with two integrated campuses in New Haven and a pediatric campus in Bridgeport. YNHH includes the Smilow Cancer Hospital, the Yale-New Haven Children’s Hospital, the Yale-New Haven Psychiatric Hospital, and is the primary teaching hospital of the Yale School of Medicine. YNHH provides primary, secondary, tertiary and quaternary acute care services and is regularly ranked as one of the top hospitals in the country. Nationally recognized for its commitment to teaching and clinical research, YNHH is accredited by The Joint Commission.**

**YNHH is a corporate member of Yale-New Haven Health System (YNHHS), which also includes Bridgeport Hospital, Greenwich Hospital, and an affiliated medical foundation, Northeast Medical Group (NEMG). NEMG is a non-profit multi-specialty medical group (established under chapter 594b of the Connecticut General Statutes) that offers professional clinical services at various sites throughout the greater New Haven area, its surrounding towns, and the region. It offers enhanced collaboration among clinicians and practice management resources for local community-based physicians. YNHH and NEMG share the same corporate parent (Yale-New Haven Health Services Corporation) and are both members of YNHHS.**

**Since May 1, 2011, YNHH has operated an urgent care center at 317 Foxon Road in East Haven, pursuant to Docket Number: 09-31470-DTR. This Center offers urgent care services on a walk-in basis for non-life threatening conditions, primarily serving residents of New Haven, East Haven, North Branford and Branford. NEMG provides the professional services at this site.**



A large portion of the conditions treated at the Center are low-acuity (such as sore throat, cough, sinusitis, and upper respiratory tract infection). The table below shows the top 20 diagnoses associated with visits to the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon. This demonstrates the low acuity of these visits, which can be accommodated in a walk-in or primary care setting.

FY14	PRINCIPAL DIAGNOSIS	Visits (#)	Visits (%)	FY14	PRINCIPAL DIAGNOSIS	Visits (#)	Visits (%)
1	ACUTE PHARYNGITIS	631	6.74%	11	GENERALIZED PAIN (BEGIN 2006)	160	1.71%
2	ACUTE URINOS	441	4.71%	12	ACUTE BRONCHITIS	148	1.58%
3	COUGH	260	2.78%	13	VIRAL INFECTION NOS (BEGIN 1993)	144	1.54%
4	CELLULITIS NOS	252	2.69%	14	CHEST PAIN NOS	124	1.32%
5	PAIN IN LIMB	236	2.52%	15	CONJUNCTIVITIS NOS	115	1.23%
6	ABDOM PAIN NOS (BEGIN 1994)	191	2.04%	16	DERMATITIS NOS	114	1.22%
7	DYSURIA	185	1.98%	17	ACUTE SINUSITIS NOS	110	1.18%
8	CHRONIC SINUSITIS NOS	182	1.94%	18	JOINT PAIN-L/LEG	109	1.16%
9	BACKACHE NOS	179	1.91%	19	NONSPECIF SKIN ERUPT NEC	108	1.15%
10	OTITIS MEDIA NOS	164	1.75%	20	URIN TRACT INFECTION NOS	100	1.07%
TOTAL TOP 20 DIAGNOSIS						2721	29%
TOTAL OTHER DIAGNOSIS						6640	70.93%
GRAND TOTAL						9361	100.00%

Notably, NEMG offers walk-in services at its North Haven Walk-in Clinic, which is located 7 miles from the Center (6 Devine Street, North Haven), and at its West Haven Walk-in Clinic, which is 10.5 miles from the Center (500 Elm Street, West Haven). NEMG also offers similar low acuity services by appointment at community-based primary care offices in the immediate vicinity. YNHH provides emergent care and fast track services within its Emergency Departments on the York Street and Chapel Street Campuses in New Haven, and the Shoreline Medical Center in Guilford. All of the YNHH sites and NEMG physician offices accept commercial insurance, governmental insurance, such as Medicare and Medicaid, and self-pay patients.

#### Background on Discontinuation of Urgent Care Services

In September of 2012, YNHH acquired Saint Raphael Health System, Inc., pursuant to Docket Number 12-31747-CON as modified by Docket Number 12-31747-MDF. YNHH has been engaged in a three year integration plan and submits progress reports to OHCA every six months. As documented in the most recent update provided to OHCA on May 29, 2015, clinical and cultural integration are near completion and YNHH is now focusing on ambulatory space and program optimization planning. (Please see Attachment 2). Part of this planning process includes assessing outpatient program locations for potentially duplicative offerings in contiguous communities and identifying excess capacity that may lead to inefficiencies and increased cost. YNHH is also examining each of its ambulatory care sites to ensure that clinical programs are appropriately located within the service area.

A walk-in center typically offers treatment for common non-life threatening injuries and infections such as sprains, pink eye, and a sore throat. Some offer vaccinations and pregnancy tests. The emphasis is on convenience and they do not accept appointments. One may be treated by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner. An urgent care center is like a walk-in center with enhanced capabilities. Physicians generally staff urgent care centers and they typically treat more serious non-life threatening injuries and illnesses to take some burden off emergency rooms.



As demonstrated in the table below, the utilization and visit volume at the Center is markedly lower than national benchmarks. YNHH's review of ambulatory programs in the immediate area served by the Center suggests an over-abundance of like services (please see OHCA Table 9) offered by non-YNHHS urgent care and walk-in providers and similar offerings by NEMG.

In fact, there are 12 urgent care centers (including 3 affiliated with a Federally Qualified Health Center) not affiliated with YNHHS located within approximately 10 miles or less from the Center. In addition, NEMG operates two walk-in clinics nearby in North Haven and West Haven (7 miles and 10.5 miles away respectively). NEMG also has several physician offices in the immediate area with well over 35 primary care physicians. Among non-YNHHS sites, there are 2 single specialty orthopedic walk-in clinics, 1 private, general walk-in clinic, and 3 CVS Minute Clinics, all less than 10 miles of the Center. Fast-track and emergency services are also offered within the 3 Emergency Departments (Goose Lane and New Haven) operated by YNHH. All sites accept Medicare and only the single specialty orthopedic walk-in clinics and the Concentra Urgent Care do not accept Medicaid.

Five of the 12 urgent care centers identified in OHCA Table 9 opened after May 1, 2011, (the date Foxon Urgent Care Center opened for business), and 1 other urgent care center listed in OHCA Table 9 opened around the same time period. Further, 3 of the 6 walk-in centers in the area opened after May 1, 2011. Thus, nearly half of the urgent care and walk-in sites in OHCA Table 9 commenced operation after May 2011.

This demonstrates the duplication of services in the service area, and may explain the Center's performance, which is less than half of industry standards as noted below.

FOXON URGENT CARE	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15***
ACTUAL VISITS	6,968	8,284	9,361	10,042
ACTUAL VISITS PER DAY*	19.24	22.88	25.86	27.74
NATIONAL BENCHMARK**	42.35	49.37	56.51	60.46
VARIANCE (#)	-23.10	-26.48	-30.65	-32.72
ACTUAL / BENCHMARK (%)	45.43%	46.34%	45.76%	45.88%

\* The Center is open 362 days a year (closed on Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter).

\*\* Urgent Care Association of America, see Attachment 3. The benchmark shows the average number of visits per day within the first five years of operation of a typical urgent care center. Foxon Urgent Care Center opened in May of 2011, and FY12 was its first full year in operation. The benchmarks for a typical center in its 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> year are compared to FY12, 13, 14, and 15, respectively.

\*\*\* FY 15 6-months annualized.

Closing the Center will not result in a reduction in access to services for patients in the service area due to the proliferation of similar providers in the area, and will permit YNHH to reallocate personnel to needed settings. All personnel employed at the Center will be offered identical or similar positions within YNHH. The NEMG walk-in site in North Haven, which is 7 miles from the YNHH urgent care site in East Haven, has the capacity to accommodate nearly all visits. Moreover, as result of this termination, the days and hours of the NEMG Walk-In Centers in both North Haven and West Haven sites may also expand based on patient demand.

YNHH plans to discontinue urgent care services at the Center within 30 days of approval from the Office of Health Care Access. Patients will be notified via a letter explaining alternative sites of service both within the YNHHS ambulatory network (including walk-in clinics, emergency department locations and appointment-based primary care settings operated by NEMG), as well as other privately operated urgent

care and walk-in settings in the service area. All patients will be notified of the procedure for transferring or picking up medical records. If a patient stays within the YNHHS network, his or her records are available instantaneously via the EPIC electronic medical record.

2. Provide the history and timeline of the proposal (i.e., When did discussions begin internally or between Applicant(s)? What have the Applicant(s) accomplished so far?)...

**Response:**

As noted previously, YNHH acquired the Hospital of Saint Raphael in 2012, and since that time has undertaken an internal review of ambulatory services in the service area. YNHH submits semi-annual reports to OHCA detailing integration activities. As part of this review, YNHH has identified duplication of services within the service area as well as those sites that are not performing according to national industry standards. As noted in the response to Question 1, YNHH has determined that the total number of urgent care and walk-in centers has proliferated in the Center's service area and that it is unlikely that the Center will reach expected visit benchmarks. In addition, NEMG offers similar walk-in services in North Haven and West Haven, and also operates several primary care practices in the local community. Internal discussions revealed that less costly settings with capacity already existing within YNHHS, and that several competitors offer similar services in the vicinity.

3. Provide the following information:

- a. utilizing [OHCA Table 1](#), list all services to be added, terminated or modified, their physical location (street address, town and zip code), the population to be served and the existing/proposed days/hours of operation;

**Response:**

**Please refer to OHCA Table 1.**

- b. identify in [OHCA Table 2](#) the service area towns and the reason for their inclusion (e.g., provider availability, increased/decreased patient demand for service, market share);

**Response:**

**Please refer to OHCA Table 2.**

4. List the health care facility license(s) that will be needed to implement the proposal;

**Response:**

**Not applicable. No change to license required.**

5. Submit the following information as attachments to the application:

- a. a copy of all State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health license(s) currently held by the Applicant(s);

**Response:**

**Please refer to Attachment 4.**



- b. a list of all key professional, administrative, clinical and direct service personnel related to the proposal and attach a copy of their Curriculum Vitae;

**Response:**

**Please see below and refer to Attachment 5.**

- Chris O'Connor, Executive VP and Chief Operating Officer, YNHHS
  - Rick D'Aquila, Executive VP, YNHHS; President, YNHH
  - Amit Rastogi, M.D., Interim Chief Executive Office, NEMG
  - Deborah Borisjuk, Associate Director of Occupational Health and Urgent Care Services at Foxon Road, YNHHS
- c. copies of any scholarly articles, studies or reports that support the need to establish the proposed service, along with a brief explanation regarding the relevance of the selected articles;

**Response:**

**Not applicable. No new service is proposed.**

- d. letters of support for the proposal;

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**

- e. the protocols or the Standard of Practice Guidelines that will be utilized in relation to the proposal. Attach copies of relevant sections and briefly describe how the Applicant proposes to meet the protocols or guidelines.

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**

- f. copies of agreements (e.g., memorandum of understanding, transfer agreement, operating agreement) related to the proposal. If a final signed version is not available, provide a draft with an estimated date by which the final agreement will be available.

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**

## Public Need and Access to Care

§ "Whether the proposed project is consistent with any applicable policies and standards adopted in regulations by the Department of Public Health;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(1))

6. Describe how the proposed project is consistent with any applicable policies and standards in regulations adopted by the Connecticut Department of Public Health.

**Response:**

This proposal is consistent with the policies and standards adopted by the Connecticut Department of Public Health. It removes a duplicative service from the service area where many providers can accommodate care in a less costly setting.

§ "The relationship of the proposed project to the statewide health care facilities and services plan;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(2))

7. Describe how the proposed project aligns with the Connecticut Department of Public Health Statewide Health Care Facilities and Services Plan, available on [OHCA's website](#).

**Response:**

This proposal is aligned with the Connecticut Department of Public Health Statewide Health Care Facilities and Services Plan, 2014 Supplement ("Plan"). In Chapter 2, pages 45 and 46, the Plan discusses the proliferation of urgent care and questions potential disruptions to the continuity of primary care (Please refer to Question 1). Applicant has identified a significant number of visits to the Center that could be best accommodated in a walk-in center or primary care setting, due to the low acuity of these visits. Reducing excess urgent care capacity and redirecting patients to walk-in and primary care settings will be beneficial to the patients and the health care system.

§ "Whether there is a clear public need for the health care facility or services proposed by the applicant;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(3))

8. With respect to the proposal, provide evidence and documentation to support clear public need:

- a. identify the target patient population to be served;

**Response:**

Please refer to OHCA Tables 1 and 2.

- b. discuss how the target patient population is currently being served.

**Response:**

Please refer to OHCA Table 9, which lists the current providers of similar services located in the immediate region of the Foxon Urgent Care Center.

- c. document the need for the equipment and/or service in the community.

**Response:**

**The market area is saturated with like providers. Please refer to OHCA Table 9.**

- d. explain why the location of the facility or service was chosen.

**Response:**

**Not applicable, the proposal is to close the Center.**

- e. provide incidence, prevalence or other demographic data that demonstrates community need;

**Response:**

**Not applicable. Please refer to OHCA Table 9, which lists the current providers of similar services. The market area is saturated with like providers.**

- f. discuss how low income persons, racial and ethnic minorities, disabled persons and other underserved groups will benefit from this proposal;

**Response:**

**All YNHHS practices and facilities, including those affiliated with YNHHS and NEMG, accept all patients regardless of race, sex, ethnicity, disability and economic status. Please refer to OHCA Table 9, which lists current providers of similar services, the vast majority of which serve low income and underserved populations. The market area is saturated with like providers.**

- g. list any changes to the clinical services offered by the Applicant(s) and explain why the change was necessary;

**Response:**

**Not applicable. See response to Question 1, and OHCA Table 9.**

- h. explain how access to care will be affected.

**Response:**

**Access to care will not be affected. There are 12 urgent care centers (including 3 that are affiliated with a Federally Qualified Health Center) not affiliated with YNHHS within approximately 10 miles or less from the Center, and as noted previously NEMG operates walk-in clinics in North Haven and West Haven, 7 miles and 10.5 miles, respectively from the Center. NEMG also has several physician offices with well over 35 primary care physicians in the immediate vicinity. In addition, there are 2 single specialty orthopedic Walk-In Clinics, 1 private general Walk-In Clinic, and 3 CVS Minute Clinics in the area.**

**All sites in OHCA Table 9 accept Medicare and only the single specialty orthopedic Walk-In and Concentra Urgent Care do not accept Medicaid.**



- i. discuss any alternative proposals that were considered.

**Response:**

Given the saturation of the market, not meeting national benchmarks in the foreseeable future at the Center, and the availability and capacity at the nearby NEMG Walk-In Centers, YNHH decided to reduce the duplication of a non-core, low acuity site. This will not affect the accessibility of such services because both of the alternate NEMG walk-in centers, and other non-YNHHS urgent care and walk-in centers are located nearby as noted in OHCA Table 9.

*§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily demonstrated how the proposal will improve quality, accessibility and cost effectiveness of health care delivery in the region, including, but not limited to, (A) provision of or any change in the access to services for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons, and (B) the impact upon the cost effectiveness of providing access to services provided under the Medicaid program;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(5))*

- 9. Describe how the proposal will:

- a. improve the quality of health care in the region;

**Response:**

Quality of care will be improved in the region by providing the least intensive service in the most appropriate environment and reducing duplicative services. The low acuity of visits at the Center are better accommodated at the NEMG Walk-In Centers, located in North Haven and West Haven. NEMG also has several primary care practices in the area that accommodate low acuity patient visits.

- b. improve accessibility of health care in the region; and

**Response:**

YNHH and NEMG are committed to providing appropriate geographically deployed services to all patients, regardless of ability to pay. YNHH and NEMG have the ability to provide appropriate alternatives to patients currently utilizing the Center with the same level of accessibility in the area. Please refer to OHCA Table 9, which provides a list of all similar locations in the immediate vicinity. These are all located within approximately 10 miles of the Center, and all accept Medicare, and all but 3 sites accept Medicaid. All YNHHS sites accept Medicare and Medicaid.

- c. improve the cost effectiveness of health care delivery in the region.

**Response:**

The cost effectiveness of health care delivery in the region will be improved by ensuring that patients receive care in the least intensive, clinically appropriate environment. For example, for patients who convert to a primary care physician from the Center or seek care at a NEMG walk-in center in North Haven and West Haven, the health care system will experience savings by not incurring the facility fees currently imposed at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon.

10. How will this proposal help improve the coordination of patient care (explain in detail regardless of whether your answer is in the negative or affirmative)?

**Response:**

As previously discussed, a significant number of Center patients seek urgent care for issues that can be appropriately provided by a less intensive care delivery site. YNHH and NEMG are committed to providing accessible, appropriate and affordable care at walk-in settings and primary care offices throughout the service area. All patients will be provided information about alternate sites of service, many of which include local primary care physicians, who are the most clinically appropriate and cost effective provider to manage and coordinate care for low-acuity visits. NEMG may also extend the days and hours of operation at its walk-in clinics in North Haven and West Haven dependent on patient demand.

11. Describe how this proposal will impact access to care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons.

**Response:**

This proposal will not negatively impact care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons. As previously discussed, YNHH and NEMG provide commensurate services at any of its accessible locations for any Center patient in the region, regardless of ability to pay. This includes the NEMG North Haven and West Haven Walk-In Centers and a number of NEMG primary care physician practices. Both of these locations are accessible via bus routes. In the event that certain Center patients choose to seek care outside the YNHH ambulatory services network, there are 12 urgent care providers within approximately 10 miles of the Center (3 of which are affiliated with FQHCs), 1 proprietary walk-in center, 2 single specialty orthopedic Walk-In Centers, and 3 CVS Minute Clinics. All YNHHS and non-YNHHS sites accept Medicare, and all accept Medicaid except for the single specialty orthopedic centers and Concentra Urgent Care.

*§ "Whether an applicant, who has failed to provide or reduced access to services by Medicaid recipients or indigent persons, has demonstrated good cause for doing so, which shall not be demonstrated solely on the basis of differences in reimbursement rates between Medicaid and other health care payers;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(10))*

12. If the proposal fails to provide or reduces access to services by Medicaid recipients or indigent persons, provide explanation of good cause for doing so.

**Response:**

Not applicable. Applicant has demonstrated that adequate – perhaps over abundant – access exists in the Center's service area. See response to Question 11, and OHCA Table 9.



§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily demonstrated that any consolidation resulting from the proposal will not adversely affect health care costs or accessibility to care." (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(12))

13. Will the proposal adversely affect patient health care costs in any way? Quantify and provide the rationale for any changes in price structure that will result from this proposal, including, but not limited to, the addition of any imposed facility fees.

**Response:**

**This proposal will not adversely affect patient health care costs. In fact, patient care received in physician practice settings, NEMG Walk-In Centers, and existing non-YNHH providers in the Center's service area will result in a cost savings resulting from the elimination of facility fees charged at the Center.**

## Financial Information

§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily demonstrated how the proposal will impact the financial strength of the health care system in the state or that the proposal is financially feasible for the application," (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(4))

14. Describe the impact of this proposal on the financial strength of the state's health care system or demonstrate that the proposal is financially feasible for the applicant.

**Response:**

**As noted in response to Questions 9c and 13, the NEMG Walk-In Clinics and primary care practices in the area are not provider-based departments of YNHH, as is Center, and therefore do not charge facility fees. This proposal will eliminate a site that charges facility fees, which will result in cost savings to the state's health care system as patients transition to NEMG Walk-In Centers and primary care sites, or other non-YNHH Urgent Care or Walk-In sites.**

15. Provide a final version of all capital expenditure/costs for the proposal using [OHCA Table 3](#).

**Response:**

**Not applicable. No capital expenditures/costs will be realized.**

16. List all funding or financing sources for the proposal and the dollar amount of each. Provide applicable details such as interest rate; term; monthly payment; pledges and funds received to date; letter of interest or approval from a lending institution.

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**



17. Include as an attachment:

- a. audited financial statements for the most recently completed fiscal year. If audited financial statements do not exist, provide other financial documentation (e.g., unaudited balance sheet, statement of operations, tax return, or other set of books.). Connecticut hospitals required to submit annual audited financial statements may reference that filing, if current;

**Response:**

**The most recently audited financial statements are on file with OHCA.**

- b. a complete Financial Worksheet A (not-for-profit entity) or B (for-profit entity), available on OHCA's website under "[OHCA Forms](#)," providing a summary of revenue, expense, and volume statistics, "without the CON project," "incremental to the CON project," and "with the CON project." Note: the actual results reported in the Financial Worksheet must match the audited financial statement that was submitted or referenced.

**Response:**

**Please see Attachment 6.**

18. Complete [OHCA Table 4](#) utilizing the information reported in the attached Financial Worksheet.

**Response:**

**Please see OHCA Table 4.**

19. Explain all assumptions used in developing the financial projections reported in the Financial Worksheet.

**Response:**

**Please see Attachment 6.**

20. Explain any projected incremental losses from operations resulting from the implementation of the CON proposal.

**Response:**

**The projected losses from operations resulting from the implementation of the CON proposal are based on the loss of revenue at this site and the redeployment of staff and physicians elsewhere within YNHH. There will be savings associated with the expiration of the lease at this site. In addition, there may be an increase in revenue at the NEMG sites as patients transition to walk-in and primary care settings. This transition is expected to occur without a material increase in labor or non-labor expenses at alternate sites.**

21. Indicate the minimum number of units required to show an incremental gain from operations for each projected fiscal year.

**Response:**

**Not applicable. The proposal is for termination.**

## Utilization

§ "The applicant's past and proposed provision of health care services to relevant patient populations and payer mix, including, but not limited to, access to services by Medicaid recipients and indigent persons;"  
(Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(6))

21. Complete [OHCA Table 5](#) and [OHCA Table 6](#) for the past three fiscal years ("FY"), current fiscal year ("CFY") and first three projected FYs of the proposal, for each of the Applicant's existing and/or proposed services. Report the units by service, service type or service level.

**Response:**

**Please see OHCA Table 5 and OHCA Table 6.**

22. Provide a detailed explanation of all assumptions used in the derivation/ calculation of the projected service volume; explain any increases and/or decreases in volume reported in OHCA Tables 4 and 5.

**Response:**

**Projected volume declines to 0 due to closure of the Center.**

23. Provide the current and projected patient population mix (number and percentage of patients by payer) for the proposal using [OHCA Table 7](#) and provide all assumptions. Note: payer mix should be calculated from patient volumes, not patient revenues.

**Response:**

**Please see OHCA Table 7.**

§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily identified the population to be served by the proposed project and satisfactorily demonstrated that the identified population has a need for the proposed services;"  
(Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(7))

24. Describe the population (as identified in question 8(a)) by gender, age groups or persons with a specific condition or disorder and provide evidence (i.e., incidence, prevalence or other demographic data) that demonstrates a need for the proposed service or proposal. Please note: if population estimates or other demographic data are submitted, provide only publicly available and verifiable information (e.g., U.S. Census Bureau, Department of Public Health, CT State Data Center) and document the source.

**Response:**

**Please see response to Question 1. There are numerous other providers in the service area as seen in OHCA Table 9. In addition, the acuity of the visit volume at this site is low (see response to Question 1) such that local walk-in clinics, urgent care centers, and primary care practices may accommodate this patient population.**

25. Using [OHCA Table 8](#), provide a breakdown of utilization by town for the most recently completed FY. Utilization may be reported as number of persons, visits, scans or other unit appropriate for the information being reported.

**Response.**

**Please refer to OHCA Table 8.**

§ "The utilization of existing health care facilities and health care services in the service area of the applicant;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(8))

26. Using [OHCA Table 9](#), identify all existing providers in the service area and, as available, list the services provided, population served, facility ID, address, hours/days of operation and current utilization of the facility. Include providers in the towns served or proposed to be served by the Applicant, as well as providers in towns contiguous to the service area.

**Response.**

**Please refer to OHCA Table 9.**

27. Describe the effect of the proposal on these existing providers.

**Response:**

**This proposal will have no adverse impact on other existing providers.**

28. Describe the existing referral patterns in the area served by the proposal.

**Response:**

**Not applicable. Urgent care is a self-referral service.**

29. Explain how current referral patterns will be affected by the proposal.

**Response:**

**Not applicable. Urgent care is a self-referral service.**

§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily demonstrated that the proposed project shall not result in an unnecessary duplication of existing or approved health care services or facilities;" (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(9))

30. If applicable, explain why approval of the proposal will not result in an unnecessary duplication of services.

**Response:**

**Not applicable. No new service is proposed. See OHCA Table 9, which shows the existing significant duplication of services within the Center's service area.**



§ "Whether the applicant has satisfactorily demonstrated that the proposal will not negatively impact the diversity of health care providers and patient choice in the geographic region. . ." (Conn.Gen.Stat. § 19a-639(a)(11))

31. How will the proposal impact the diversity of health care providers and patient choice or reduce competition in the geographic region?

**Response:**

As discussed previously, the Center's service area has 12 additional providers of urgent care (including 3 affiliated with FQHCs), 3 walk-in centers (including 2 NEMG sites), 2 single specialty orthopedic walk-in centers, 3 CVS Minute Clinics, over 35 NEMG primary care physicians, 1 primary care FQHC and 3 emergency departments with fast track services (Please refer to OHCA Table 9). More than adequate access for patient choice and provider competition exist in the Center's service area.

**TABLES**

**TABLE 1  
APPLICANT'S SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS**

Service	Street Address, Town	Population Served	Days/Hours of Operation	New Service or Proposed Termination
Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon	317 Foxon Road East Haven, CT	Adults and children with sudden onset of acute illness or injury not requiring emergency care, regardless of ability to pay.	M – F: 8am – 7 pm Sa: 8am to 3:30 pm Su: 9 am to noon  Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter	Termination

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**TABLE 2  
SERVICE AREA TOWNS**

List the official name of town\* and provide the reason for inclusion.

Town*	Reason for Inclusion
New Haven East Haven North Branford Branford	80% of the Center's patients originate from these towns

\* Village or place names are not acceptable.

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**TABLE 3**  
**TOTAL PROPOSAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE**

Purchase/Lease	Cost
Equipment (Medical, Non-medical Imaging)	\$0
Land/Building Purchase*	\$0
Construction/Renovation**	\$0
Land/Building Purchase*	\$0
Other (specify)	\$0
<b>Total Capital Expenditure (TCE)</b>	<b>\$0</b>
Lease (Medical, Non-medical Imaging)***	\$0
<b>Total Capital Cost (TCO)</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Total Project Cost (TCE+TCO)</b>	<b>\$0</b>

\* If the proposal involves a land/building purchase, attach a real estate property appraisal including the amount; the useful life of the building; and a schedule of depreciation.

\*\* If the proposal involves construction/renovations, attach a description of the proposed building work, including the gross square feet; existing and proposed floor plans; commencement date for the construction/ renovation; completion date of the construction/renovation; and commencement of operations date.

\*\*\* If the proposal involves a capital or operating equipment lease and/or purchase, attach a vendor quote or invoice; schedule of depreciation; useful life of the equipment; and anticipated residual value at the end of the lease or loan term.

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**TABLE 4**  
**PROJECTED INCREMENTAL REVENUES AND EXPENSES**

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Revenue from Operations	(\$426,700)	(\$435,800)	(\$443,700)
Total Operating Expenses	(\$268,700)	(\$275,700)	(\$283,300)
<b>Gain/Loss from Operations</b>	<b>(\$158,000)</b>	<b>(\$160,200)</b>	<b>(\$160,400)</b>

\* Fill in years using those reported in the Financial Worksheet attached.

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**TABLE 5  
HISTORICAL UTILIZATION BY SERVICE**

Service	Actual Volume (Last 3 Completed FYs**)			CFY Volume*
	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015***
Urgent Care Visits at Foxon	6,968	8,248	9,361	5,021 (6 month actual)
<b>Total</b>	6,968	8,248	9,361	5,021

\*For periods greater than 6 months, report annualized volume, identifying the number of actual months covered and the method of annualizing. For periods less than 6 months, report actual volume and identify the period covered. \*\*Fiscal Year runs from October 1 to September 30.

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**TABLE 6  
PROJECTED UTILIZATION BY SERVICE**

Service	Projected Volume		
	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Urgent Care Visits at Foxon	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	0	0	0

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**TABLE 7**  
**APPLICANT'S CURRENT & PROJECTED PAYER MIX**

Payer	Most Recently Completed FY 2014		Projected					
			FY 2015**		FY 2016***		FY 2017***	
	VISITS	%	VISITS	%	VISITS	%	VISITS	%
Medicare*	1357	14.5%	1344	13.4%	0	0%	0	0%
Medicaid*	3458	36.9%	3690	39.4%	0	0%	0	0%
CHAMPUS & TriCare	32	0.3%	46	0.5%	0	0%	0	0%
<b>Total Government</b>	<b>4847</b>	<b>51.87%</b>	<b>5350</b>	<b>53.3%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
Commercial Insurers	4009	42.8%	4386	43.7%	0	0%	0	0%
Uninsured/Self-Pay	503	5.4%	292	2.9%	0	0%	0	0%
Workers Compensation	2	0.02%	14	0.1%	0	0%	0	0%
<b>Total Non-Government</b>	<b>4514</b>	<b>48.2%</b>	<b>4692</b>	<b>46.7%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Payer Mix</b>	<b>9361</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10042</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>

\*Includes Managed Care

\*\*Annualized flat based on first 6 months volumes.

\*\*\*Projection falls to 0 with closure of Foxon Urgent Care.

TABLE 8  
UTILIZATION BY TOWN

FY14	TOWN	Cases (#)	Cases (%)
1	New Haven	3777	40.35%
2	East Haven	2951	31.52%
3	North Branford	612	6.54%
4	Branford	406	4.34%
5	Hamden	276	2.95%
6	West Haven	257	2.75%
7	North Haven	247	2.64%
8	Guilford	123	1.31%
9	Wallingford	70	0.75%
10	Madison	51	0.54%
11	Milford	44	0.47%
12	Meriden	33	0.35%
13	Clinton	28	0.30%
14	Orange	22	0.24%
15	Bridgeport	18	0.19%
16	Cheshire	18	0.19%
17	Stratford	14	0.15%
18	OTHER	414	4.42%
	TOTAL	9361	100.00%

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**TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Alternate Sites of Service -- <b>Within Yale-New Haven Health System</b>		Service or Program Name	Population Served	Type of Service	Facility ID	Street Address and Town	Hours/Days of Operation	Current Utilization	Distance from Foxon Urgent Care
Count	Category								
1	WALK-IN	NEMG North Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in	1043278351	6 Devine St. North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	7 miles
2		NEMG West Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in	1043278351	500 Elm St. West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	10.5 miles
3	EMERGENCY	YNNH York Street Emergency Department	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care	1851566828	20 York Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~90,000 visits per year in the adult ED, and 34,000 visits per year in pediatric ED	6.4 miles
4		YNNH Saint Raphael Emergency Department	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care	1851566828	1450 Chapel Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~50,000 visits per year	7.4 miles
5		YNNH Shoreline Medical Center Emergency Department	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care	1851566828	111 Goose Lane Guilford, CT	24/7	~19,000 visits per year	10.3 miles

NEMG also operates several primary care practices in the area, with well over 35 primary care physicians within 10 miles of the Foxon Urgent Care Center.

See the next page for alternate sites of service outside of Yale-New Haven Health System.



**TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Alternate Sites of Service -- Outside of Yale-New Haven Health System		Count	Category	Service or Program Name	Population Served	Type of Service	Facility ID	Street Address and Town	Hours/Days of Operation	Current Utilization	Distance from Foxon Urgent Care
1	URGENT CARE			Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	428 Columbus Avenue New Haven, CT	M, Tues, Thur, (8:30am - 8pm) Wed, Fri, (8:30am - 5pm) Sat, (8:30am - 12pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
2				Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	226 Dixwell Avenue New Haven, CT	Mon, Wed, (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thurs, (8:30am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	5.8 miles
3				Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	911-913 State Street New Haven, CT	Mon, Thur, Fri, (8:30am - 4pm) Tues, Wed, (4pm - 7pm)	Proprietary.	4.5 miles
4				ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	79 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (11am - 7pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
5				ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	2165 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	8 miles
6				203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	163 Universal Drive North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (8am - 6pm)	Proprietary.	4.3 miles
7				203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	109 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (8am - 6pm)	Proprietary.	10.4 miles
8				203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	636 Campbell Avenue West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (10am - 4pm)	Proprietary.	8.7 miles
9				Stoney Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	6 Business Park Drive Branford, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 4:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.1 miles
10				Stoney Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	236 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 2:30pm)	Proprietary.	10.9 miles
11				Express Care Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	N/A	1700 Dixwell Ave Hamden, CT	7 days a week (8am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	7.2 miles
12				Concentra Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Urgent care.	N/A	370 James Street New Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4 miles
13	WALK-IN			OrthoNow Walk-in Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	N/A	2408 Whitney Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (3am - 8pm) Sat, (9am - 5pm) Sun (8am - Noon)	Proprietary.	9.6 miles
14				OrthoNow Walk-in Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	N/A	84 North Main Street Branford, CT	M-F (8:30am - 8pm) Sat, (9am - 5pm) Sun (1pm - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.6 miles
15				New Haven Walk-in Medical Center	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	N/A	77 Grande Avenue New Haven, CT	M-F (9am - 5pm) Sat, (9am - Noon)	Proprietary.	3.4 miles
16				CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	N/A	162 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat, (9am - 5:30pm) Sun, (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.9 miles
17				CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	N/A	2045 Dixwell Ave Hamden, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat, (9am - 5:30pm) Sun, (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.5 miles
18				CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	N/A	1057 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat, (9am - 5:30pm) Sun, (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.3 miles
19				Fair Haven Community Health Center*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Primary care.	N/A	374 Grand Avenue New Haven, CT	M, W (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thur, (8:30am - 7pm) Fri, (9:30am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.0 miles

\*Sites operated by Federally Qualified Health Centers.





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Supplemental CON Application Form  
**Termination of a Service**  
Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-638(a)(5),(7),(8),(15)

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Applicant: Yale-New Haven Hospital

Project Name: Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care At Foxon in East Haven, CT

## 1. Project Description: Service Termination

a. Please provide

- i. a description of the history of the services proposed for termination, including when they commenced ,

**Response:**

**Please see response to Question 1 in the Main CON Application Form. YNHH has provided urgent care services at Foxon Road in East Haven since May 1, 2011.**

- ii. whether CON authorization was received and,

**Response:**

**Pursuant to Docket Number 09-31470-DTR, CON authorization was not required to establish urgent care services at Foxon Road.**

- iii. if CON authorization was required, the docket number for that approval.

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**

- b. Explain in detail the Applicant's rationale for this termination of services, and the process undertaken by the Applicant in making the decision to terminate.

**Response:**

**Please see response to Question 1 in the Main CON Application Form. The termination of this service is a result of ongoing examination of duplicative services in the service area following acquisition of the Hospital of Saint Raphael in 2012. Integration activities are reported to OHCA on a semiannual basis, and YNHH is now focusing on ambulatory space and program optimization planning. This planning includes assessing outpatient program locations for potential duplicative program offerings in contiguous communities and excess capacity that may lead to inefficiencies and increased cost.**

**Further, this site is not operating up to national benchmarks and faces increasing competition from multiple urgent care providers in the immediate area (see OHCA Table 9). It is within this context that YNHH has decided to terminate urgent care services at this site. With so many other providers in the area to accommodate care, this termination is expected to have no impact on the accessibility of care, while enabling YNHH to redeploy staff resources where needed. The state health care system will benefit by enabling low cost care in the most appropriate setting.**

- c. Did the proposed termination require the vote of the Board of Directors of the Applicant? If so, provide copy of the minutes (excerpted for other unrelated material) for the meeting(s) the proposed termination was discussed and voted on.

**Response:**

**The termination did not require the vote of the Board of Directors.**

## 2. Termination's Impact on Patients and Provider Community

- a. For each provider to which the Applicant proposes transferring or referring clients, provide the below information for the last completed fiscal year and current fiscal year.

**Response:**

Please see the list of providers in OHCA Table 9. Prior to closing, the Center will send written notification to all persons who have received care at the Center in the last year with a list of alternate sites of care. As this is an urgent care location, patients self-refer and often do not have the same relationship with the center as a primary care physician (meaning treatment is episodic in nature). Nevertheless, YNHH will make efforts to notify former patients about the alternate locations.

- b. Provide evidence (e.g., written agreements or memorandum of understanding) that other providers in the area are willing and able to absorb the displaced patients.

**Response:**

NEMG, the medical foundation affiliated with YNHH, will be able to accommodate any patients seeking urgent care services at either of its 2 Walk-In Clinics located in North Haven and West Haven. Former patients at the Center will also receive a list of primary care sites operated by NEMG in the local area.

- c. Identify any special populations that utilize the service(s) and explain how these populations will maintain access to the service following termination at the specific location; also, specifically address how the termination of this service will affect access to care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons.

**Response:**

YNHH has not identified any special populations utilizing the Center and this proposal will not negatively impact access to care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons. As previously discussed in response to Questions 11 and 12 in the Main CON Application Form, YNHH and NEMG provide commensurate services at equally accessible locations for any Center patient, regardless of ability to pay. In the event certain Center patients choose to seek care outside the YNHH Ambulatory Services network, there are numerous other urgent care providers in the service area that accept Medicaid. See OHCA Table 9.

- d. Describe how clients will be notified about the termination and transfer to other providers.

**Response:**

Urgent care is a self-referral, episodic service, and patients may obtain services at the Center one year and not the next. Nevertheless, all patients who have received care at the Center within the last year will receive written information about alternate sites of services, many of which include local primary care physicians, who are the most clinically appropriate and cost effective provider in managing low-acuity visits.



- e. For DMHAS-funded programs only, attach a report that provides the following information for the last three full FYs and the current FY to-date:
- i. Average daily census;
  - ii. Number of clients on the last day of the month;
  - iii. Number of clients admitted during the month; and
  - iv. Number of clients discharged during the month.

**Response:**

**Not applicable.**

**Attachment 1**

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Employer Identification Number: 06-0646652  
Person to Contact: Mr. Ludlow  
Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-829-5500

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your Oct. 21, 2010, request for information regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that you were recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code in a determination letter issued in November 1966.

Our records also indicate that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section(s) 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Please refer to our website [www.irs.gov/eo](http://www.irs.gov/eo) for information regarding filing requirements. Specifically, section 6033(j) of the Code provides that failure to file an annual information return for three consecutive years results in revocation of tax-exempt status as of the filing due date of the third return for organizations required to file.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,



Rita A. Leete  
Accounts Management II

## Internal Revenue Service

District  
DirectorYale-New Haven Hospital Inc.  
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## Department of the Treasury

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JFK Federal Bldg., Boston, Mass. 02203

Person to Contact: Daniel T. Valenzano

Telephone Number: (617) 223-1442

Refer Reply to: EO:Processing Unit

Date: JUL 10 1979

Name of Organization: Same

Gentlemen:

This is in reply to your recent letter requesting a copy of an exemption letter for the above-named organization.

Due to our records retention program, a copy of the original letter is not available.

☒ However, records in this office show that a determination letter was issued in November 1966 ruling that the organization was exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section (now) 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

☐ However, records in this office show that the organization is exempt under Section (now) of the Internal Revenue Code as part of a group ruling issued to \_\_\_\_\_

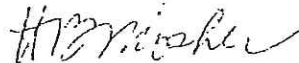
☒ Further, the organization is not a private foundation because it is an organization described under Section 170(b)(1)(a)(vi) and <sup>509(a)(1)</sup>

This ruling remains in effect as long as there are no changes in the character, purposes, or method of operation of the organization.

I trust the foregoing information will serve your purpose.

If you have any questions, you may contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,



District Director



**Attachment 2**



**Yale New-Haven Hospital's Acquisition  
of the Saint Raphael Healthcare System, Inc.  
Docket No: 12-31747-CON**

**Three Year Integration Plan  
Narrative**

**May 2015**

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Narrative**

**INTRODUCTION**

This narrative report has been prepared as part of the reporting requirements for Yale-New Haven Hospital (YNHH) in accordance with the Agreed Settlement for Docket Number: (DN) 12-31747-CON, subsequently modified as DN: 12-31757-MDF for the acquisition of the Saint Raphael Healthcare System, including the Hospital of Saint Raphael (HSR).

This report is structured into the following sections:

- A. PROGRESS AGAINST THREE-YEAR INTEGRATION PLAN
- B. SUMMARY OF BEDS & SERVICES BY CAMPUS
- C. COST SAVINGS AND REVENUE ENHANCEMENTS
- D. ONGOING REPORTING

**A. PROGRESS AGAINST THREE-YEAR INTEGRATION PLAN**

Consistent with the three-year integration plan submitted on March 31, 2013, the focus of the last fiscal year has been on developing one standard of care across all inpatient campuses and ambulatory operations. The clinical vision for its inpatient campuses for FY 2015 and a summary can be found below. Many of the activities described in this report were developed to support the successful implementation of the clinical vision.

**YNHH Clinical Vision - 2015**

York-Street Campus	Both Campuses	Saint Raphael Campus
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children's Hospital</li> <li>• High Risk OB</li> <li>• Major Trauma</li> <li>• Transplant</li> <li>• Cardiac Surgery</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Behavioral Health</li> <li>• Emergency Services</li> <li>• General Medicine</li> <li>• General Surgery</li> <li>• Heart &amp; Vascular</li> <li>• Neurosciences</li> <li>• Oncology</li> <li>• Urology</li> <li>• Women's</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Musculoskeletal</li> <li>• Low-Risk, High Amenities OB</li> <li>• Specialty Geriatrics Care</li> <li>• Specialty Programs                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GI Surgery</li> <li>• Neurovascular</li> <li>• Medical Heart Failure</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Attachment I contains the updated Integration Workplan for FY 2013 through FY 2015 in Gantt chart format which is organized into five major sections including: (1) Major Strategic Initiatives; (2) Service Lines; (3) Clinical Areas; (4) Non-Clinical Areas; and (5) Corporate Services. The Integration Workplan includes specific activities for each of these five areas and the actual or estimated time frame by fiscal year for completion. Progress to date since the last submission in November 2014 as well as remaining focus areas for the next six months is detailed in the narrative below.

### **Section 1. Major Strategic Initiatives:**

Major strategic initiatives pertain to activities with a broad impact throughout the organization. YNHH is focusing on ten key areas:

#### *1. Physician Integration*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, all hospital-based services have been integrated.

#### *2. Epic Implementation*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, Analytics (Epic reporting) was integrated across the medical center and health system. Epic optimization remains ongoing and will remain a key medical center priority in coming years.

#### *3. Patient Experience*

As was reported in the November 2014 submission, the focus in recent months has been establishing physician/nursing leadership teams (dyads) to lead unit/service operations. The teams have yielded significant improvements in unit ownership and improved employee engagement, safety and quality outcomes and operational efficiencies. Creating a healing environment remains a key medical center goal, which is being supported by the roll out of clustered care designed to minimize patients' sleep interruptions between 10pm and 6am. The Departments of Pharmacy, Radiology, Laboratory Medicine, Respiratory Therapy and Environmental Services have begun implementing work flow changes and revised testing protocols to achieve this goal.

#### *4. Regulatory / Safety and Quality*

Over 7,500 YNHH employees completed the 2015 safety culture survey; an 18% increase compared to the last survey in 2013. The results demonstrate the value of high reliability organization training our employees and medical staff members completed last year. We are now focusing on the steps to sustain high reliability organization safety behaviors, including continued training for current and new employees, leadership rounding, deployment of 400 volunteer unit safety coaches and implementation of an accountability program.

#### *5. Transforming Patient Care*

Transforming Patient Care refers to a review of nursing workflows and supporting systems/processes to remove unnecessary activities. As was discussed in the November 2014 submission, a comprehensive roll-out of best practices from the York Street Campus began in FY 2014 and will continue in FY 2015. Further improvement activities remain ongoing at the York Street Campus.



Preparedness activities for Nursing Magnet recertification remain underway and will be completed in calendar 2016.

6. *Safe Patient Flow*

Safe Patient Flow refers to throughput improvement activities and was instrumental in allowing YNHH to meet its patient care demand prior to the integration of the HSR. The Safe Patient Flow process was implemented at the Saint Raphael campus in FY 2014 and has already has resulted in significant improvements in inpatient throughput. Prior to implementation, the percentage of discharges by 11am was 15% and it is now at 25% (same level as York Street Campus). The diligent focus on Safe Patient Flow processes at both campuses remains ongoing and will help to ensure sufficient medical center inpatient capacity.

7. *Cultural Integration*

As stated in the November 2014 submission, employee and medical staff open forums as well as management meetings remain ongoing. A President's Council has been established to continue to obtain direct feedback from front-line staff on ongoing integration efforts.

8. *Bed Management/Capacity*

YNHH will be relocating its intensive rehabilitation unit from the Saint Raphael campus to Milford Hospital on July 1, 2015. The new unit at Milford Hospital is consistent with the musculoskeletal growth strategy outlined in previous OHCA submissions, and the vacated unit (Verdi 4 East) will be renovated to meet patient care needs.

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, planning to relocate gastrointestinal surgery (bariatric and hernia) as well as neurovascular services at the Saint Raphael campus are underway. Main 6 is being renovated and will serve as the primary unit for non-oncological gastrointestinal surgery. The Cardiothoracic Intensive Care Unit will serve as the primary location for neurovascular and will be supported by interventional laboratories. The gastrointestinal surgery unit is expected to be online by late fall 2015 and the neurovascular service will be online by late fall 2016. Bed allocation by service is outlined in Section B "Summary of Beds and Services by Campus" of this report.

9. *Infrastructure*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional care infrastructure changes have taken place.

10. *Care Management Across the Continuum*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, work remains ongoing to improve care coordination and handoffs across services.

## Section 2. Service Lines

Vision, facility investments and integration activities for major clinical service lines comprise the second section of the Integration Workplan. It is important to note that the information provided below predominantly addresses inpatient services as ambulatory activities are currently being reviewed as part of a comprehensive ambulatory strategic planning exercise, discussed in Section 3.

The following service lines are included:

### 1. *Children's*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, construction of a new Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and Obstetrical Services at the York Street Campus began May 2015 with upgrading of the infrastructure of the West Pavilion, required to support the new facilities. The new NICU will feature a dedicated operating room, neonatal MRI, pharmacy and single rooms for neonates and for "couplets" of maternity patients and their babies who require lower levels of intensive care. Reconstruction of four floors in West Pavilion will begin late Fall 2015 and be completed fall 2017.

### 2. *Heart and Vascular*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, a medical heart failure cohort was established at the Saint Raphael campus, in order to provide appropriate care for this growing segment of the population. Work remains underway to optimize interventional laboratories (cardiac catheterization and electrophysiology).

### 3. *Musculoskeletal*

In February 2015, we opened two state-of-the-art musculoskeletal operating rooms, housing the latest in infection control technology and designed with the input of key musculoskeletal surgeons. The transition of elective total joints to the Saint Raphael campus has been completed and the relocation of spine surgery to the Saint Raphael campus is underway and will be completed by Fall 2015. Mary O'Connor, M.D., former Chair of Orthopedics at the Mayo in Jacksonville, Florida joined the medical center in early May to serve as the inaugural Director of the Musculoskeletal Center. We are fortunate to have someone of her exceptional leadership stature join our senior leadership team and help us shape the future of musculoskeletal care delivery.

As was discussed in the bed management section, the intensive rehabilitation unit will be relocated from the Saint Raphael campus to Milford Hospital on July 1, 2015.

### 4. *Neurosciences*

As discussed in the bed management section, YNHH will be relocating its neurovascular service to the Saint Raphael campus in late 2016. The service will include inpatient beds and radiology services (including interventional radiology capabilities), and would have synergies with the advanced elderly inpatient services referenced earlier. Program planning is in the early stages and will be refined in coming months.



5. *Oncology*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional service configurations have taken place in Oncology. Evaluation of technology consolidation opportunities remains ongoing.

6. *Transplant*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional service configurations have taken place in Transplant.

### Section 3. Clinical Areas

Additional clinical integration beyond the service lines described in Section 2 are described and listed below:

1. *Diagnostic Radiology*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, the assessment of radiology equipment and master planning for radiology services remains ongoing as the clinical vision for the campuses evolves.

2. *Emergency Department*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, Yale New Haven Health System and North Shore Long Island Jewish launched a helicopter transportation collaboration named Sky Health, focused predominantly on the I-95 corridor. To date, over 65 patients have been transported to YNHH via Sky Health. Sponsor hospital training opportunities are being identified and will be implemented in 2015. After a comprehensive evaluation process, YNHH also consolidated ground patient transportation services to one preferred vendor (AMR) to improve transportation times and cost effectiveness.

3. *Laboratory/Pathology*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, work is underway to consolidate core laboratory and blood bank systems at YNHH, Greenwich Hospital and Bridgeport Hospital by August 2016.

4. *Medicine*

As it pertains to electronic ICU implementation referenced in the November 2014 submission, 26 rooms have been outfitted with the technology and a new control room will be completed by end of May 2015. Clinical workflows and shared goals have been established and training will begin in June. The service will be operational in August 2015.

5. *Nursing*

As was referenced in section 1, YNHH will be undergoing its Magnet re-designation in 2016 and preparedness activities remain ongoing. The system-wide nursing standardization effort remains underway across all delivery network hospitals.

6. *Pharmacy*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional changes have taken place in Pharmacy.

7. *Psychiatry*

In April 2015, YNHH relocated its psychiatric observation unit to a newly constructed space in the Fitkin building. The new unit includes an 18-bed video camera monitored patient care area that provides patient comfort, privacy, and security.

8. *Surgical Services*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, a physician leader to co-lead perioperative services was recruited. William Nealon, M.D., nationally recognized surgeon joined the medical center, from Vanderbilt Medical Center, in April 2015. Under his leadership, a number of operational enhancements will be implemented across all perioperative services sites focused on safety and quality, pre-admission testing and Epic reporting. Optimization of perioperative resources remains a focus area in FY 2015.

As was referenced earlier, a center of excellence for gastrointestinal surgery (bariatric and hernia) will be established at the Saint Raphael campus in late 2015. Main 6 will serve as the primary inpatient unit, and required operating room resources and ambulatory/clinical practice facilities will also be put in place to support program growth.

9. *Women's Services*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, the two Obstetrical Primary Care Centers located at the York Street and St. Raphael campuses which serve the local New Haven community were combined into a single site in January 2015.

10. *Ambulatory Services*

Ambulatory space optimization and programmatic recommendations are currently being developed and consolidation opportunities will be identified by summer 2015. Consolidation opportunity execution will span at least 24-36 month, based on lease terms and other program considerations.

Additionally, consistent with the November 2014 submission, YNHH will be opening a multidisciplinary physician specialty ambulatory center in Old Saybrook on June 1, 2015. The center will offer a broad array of clinical services including pediatric specialty services, a comprehensive Smilow Cancer Care Center, musculoskeletal services, urology and vascular services, among others. Supportive ancillary services will also be provided. Finally, planning for a New Haven ambulatory center is currently underway and will be completed later this summer.

#### **Section 4. Non-Clinical Support Services**

As it pertains to non-clinical support services, vendor consolidation opportunities were identified for Environmental Services, Food and Nutrition, Linen Services and Protective Services. Estimated savings can be found in Section C of this narrative.



## Section 5. Corporate Services

Corporate services include seven key areas and integration activities for each are described on the following page.

1. *Accounting and Finance*  
Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional changes have taken place in Accounting and Finance.
2. *Compliance*  
Annual compliance training via Healthstream for all employees remains ongoing.
3. *Human Resources*  
Over 95.7% of Yale-New Haven employees took part in the recent employee engagement survey, conducted in April 2015. Results are expected by end of May and will lead to the development of targeted improvement plans to address any deficiencies.
4. *Information Technology and Information Systems*  
While the immediate focus was on the implementation of Epic, focus has shifted to optimizing the Epic system (reporting, analytics, etc.) and additional areas/opportunities for standardization include streamlining of technology applications for clinical services.
5. *Legal and Planning*  
Integration work with MCIC (malpractice insurance captive) remains ongoing.
6. *Marketing, Communications, Image and Community Wellness*  
The development of new employee and manager communication strategies employing new media (e.g. social media) remains ongoing. The organization remains a strong advocate with State and Federal government agencies for continued access to high quality healthcare services for Connecticut residents.
7. *Supply Chain*  
Consistent with the November 2014 submission, no additional changes have taken place in Supply Chain. Supply chain savings achieved through vendor contracts will be discussed in Section C (5).

## B. SUMMARY OF SERVICES AND BEDS BY CAMPUS

As described in Section A above, integrating clinical services is still underway and specific campus locations and allocated beds continue to be adjusted. The two tables below summarize the current plan for the services and beds by location. This information is subject to change and any changes will be provided to OHCA in subsequent semi-annual reports.

**Planned Services by Campus for 2015 (as of May 2015)**

<b>Services</b>	<b>York Street Campus</b>	<b>Saint Raphael Campus</b>
<b><i>Service Lines</i></b>		
Children's	<b>X</b>	
Heart & Vascular	<b>X</b> (Tertiary/Quaternary)	<b>X</b> Medical Heart Failure
Musculoskeletal	<b>X</b> (Trauma / Pediatrics)	<b>X</b>
Neurosciences	<b>X</b> (Tertiary/Quaternary)	<b>X</b> Neurovascular
Oncology	<b>X</b> (Tertiary/Quaternary)	<b>X</b>
Transplant	<b>X</b>	
<b><i>Clinical Areas</i></b>		
Anesthesia	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
Diagnostic Radiology	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
Emergency Department	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
Laboratory/Pathology	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
Medicine	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b> Geriatrics
Psychiatry	Older Adolescents/Adult	Children's/ Younger Adolescents/Adult
Surgery	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b> GI Surgery (Bariatric)
Women's	Low & High Risk Maternity	Low Risk Maternity/ Midwifery Program

**FY 2015 (as of May 2015)**

<b>Beds:</b>	<b>York Street Campus</b>			<b>Saint Raphael Campus</b>		
	<b><i>General Care</i></b>	<b><i>ICU</i></b>	<b><i>Total</i></b>	<b><i>General Care</i></b>	<b><i>ICU</i></b>	<b><i>Total</i></b>
Adult Med/Surg	570	109	679	300	56	356
Rehabilitation				18		18
Maternity	56		56	19		19
Pediatric*	73	17	90			
Pediatric Psych Only	16		16	20		20
Adult Psych	73		73	25		25
Future Use				17	16	33
<b>Total Beds</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>471</b>
Bassinets	40	52	92	13	9	22

*Note: Included in the YNHH license is another 22 pediatric beds and 20 bassinets located at Bridgeport Hospital campus.*

### C. COST SAVINGS AND REVENUE ENHANCEMENTS

Actual cost savings achieved in the first six months of FY 2015 have been provided according to the categories outlined by OHCA and Report 175.

Projected Cost Savings	Actual FY 2015 YTD Mar	Projected FY 2015 YTD Mar
Salaries & Wages	\$19.8M	\$14.0M
Fringe Benefits	\$6.1M	\$3.9M
Contractual Labor Fees	\$0.6M	\$0.6M
Medical Supplies & Pharmaceuticals	\$4.8M	\$6.6M
Malpractice	\$0.3M	\$0M
Utilities	\$0.5M	\$0.7M
Business Expenses	\$6.7M	\$9.0M
Other Operating Expenses	\$0	\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$38.2M</b>	<b>\$34.7M</b>

#### 1. *Cost and Value Project*

Consistent with the November 2014 submission the Saint Raphael's Campus has been fully integrated into the Cost and Value Project. As YNHH continues its goal to reduce cost and improve care, a process has been initiated to redesign and refocus effort on this project. In the first six months of this fiscal year, the hospital developed a single internal consulting team focused on Salary, Non-Salary, Employee Benefits, and Clinical Redesign.

These efforts will allow us to continue to maintain the savings achieved at the Saint Raphael's Campus relative to salaries, and enhance non-salary initiatives through supply standardization, contracting, and professional service utilization. In addition, in March 2015, a new clinical redesign program began with strong clinical leadership to identify and eliminate clinical processes that result in waste throughout the hospital.

#### 2. *Salaries and Wages / Fringe Benefits*

In fiscal year 2015, YNHH has continued its efforts to maintain salary savings achieved through the first two years of integration, as well as identify new opportunities throughout both campuses. Consistent with the November 2014 submission, the hospital now has a standard staffing model for inpatient nursing units.

In addition to the inpatient nursing units, the hospital continues to explore and review improved staffing models in other areas such as outpatient settings, or areas that provide supportive services. In October 2014 a redesigned staffing model was implemented for the Emergency Departments on both campuses. Through aligning Registered Nurses (RN) and Advanced Practice Nurses (APN) shifts with peak volume times in the ED, the hospital was able to reduce staffing and achieve salary savings. Assessments of personnel utilization will continue and it is expected that additional synergies will be achieved through these efforts.



### 3. *Contractual Labor Fees*

Please note that discussion of Contractual Labor and Legal Fees is included under Business expense consistent with previous submissions. This change was made in order to be consistent with OHCA Report 175.

#### Professional Service Agreements (PSA)

As mentioned in section 1.1, the physician integration of the two campuses has been completed for all hospital-based services. The savings achieved through clinical alignment and standardization of physician PSAs continues, and remains consistent with the November 2014 submission.

#### Psychiatric MD Alignment

A group of community physicians have historically supplemented the inpatient and outpatient psychiatric service at the Saint Raphael's Campus. This relationship has been strong and positive and continues to be a critical part of the clinical service. As the physician enterprise is further aligned, the process of adding of the community physicians to the employed staff is underway. While this will not result in additional savings, it will aid in the continued effort to improve care and generate savings through the aligning clinical services on a single platform.

### 4. *Malpractice Expense*

As referenced in section 5.5, YNHH continues to work with the insurance captive MCIC and savings continue to be consistent with the November 2014 filing.

### 5. *Utilities*

Cost reduction activities for electricity rate, electricity utilization, and other utilities remain consistent with the November 2014 submission.

### 6. *Medical/Surgical (Med/Surg) Supplies and Pharmaceuticals*

Activities to continue to achieve non-salary savings through contracting efforts remain consistent with the November 2014 filing. Despite the large number of initiatives achieved through the integration to date, there are still a number of opportunities that YNHH continues to actively pursue, and utilize to generate savings.

#### System Contracting/Cost and Value Non-Labor Team

Consistent with the November 2014, filing efforts at the Saint Raphael's Campus have been fully integrated into the Non-Labor Teams within the Cost and Value Project, as well as the NPC (Northeast Purchasing Coalition).

#### Pharmaceuticals

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, YNHH successfully switched pharmaceutical distributors from Cardinal to McKesson. This project, which started in late fiscal year 2014, is now fully implemented and will provide a full year of savings in FY 2015.

At the start of FY 2015 the Saint Raphael's Campus was able to register with HRSA to become a 340b eligible site. This initiative represents a tremendous opportunity to further reduce cost for pharmaceutical supplies, and is one of the largest current initiatives to



improve non-salary savings due to the integration. In order to appropriately administer this program on both campuses and meet all regulatory and compliance requirements the hospital implemented a new system to track 340b eligible patients. This system took several months to implement, and 340b savings were not achieved until the month of March 2015. Additional savings related to the 340b program are anticipated to provide additional savings for the latter half of fiscal year 2015.

*Additional information for high impact initiatives for this category started in the first six months of FY 15.*

#### Lithotripsy

After evaluating proposed pricing from various vendors, YNHHS remained with United Medical Systems (UMS) whose pricing offered the greatest savings. This initiative standardized pricing across the Health System and resulted in savings related to the Saint Raphael's Campus.

#### Drug Eluting Stents and Bare Metal Stents

This was a Northeast Purchasing Coalition (NPC) initiative which resulted in a dual award to Medtronic and Abbott. The NPC moved from three to two vendors, eliminating Boston Scientific. This process not only helped align clinical practice across the system, but generate savings.

#### 7. *Business Expenses*

YNHH continues to achieve savings through the business expense initiatives generated through the first two years of the integration. As contracts expire and new consolidation efforts continue to be explored YNHH finds new ways to generate non-salary savings within this category. Consistent with the November filing, the hospital continues to focus on IT legacy system elimination, and consolidation utilizing the EPIC system integrated in Fiscal Year 2013. At the beginning of this fiscal year the contract associated with one of the largest portions of the legacy EMR provided by Quadramed came up for renewal. This contract ended up being eliminated and represents one of the top savings items of this year. Smaller legacy contracts continue to be pursued and are expected to improve savings efforts this year.

In addition to IT system related savings there have been some significant strides in service contracts that were made in the first six months of Fiscal Year 2015. YNHH was also able to include the Saint Raphael's Campus in the snow removal contract historically utilized by the York Street Campus. While the savings associated with the base component of this contract was small, the legacy Saint Raphael's contract contained a provision which required additional payments for each inch of snow. Through renegotiating this contract the hospital was able to avoid what would have been large payments due the severity of this past winter.

#### 8. *Other Consolidation and Integration Savings*

Activities associated with incorporating the Temple Recovery Care Center into the Grimes Center remains consistent with the November 2014 Submission.

Below is a description of recent activities in Joint Venture Partnerships that were part of the Saint Raphael's integration efforts.

Renal Research Institute Dialysis Joint Venture

As reviewed in the November FY 2014 submission, the Renal Research Institute (RRI) continues to display strong financial performance. This year's improvement in the operations of the Joint Venture is consistent with the financial strength displayed in fiscal year 2014. Additional efforts to develop and enhance this clinical program are underway, and it is expected that this partnership will provide further benefits.

9. *Depreciation, Bad Debt, and Interest Expense*

Consistent with the information provided to follow-up questions in DN 12-31747-MDF, due to the financing needed to acquire the Hospital of Saint Raphael, required infrastructure investments at the Saint Raphael Campus and the unified Bad Debt and Charity Care policy, Yale-New Haven Hospital continues to see no savings related to these categories.

**Revenue Enhancements**

Consistent with the November 2014 submission, YNHH continues to focus on the revenue enhancement capabilities of the Epic system. The improvements seen through standardization of the master patient index, shared accounts receivables, bedside procedures, recovery room documentation and centralization of services all continue to show enhanced revenue capture in fiscal year 2015. In the first six months of this year, YNHH implemented a new system called Craneware to supplement the revenue cycle features of the EPIC system. Craneware will help the Saint Raphael's Campus with proactive charge capture and will assist with development of revenue improvement strategies.

The Clinical Documentation and Management Program continues to see success through the integrated system wide committee outlines in the November 2014 submission. Starting in late FY 2015, the health system will move to further integrate this program. These efforts will further enhance the improvements made in previous years to create a standardized central platform for the improvement of documentation at the Saint Raphael's Campus.

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	Pre-2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
<b>Key Activities</b>				
<b>I. Major Strategic Initiatives</b>				
<b>3a. Physician &amp; Midlevel Integration</b>				
A1. Consolidate Hospital Based Services				
1. Anesthesiology				
2. Diagnostic Radiology				
3. Emergency Medicine				
4. Laboratory/Pathology				
A2. Integrated ACGME Residency and Fellowship Programs				
<b>3b. EPIC Implementation</b>				
A1. EPIC Go-Live at York Street Campus				Ongoing
A2. EPIC Go-Live at Chapel Street Campus				
A3. Optimize Epic System				
<b>3c. Patient Experience</b>				
A1. Implement Patient Experience Workplan and Supporting Infrastructure at SRC				
1. Patient and Family Advisor Program				
2. Reward and Recognition Structure				
3. Service Recovery Training/On-line Certificates				
A2. Implementation of the "Quiet Plan" Across Both Campuses				
1. Implement Leader Rounding				
2. Managers Train Staff				
A3. Launch Patient Experience Forum				Ongoing
A4. FY 2014 Patient Experience Strategic Plan				Ongoing
1. Emphasis on "Every Patient, Every Time"				Ongoing
2. Physician and Nursing leadership training and engagement				
3. Developing a healing environment				
<b>3d. Regulatory / Safety and Quality</b>				
A1. Preparation for Department of Public Health and Joint Commission surveys				Ongoing
1. Environmental of Care (EOC)				Ongoing
2. Life Safety				Ongoing
3. Provision of Care/Record of Care				Ongoing
4. Adherence to Licensure				Ongoing
5. Infection Prevention				Ongoing
A2. Consistent Regulatory Compliance and Practices				Ongoing
1. Audit of Policies and Procedures to Ensure Adherence				Ongoing
A3. Ongoing Regulatory Education and Improvements				Ongoing
1. Self-Review and Integrated Audits				Ongoing
2. Structure Implemented for Twice Monthly CMS/DPH Audits & Twice Yearly TJC Audits at SRC				Ongoing
A4. Clean and Safe Rounds				Ongoing
A5. Achieve HPI High Reliability Level 3 and Ongoing Sustainability				
<b>3e. Transforming Patient Care</b>				
A1. Implement Bedside Nursing Transformation at SRC to Ensure Consistent Staffing Models/Caregiver Hours Across Both Campuses				Ongoing
A2. Medication Barcoding Process Implemented				
A3. Implement Second Generation Bedside Nursing Transformation at the York Street Campus				Ongoing
A4. Implement Magnet readiness plan				
<b>3f. Safe Patient Flow</b>				
A1. Implement Common Safe Patient Flow Throughput Improvement				Ongoing
A2. Identify Process Changes				
<b>3g. Cultural Integration</b>				
A1. Formation of Catholic Heritage Committee				
A2. Common Value System Defined				
A3. Auxiliaries of Two Campuses Integrated in Operations				Ongoing
A4. Medical Staff Open Forums				Ongoing
A5. Employee Open Forums and Management Meetings				



	Pre-2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
<b>Key Activities</b>				
<b>1h. Bed Management/Capacity</b>				
A1. Common Bed Management System - Optimization of Beds Across Campuses				
A2. Open Verdi 4 North				Ongoing
A3. Develop Strategies to Optimize Inpatient Bed Utilization Across Both Campuses				
A4. Realignment of Medicine and Surgery Beds at the Saint Raphael Campus				
A5. Open Verdi 4 West (new specialty Geriatrics unit)				
A6. Repurpose Main 6 for GI Surgery				
A7. Renovate V 4 East				
A8. Renovate CTICU for Neurovascular				
<b>1i. 24/7 Infrastructure</b>				
A1. Common Administrator on Call and Off-Shift Executive Model Implemented				
A2. Off-shift Department Management				
<b>1j. Care Management to Integrate Services Across the Continuum</b>				
A1. Common Care Management Structure Implemented				
A2. Transitional Care Rounds in all York Street campus inpatient units				
A3. Transitional Care Rounds consistency across both campuses				
<b>2. Service Lines</b>				
<b>2a. Children</b>				
A1. Vision				Ongoing
1. YNHCH is a destination of choice for pediatric care.				
A2. Facilities & Capital				
1. Develop and Implement the Plan for NNICU Expansion and Fundraising				
A3. Integration Activities				
1. Integrate Pediatrics Services Across Both Campuses				
2. Align Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Across Campus				
3. Combine Hospitalist Programs at YNHCH Campuses				
<b>2b. Heart &amp; Vascular</b>				
A1. Vision				
1. Integrate Heart and Vascular Operations Across Both Campuses and Outpatient Centers				
A2. Facilities & Capital				
1. Renovate Catheterization Laboratories				
A3. Integration Activities				
1. Development of Aortic Institute				
2. Expansion of the Interventional Radiology Program at SRC				
3. Consolidate cardiac surgery to York Street campus				
4. Development of a Heart Failure unit at SRC				
<b>2c. Musculoskeletal</b>				
A1. Vision				
1. Musculoskeletal Service Line Established and Recognized as leading program				
A2. Facilities & Capital				Ongoing
1. Operational and Capital Plan in Place				
A3. Integration Activities				Ongoing
1. Business plan definition and implementation				
2. Recruitment of physician leader				
3. Transition of elective joints and spine volume from York Street to Saint Raphael campus				
4. Relocation of Intensive Rehabilitation Unit (IRU) to Milford Hospital (New)				
<b>2d. Neurosciences</b>				
A1. Vision				Ongoing
Leading Neurosciences program in CT				
A2. Facilities & Capital				Ongoing
1. Allocated appropriate number of beds to Neurosciences				
A3. Integration Activities				



	Pre-2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
<b>Key Activities</b>				
Telestroke at Saint Raphael Campus				
Relocation of Neurovascular Service to Saint Raphael Campus				
<b>2e. Oncology</b>				
A1. Vision				
1. Integrated Oncology Operations Across Both Campuses				
A3. Integration Activities				Ongoing
Chemotherapy and radiation therapy on both campuses				
<b>2f. Transplant</b>				
A1. Vision				Ongoing
1. Provide leading solid organ transplantation services in CT (ongoing)				
A3. Integration Activities				
2. Organ Donation Committee consolidation				
<b>3. Clinical Areas</b>				
<b>3a. Diagnostic Radiology</b>				
A1. Staffing/Coverage				
1. Enterprise-wide Scheduling (Consolidation of Scheduling/Registration Functions)				
A2. Facilities & Equipment				
1. CON for YNHH to acquire SRMRC Joint Venture				
2. Facilities Plan Completed				
A3. Integration Activities				Ongoing
1. Assessment of all radiology services and equipment and implementation				
2. Professional readings available 24/7 at SHC				
<b>3b. Emergency Department</b>				
A1. Staffing/Coverage				
1. Realign ED Structure to Create an Integrated Model				
A3. Facilities & Equipment				Ongoing
1. Review Emergency Transportation (Ambulance and Helicopter)				Ongoing
2. Standardized Equipment (As Replacements Are Needed)				
A3. Integration Activities				
1. Consolidation of Major Trauma at York Street				
2. Review Sponsor Hospital Program Offering, Infrastructure, Costs and Opportunities				
<b>3c. Laboratory and Pathology</b>				
A1. Integration Activities				
a. Evaluate consolidation of Laboratory Services System-Wide (Integrated Lab and Shared US)				
b. Install and Operate SOFT Laboratory IS system on Both Campuses				
<b>3d. Medicine</b>				
A1. Review Hospitalist Staffing Model and Admission Criteria to Hospitalist Service				
A2. Develop Business Case for eICU				Ongoing
A3. Evaluate and implement Geriatrics Center of Excellence at the Saint Raphael campus				
A4. Complete MICU eICU deployment				
<b>3e. Nursing</b>				
A1. Quality				Ongoing
1. Implement Magnet Remediation Plans				
A2. Integration Activities				Ongoing
1. Consistent Metrics and Standards and Creation of Unit/Service Line Dashboard				
2. Achieve Reduction in Caregiver Hours (see Transforming Patient Care)				
<b>3f. Pharmacy</b>				
A1. Staffing/Coverage				
1. Establish staffing with YNHH employees (eliminate Cardinal Health contract)				
A2. Facilities & Equipment				

	Pre-2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
<b>Key Activities</b>				
1. Purchase and standardize Pyxis machines				
<b>A9. Integration Activities</b>				
1. Pharmacy Strategy Executed with Single Unified Product Formulary Cross Campuses				
<b>Bh. Psychiatry</b>				
<b>A1. Staffing/Coverage</b>				
1. Develop a Standard Model of Care for Psychiatric Services at Both Campuses				
a. 12 Years Old and Under on Winchester One, YSC				
b. 13-15 Year Olds on Celantano S, SRC				
c. 16-17 Year Olds on LV2, YSC				
2. One Standard Model of Care with One Psych ED				
<b>A2. Quality &amp; Regulatory</b>				Ongoing
1. Participate in State Collaborative Regional Plan- Integrating Behavioral Health Service Payment and Delivery				
<b>A3. Integration Activities</b>				Ongoing
2. Conduct Crisis Intervention Unit Assessment & Develop/implement an Improvement Plan (w/ED)				
3. Develop Strategies to Reduce Long LOS for Psychiatry Patients				
<b>Bi. Surgical Services</b>				
<b>A1. Leadership</b>				
1. Conduct an Assessment of Operating Room and Clinical Support Services				
2. Recruit physician leader to co-lead operating rooms				
3. Implement nursing clusters/specialty teams across all practice sites				
<b>A2. Consistent Operations</b>				Ongoing
1. Integrate OR Operations Across Both Campuses, Temple and Shoreline				Ongoing
2. Optimize Utilization Across All Sites				
3. GI Procedure Integration (YSC, SRC, and Temple)				
4. Develop a GI Surgery Center of Excellence (Bariatric and Hernia) at the Saint Raphael Campus				
5. Establish Common Set of Metrics				
6. Implement operational recommendations from consulting engagement				
7. Develop OR master plan				
<b>3m. Women</b>				
<b>A1. Integration Activities</b>				
1. Integrate OB-GYN Services Across Both Campuses				
2. Expand OB Residency to Cover SRC				
3. Establish low risk delivery service at SR Campus utilizing midwifery program				
<b>3n. Ambulatory Services</b>				
<b>A1. Complete Ambulatory Strategic Plan</b>				
1. Develop Inventory of all ambulatory locations and services				
2. Develop and implement programmatic recommendations				
<b>A1. Planning for new multidisciplinary satellites</b>				
Old Saybrook opening				
New Haven satellite planning				
<b>4. Non-Clinical Areas</b>				
<b>A1. Consolidation of Vendors for Environmental Services, Food/Nutrition, Linen and Protective Services</b>				
<b>5. Corporate Services</b>				
<b>5a. Accounting &amp; Finance</b>				
A1. Integrated Capital Budgeting Process Covering Both Campuses				
A2. Integrated Operating Budgeting Process Covering Both Campuses				
A3. Consolidation of Cost Accounting and Decision Support Systems				
A4. Combined Account Receivables for EPIC A/E with One Reserve Model				
A5. Maintain Individual Accounts Receivable for Legacy SDK and Medpac Receivables				
A6. Replicate Financial Structure for Service Lines				
A7. Institute Flex Budgeting				
A8. Reduce Eliminate Fees Paid for Audit and Banking Operations at SRC				

	Pre-2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
<b>Key Activities</b>				
A9. Review All Membership and Fees for Both Campuses and Remove/Renegotiate Duplicates				
<b>5b. Compliance</b>			Ongoing	Ongoing
A1. Ensure All Staff Receive Compliance Education Annually (Ongoing Communications and In-services)			Ongoing	Ongoing
A2. Billing, Coding, and Documentation Audits of Both Hospital and Physician Activities				
A3. SRC Incorporated into YNHHS Conflict of Interest Process				
<b>5c. Human Resources</b>				
A1. Standardize Career Ladders				
A2. Standardize Performance Management System and Process				
A3. Standardize Rewards, Recognition, and Leveraging Performance Based Pay				Ongoing
A5. Employee Engagement Survey				Ongoing
A6. Develop and Implement Saint Raphael Campus Manager Education Programs				
<b>5d. Information Technology and Information Systems</b>				
A1. Consolidation of Approved Applications				
1. Reduce Application Portfolio for EPIC Implementation				
2. Application Consolidation for The Following Areas: Laboratory – Anatomic Pathology, Cardiology, Radiation Oncology & Neurosciences				
3. Application Consolidation for The Following Areas: Gastroenterology, Dietary Services, PDS & Sleep Center				
A2. Service Desk Standardized				
A3. Consolidation of Telecom Operator Services				
A4. Review Service Contracts for Systems Used Prior to EPIC Integration				
<b>5e. Legal &amp; Planning</b>			Ongoing	Ongoing
A1. Identify vendor consolidation opportunities				
A2. Continue Integration Work with malpractice captive				
<b>5f. Marketing, Communications, Image, and Community Wellness</b>			Ongoing	Ongoing
A1. Develop and Implement Community Revitalization Strategy			Ongoing	Ongoing
A2. Implement Communication Strategies for Managers and Employees				
A3. Consolidate Advocacy Groups				
<b>5g. Revenue Cycle</b>				
A1. Transfers and Combined Accounts Seamless via EPIC				
A2. Identical CDMs and Charge Levels				
A3. Integrated Master Patient Indexes				
A4. Identical Billing Systems and Vendors to Support Revenue Cycle Functions				
A5. Revenue Cycle Functions Centralized Organizationally and Physically, Where Possible				
A6. Consistent Forms Throughout Entire Revenue Cycle				
A7. Revenue Cycle Opportunities Complete				
1. Pricing Strategies				
2. Denials				
3. Charge Capture				
<b>5h. Reimbursement and Managed Care</b>				
A1. Melded/Consistent Rates for All Payers Across Both Campuses				
<b>5i. Supply Chain</b>				Ongoing
A1. Contract renegotiations				
A2. Inventory management				
A3. Service Response Center consolidation				



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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
LINE	DESCRIPTION	Oct-Mar 2014 ACTUAL	Oct-Mar 2015 ACTUAL
<b>I.</b>	<b>OPERATING EXPENSE BY CATEGORY</b>		
<b>A.</b>	<b>Salaries &amp; Wages:</b>		
1	Nursing Salaries	163,838,665	169,389,756
2	Physician Salaries	0	0
3	Non-Nursing, Non-Physician Salaries	236,516,515	236,009,960
	<b>Total Salaries &amp; Wages</b>	<b>400,355,180</b>	<b>405,399,716</b>
<b>B.</b>	<b>Fringe Benefits:</b>		
1	Nursing Fringe Benefits	69,720,682	67,194,595
2	Physician Fringe Benefits	0	0
3	Non-Nursing, Non-Physician Fringe Benefits	48,296,599	48,227,101
	<b>Total Fringe Benefits</b>	<b>118,017,281</b>	<b>115,421,696</b>
<b>C.</b>	<b>Contractual Labor Fees:</b>		
1	Nursing Fees	2,471,091	4,264,384
2	Physician Fees	38,722,596	46,057,910
3	Non-Nursing, Non-Physician Fees	18,265,189	22,312,793
	<b>Total Contractual Labor Fees</b>	<b>59,458,876</b>	<b>72,635,087</b>
<b>D.</b>	<b>Medical Supplies and Pharmaceutical Cost:</b>		
1	Medical Supplies	106,703,959	113,597,697
2	Pharmaceutical Costs	79,880,160	98,498,044
	<b>Total Medical Supplies and Pharmaceutical Cost</b>	<b>186,584,119</b>	<b>212,095,742</b>
<b>E.</b>	<b>Depreciation and Amortization:</b>		
1	Depreciation-Building	22,656,973	23,079,251
2	Depreciation-Equipment	35,963,915	37,655,620
3	Amortization	0	0
	<b>Total Depreciation and Amortization</b>	<b>58,620,888</b>	<b>60,734,871</b>
<b>F.</b>	<b>Bad Debts:</b>		
1	Bad Debts	0	0
<b>G.</b>	<b>Interest Expense:</b>		
1	Interest Expense	12,665,748	10,155,636
<b>H.</b>	<b>Malpractice Insurance Cost:</b>		
1	Malpractice Insurance Cost	714,855	8,196,077
<b>I.</b>	<b>Utilities:</b>		
1	Water	831,550	1,006,896
2	Natural Gas	1,046,700	1,054,333
3	Oil	0	0



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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
LINE	DESCRIPTION	Oct-Mar 2014 ACTUAL	Oct-Mar 2015 ACTUAL
4	Electricity	9,159,138	10,777,823
5	Telephone	2,202,016	1,886,236
6	Other Utilities	623,802	724,172
	<b>Total Utilities</b>	<b>13,863,206</b>	<b>15,449,460</b>
<b>J.</b>	<b>Business Expenses:</b>		
1	Accounting Fees	515,641	567,158
2	Legal Fees	1,706,089	1,638,001
3	Consulting Fees	37,762	184,657
4	Dues and Membership	1,068,160	739,887
5	Equipment Leases	3,574,656	3,447,061
6	Building Leases	9,135,869	10,568,414
7	Repairs and Maintenance	17,716,058	17,941,569
8	Insurance	1,526,132	1,259,282
9	Travel	775	2,775
10	Conferences	1,386,745	1,624,331
11	Property Tax	2,258,637	2,229,724
12	General Supplies	7,741,589	9,936,467
13	Licenses and Subscriptions	752,480	890,577
14	Postage and Shipping	769,827	371,301
15	Advertising	55,383	15,427
16	Corporate parent/system fees	14,003,376	14,579,324
17	Computer Software	0	0
18	Computer hardware & small equipment	2,566	3,418
19	Dietary / Food Services	1,461,061	1,798,175
20	Lab Fees / Red Cross charges	8,256,484	7,163,951
21	Billing & Collection / Bank Fees	458,771	542,115
22	Recruiting / Employee Education & Recognition	558,430	141,423
23	Laundry / Linen	2,847,033	3,100,118
24	Professional / Physician Fees	1,935,988	3,103,157
25	Waste disposal	691,808	913,345
26	Purchased Services - Medical	55,434,626	72,914,965
27	Purchased Services - Non Medical	139,846,673	133,980,557
28	Other Business Expenses	398,752	913,539
	<b>Total Business Expenses</b>	<b>274,141,371</b>	<b>290,570,716</b>
<b>K.</b>	<b>Other Operating Expense:</b>		
1	Miscellaneous Other Operating Expenses	0	0
	<b>Total Operating Expenses - All Expense Categories*</b>	<b>1,124,421,523</b>	<b>1,190,659,000</b>
*A.- K. The total operating expenses amount above must agree with the total operating expenses			
<b>II.</b>	<b>OPERATING EXPENSE BY DEPARTMENT</b>		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
LINE	DESCRIPTION	Oct-Mar 2014 ACTUAL	Oct-Mar 2015 ACTUAL
<b>A.</b>	<b>General Services:</b>		
1	General Administration	38,057,838	37,527,197
2	General Accounting	2,925,371	2,884,426
3	Patient Billing & Collection	14,471,010	21,206,901
4	Admitting / Registration Office	7,331,207	7,957,340
5	Data Processing	0	0
6	Communications	3,028,760	2,970,789
7	Personnel	2,162,985	2,065,879
8	Public Relations	559,083	604,259
9	Purchasing	1,891,384	2,699,389
10	Dietary and Cafeteria	15,159,492	15,294,246
11	Housekeeping	13,464,845	12,858,466
12	Laundry & Linen	101,526	172,319
13	Operation of Plant	15,508,765	19,201,802
14	Security	5,336,472	5,243,593
15	Repairs and Maintenance	12,901,731	13,429,183
16	Central Sterile Supply	5,181,552	6,567,786
17	Pharmacy Department	31,371,873	48,408,533
18	Other General Services	224,186,619	218,632,136
	<b>Total General Services</b>	<b>393,640,513</b>	<b>417,724,244</b>
<b>B.</b>	<b>Professional Services:</b>		
1	Medical Care Administration	23,085,950	25,499,409
2	Residency Program	34,974,593	44,524,160
3	Nursing Services Administration	8,853,941	8,083,604
4	Medical Records	3,452,675	3,908,516
5	Social Service	3,046,004	4,250,781
6	Other Professional Services	0	0
	<b>Total Professional Services</b>	<b>73,413,163</b>	<b>86,266,470</b>
<b>C.</b>	<b>Special Services:</b>		
1	Operating Room	72,450,721	81,655,113
2	Recovery Room	5,494,048	5,691,856
3	Anesthesiology	10,033,530	13,634,798
4	Delivery Room	6,210,445	6,055,232
5	Diagnostic Radiology	18,606,885	18,813,561
6	Diagnostic Ultrasound	3,411,259	2,005,444
7	Radiation Therapy	7,749,588	9,182,538
8	Radioisotopes	18,397,466	21,102,669
9	CT Scan	3,017,593	3,265,495
10	Laboratory	34,531,372	37,543,462
11	Blood Storing/Processing	11,173,712	10,138,368
12	Cardiology	0	0
13	Electrocardiology	10,784,930	10,401,416



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LINE	DESCRIPTION	Oct-Mar 2014 ACTUAL	Oct-Mar 2015 ACTUAL
14	Electroencephalography	3,285,639	2,168,297
15	Occupational Therapy	0	0
16	Speech Pathology	0	0
17	Audiology	0	0
18	Respiratory Therapy	7,820,515	8,339,846
19	Pulmonary Function	1,520,652	1,766,585
20	Intravenous Therapy	538,189	670,880
21	Shock Therapy	0	0
22	Psychiatry / Psychology Services	2,790,014	3,782,872
23	Renal Dialysis	1,957,467	1,961,618
24	Emergency Room	32,397,885	32,656,830
25	MRI	3,595,854	3,731,793
26	PET Scan	0	0
27	PET/CT Scan	0	0
28	Endoscopy	1,617,510	952,885
29	Sleep Center	0	0
30	Lithotripsy	0	0
31	Cardiac Catheterization/Rehabilitation	3,253,940	2,968,710
32	Occupational Therapy / Physical Therapy	4,427,768	5,086,485
33	Dental Clinic	2,014,448	2,415,593
34	Other Special Services	2,737,232	2,236,706
	<b>Total Special Services</b>	<b>269,816,662</b>	<b>288,229,052</b>
<b>D.</b>	<b><u>Routine Services:</u></b>		
1	Medical & Surgical Units	107,489,738	116,495,947
2	Intensive Care Unit	27,645,620	25,016,787
3	Coronary Care Unit	5,076,888	4,890,249
4	Psychiatric Unit	12,782,972	13,736,305
5	Pediatric Unit	7,775,799	7,939,875
6	Maternity Unit	4,448,808	4,040,181
7	Newborn Nursery Unit	2,307,986	2,095,995
8	Neonatal ICU	9,602,946	9,780,496
9	Rehabilitation Unit	0	0
10	Ambulatory Surgery	5,051,154	6,540,894
11	Home Care	0	0
12	Outpatient Clinics	100,740,305	119,015,544
13	Other Routine Services	0	0
	<b>Total Routine Services</b>	<b>282,922,216</b>	<b>309,552,273</b>
<b>E.</b>	<b><u>Other Departments:</u></b>		
1	Miscellaneous Other Departments	104,628,969	88,886,961
	<b>Total Operating Expenses - All Departments*</b>	<b>1,124,421,523</b>	<b>1,190,659,000</b>



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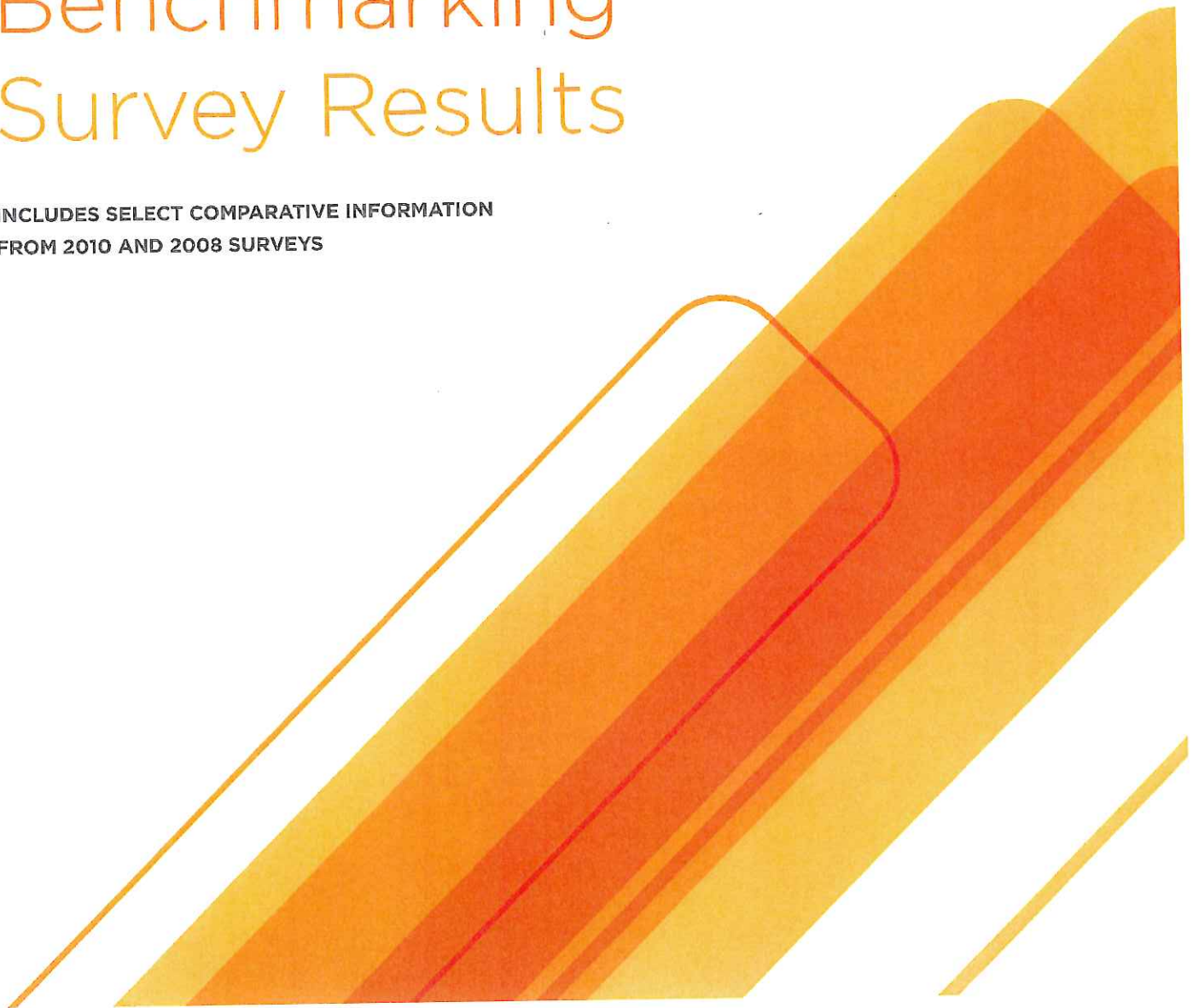
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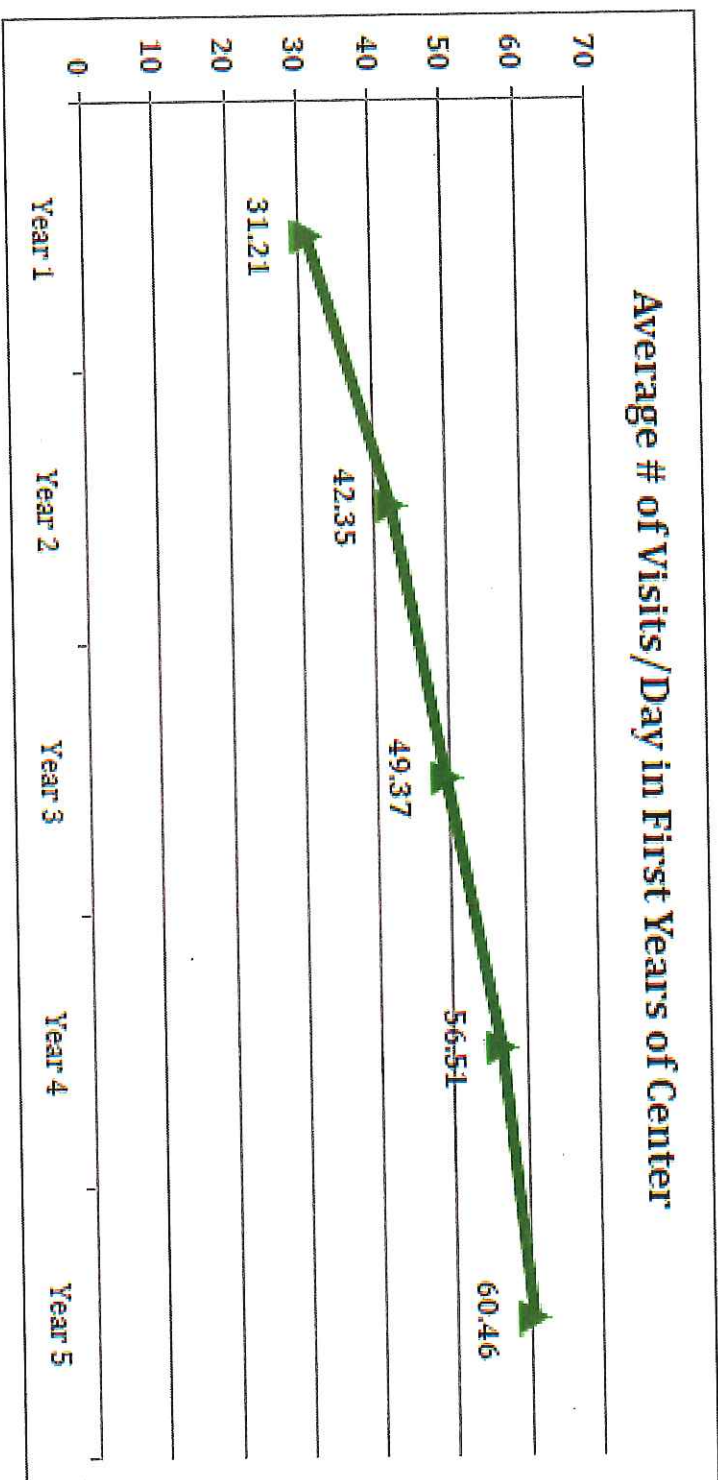
# 2012 Urgent Care Benchmarking Survey Results

INCLUDES SELECT COMPARATIVE INFORMATION  
FROM 2010 AND 2008 SURVEYS





SOURCE: URGENT CARE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA



**Attachment 4**

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## Department of Public Health

## LICENSE

License No. 0044

## General Hospital

In accordance with the provisions of the General Statutes of Connecticut Section 19a-493:

Yale-New Haven Hospital, Inc. of New Haven, CT d/b/a Yale-New Haven Hospital, Inc. is hereby licensed to maintain and operate a General Hospital.

Yale-New Haven Hospital, Inc. is located at 20 York Street, New Haven, CT 06510-3220.

The maximum number of beds shall not exceed at any time:

134 Bassinets

1407 General Hospital Beds

This license expires **September 30, 2015** and may be revoked for cause at any time.

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, October 1, 2013.

## SATELLITES

Hill Regional Career High School, 140 Legion Avenue, New Haven, CT  
 Branford High School Based Health Center, 185 East Main Street, Branford, CT  
 Walsh Middle School, 185 Damascus Road, Branford, CT  
 James Hillhouse High School Based Health Center, 480 Sherman Parkway, New Haven, CT  
 Weller Building, 425 George Street, New Haven, CT  
 Yale-New Haven Psychiatric Hospital, 184 Liberty Street, New Haven, CT  
 Yale-New Haven Shoreline Medical Center, 111 Goose Lane, Guilford, CT  
 Pediatric Dentistry Center, 1 Long Wharf Drive, New Haven, CT  
 YNHASC Temple Surgical Center, 60 Temple Street, New Haven, CT  
 YNHASC Women's Surgical Center, 40 Temple Street, New Haven, CT  
 Mauro-Sheridan School Based Health Center, 191 Fountain Street, New Haven, CT  
 Yale-New Haven Hospital Dental Center, 2560 Dixwell Avenue, Hamden, CT  
 Murphy School Based Health Center, 14 Brushy Plain Road, Branford, CT  
 YNHCH at Bridgeport, 267 Grant Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Bridgeport, CT  
 Pediatric Primary Care Center, 226 Mill Hill Avenue, Bridgeport, CT  
 Yale-New Haven Hospital-Saint Raphael Campus, 1450 Chapel Street, New Haven, CT  
 Adolescent Day Hospital, 646 George Street, New Haven, CT  
 Psychiatric Day Hospital, 1294 Chapel Street, New Haven, CT  
 Children's Psychiatric Day Hospital, 1450 Chapel Street, New Haven, CT  
 Elder Care Clinic, Arwater Clinic, 26 Atwater Street, New Haven, CT  
 Elder Care Clinic/Tower One, 18 Tower Lane, New Haven, CT  
 Elder Care Clinic/Casa Otonal, 135 Sylvan Avenue, New Haven, CT  
 Elder Care Clinic/Edith Johnson Tower, 114 Bristol Street, New Haven, CT  
 Adult Psychiatric PHP and Continuing Care, 1294 Chapel Street, New Haven, CT  
 Elder Care Clinic/Sunrise, 200 Oak Street, West Haven, CT  
 Troup Magnet Academy School-Based Health Center, 259 Edgewood Avenue, New Haven, CT  
 Adult FHP, 1100 Sherman Avenue, Hamden, CT  
 Project MotherCare at Wheat, 674 Washington Avenue, West Haven, CT  
 Barnard Environmental Studies Magnet School, 170 Derby Avenue, New Haven, CT  
 Project Eldercare, 2080 Whitney Avenue, Suite 150, Hamden, CT  
 Shoreline Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services, 21 Business Park Drive, Branford, CT

License Revised to Reflect:

\*Removed (1) Satellite effective 10/3/13



*Jewel Mullen MD*

Jewel Mullen, MD, MPH, MPA  
 Commissioner

**Attachment 5**



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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE****YALE NEW HAVEN HEALTH SYSTEM, NEW HAVEN, CT**

*Large academic health system with nearly \$3.4 billion in revenue, 2,130 beds and over 19,000 employees located in southern Connecticut*

**Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer (2012 – present)**

Responsible for system operations of this large, academic multihospital integrated delivery system including overseeing the 300+ physician medical foundation.

- Integrated the employee health, occupational medicine and corporate health components into a consolidated and aligned business unit with gains in efficiencies and revenue performance.
- Leading the system's cost and value positioning effort to improve our annual cost performance by more than \$125 million on an ongoing annual basis. Chair of the system implementation steering committee that coordinates the four committees driving this project.
- Coordinating the effort to improve the operations through a system approach in the laboratory, pharmacy, care management, medical staff credentialing – these areas are under system development to meet operational benchmark targets as well as business plan opportunities.
- Leading the "big data" effort across the health system to ensure the capability to manage data and produce information meets the changing needs across the health care spectrum.

**SAINT RAPHAEL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM, NEW HAVEN, CT**

*Large community teaching hospital (511 beds) affiliated with the Yale School of Medicine encompassing over \$500 million in revenue, long term care and other ancillary services*

**President and Chief Executive Officer (2009-2012)**

Reporting to the Board, oversaw all aspects of the health care system up to and including the asset sale of the system to Yale-New Haven Hospital in September of 2012.

- Led the team to negotiate and ultimately execute a letter of intent and Asset Purchase Agreement with Yale-New Haven Hospital. This process included a full second request investigation by the Federal Trade Commission as well as reviews by the Attorney General and the Office of Health Care Access regarding a Certificate of Need process.
- Implemented a broad strategy to investigate an opportunity to affiliate with a system that included national catholic systems, for-profit systems and systems within the state of Connecticut.
- Over the two year period managed to maintain operational focus and performance while managing through the purchase process while uncertain of the approval process.
- Improved profitability of the medical center by implementing widespread redesign and cost improvement targets.

**CARITAS ST. ELIZABETH'S MEDICAL CENTER, BOSTON, MA**

*Flagship tertiary teaching hospital of a six-hospital system affiliated with Tufts School of Medicine, located in eastern Massachusetts with 340 licensed beds and 2,500 employees and nearly \$400 million in net revenue.*

**President (2006 – 2009)****Chief Operating Officer (2006)**

Responsible for medical center operations including strategic plan, operational performance and community engagement for this urban tertiary teaching hospital.

- Exceeded budgeted performance, earning progressively larger bottom-lines of 1.1%, 1.5% and 2% during the three fiscal years under my leadership.

- Successfully recruited more than 40 new physicians, including key leadership as well as clinical staff to facilitate clinical activity turnaround.
- Improved patient satisfaction from the 70<sup>th</sup> percentile to the 90<sup>th</sup> percentile by linking service, quality and access to leadership performance.
- Through a team approach, worked to improve quality goals in many areas including surgical care infection, cardiac outcomes, infection control and ventilator associated pneumonia. Facilitated the implementation of a transparent patient safety program with non-punitive reporting as well as a thorough root cause analysis process to ensure process improvements.
- Recognized as a Thompson Performance Improvement hospital in both 2007 and 2008 in the large teaching category.
- Improved quality outcomes, including benchmark performance in the surgical care infection program to over 95% compliance, and achieved distinction from the Institute of Healthcare Improvement.
- Facilitated programmatic expansion into hyperbaric wound care, neurosciences and robotic surgery. Oversaw milestone construction projects including: a new emergency department, operating suite renovations, a neuroscience and spine center and a multi-disciplinary wound center.
- Led the implementation of Leadership Development initiative across the system in conjunction with the "Achieving Exceptional Care" program – A Studer Group collaborative for over 600 system-wide leaders that focused on improving leadership tools.

#### OCHSNER HEALTH SYSTEM, NEW ORLEANS, LA

*A non-profit, academic, multi-specialty healthcare delivery system dedicated to patient care, research and education. The system includes seven hospitals, more than 35 healthcare centers and 11,000 employees.*

#### **Vice President Clinical Operations (2003 – 2006)**

Responsible for specialty clinical services including cardiac, oncology, digestive diseases, musculoskeletal, transplant, surgical and perioperative services. Included within these service lines are both clinic operations and hospital services for areas including infusion therapy, radiation therapy, endoscopy, cardiac cath labs and EP labs, 23 OR suites, 6 OR ASC, and 2 plastic surgical OR suites.

- Hurricane Katrina - Led the organization through its response to this national disaster. Ochsner was one of three hospitals to remain functional throughout the storm and flooding. Facilitated the emergency preparedness and response to this regional catastrophe including countless leadership and staff meetings and briefings for the 2,500 staff, patients and dependants sheltered at Ochsner. Assisted in communicating current operational status with media outlets. Assisted in coordination of assets and security needs with state and local emergency operations centers. Maintained a structured decision making process in the face of failing utilities, flooding, civil unrest and numerous operational and human resource issues.
- Assisted in the acquisition process that resulted in the purchase of three Tenet hospitals in the greater New Orleans region. Finalized planning for new cancer center and heart and vascular institute. Facilitated the operational opening of main campus ASC in January 2004.
- Facilitated the focus on patient satisfaction, patient safety and quality, including implementing quality metrics as well as improving patient satisfaction within the operating room setting by 50% over a 12-month period.
- Upon arrival, addressed significant resource shortage within Anesthesia. Implemented recruitment and retention tactics to increase CRNA staff, recruited a new chair and increased staffed anesthesia locations 20% within a year of implementation.
- Improved endoscopy scheduling by both resource allocation and process improvement that increased procedures from 50 to 70 per day.

#### HOSPITAL OF SAINT RAPHAEL, NEW HAVEN, CT

*A 510 bed tertiary teaching hospital affiliated with the Yale School of Medicine in New Haven, Connecticut. St. Raphael's has more than 3,500 employees with a broad range of clinical programs with over \$600 million in net patient revenue.*

#### **Vice President, Clinical Operations (2001 – 2003)**

##### **Administrative Director, Departments of Surgery and Emergency Medicine (1999 – 2001)**

##### **Administrator, St. Raphael Physician Organization (1997 – 1999)**

Progressive responsibility focused on operational performance of major clinical departments including surgery, emergency medicine, radiology, pathology, gastroenterology, cardiac and oncology services. Responsible for more than 400 FTE's and \$200+ million in net patient service revenue.



- Following 9/11, established the first regional emergency response agreement in Connecticut in collaboration with Yale New Haven Hospital and other local healthcare providers.
- Improved OR efficiency by both adding supply (from 19 OR suites to 23) and increasing production by \$25 million in gross revenue. Improved cost per case by 5%, and increased OR utilization (saving approximately \$3 million in both med/surg supplies and implant costs).
- Implemented OR information system (ORSOS) following a difficult period for both scheduling and preference cards.
- Implemented a capitated defibrillator agreement with Medtronic that enabled savings of more than \$1.2 million in pacemaker and defibrillator implants in one year.
- Coordinated the integration of additional subspecialties within the practice, increasing gross professional revenue to \$1.5 million.

SINAI HOSPITAL OF BALTIMORE, BALTIMORE, MD (1995 – 1997)

*A large acute tertiary teaching hospital with nearly 500 beds and affiliated with the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. It is the flagship for Lifebridge Health an two-hospital integrated healthcare delivery system.*

**Coordinator, Emergency Medicine Operations (1996 – 1997)**

**Administrative Resident (1995 – 1996)**

Following post graduate residency, worked with then CEO Warren Green and the senior leadership team. Remained and managed this large emergency department, which at the time was seeing 65,000 patients annually with more than 20 physicians and PA FTE's.

**AFFILIATIONS / BOARD MEMBERSHIPS / RECOGNITIONS**

**CONNECTICUT HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, Board Member (2010-present)**

*Diversified Network Services, Board Member (2010-present)*

*Financial Oversight Committee, Member (2010-present)*

**VHA, NORTHEAST PURCHASING COALITION, Board Member (2012-present)**

**AMERICAN COLLEGE OF HEALTHCARE EXECUTIVES, Fellow**

*Member of Article of the Year Committee*

**AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, Founders Affiliate, Board Member (2008)**

*Chair of the Heart Walk Leadership Committee*

**SAINT RAPHAEL LEADERSHIP AWARD, ( September, 2012)**

**GOOD SCOUTING LEADERSHIP AWARD (October, 2012)**

**NEW HAVEN BUSINESS TIMES, Forty under 40 Award (September 2000)**

**EDUCATION**

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, Washington, DC - 1996

**Masters in Health Service Administration**

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, Washington, DC - 1993

**Bachelor of Arts, Economics**

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **BUSINESS ADDRESS:**

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New Haven, CT 06510  
Telephone: (203)-688-2606

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

June, 2014  
President

**President**  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
**Executive Vice President**  
Yale-New Haven Health System

February, 2012  
June, 2014

**President and Chief Operating Officer**  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
**Executive Vice President**  
Yale New Haven Health System

May, 2006 to  
February, 2012

**Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer**  
Yale-New Haven Hospital/Yale New Haven Health System

### Organizational Profile

Yale New Haven Health System (YNHHS) is a 1597-bed delivery network formed in 1995 which consists of Yale-New Haven, Bridgeport and Greenwich Hospitals. YNHHS has revenues in excess of \$2.3 billion in FY '11 based on 90,000 discharges and 1.3 million outpatient visits. Yale-New Haven Hospital is a 1,008-bed tertiary referral medical center that includes the 201-bed Yale New Haven Children's Hospital and the 76-bed Yale New Haven Psychiatric Hospital. Both Yale New Haven Health System and Yale-New Haven Hospital are formally affiliated with Yale University School of Medicine.

### Responsibilities

Overall responsibility for all aspects of day to day operations for Yale-New Haven Hospital (YNHH) and the



senior network leader at the Yale New Haven Health System representing the YNHH delivery network. Hospital leadership responsibilities include direct accountability for the senior leadership team, strategic planning, organizational performance, quality improvement, labor relations and human resources management, system integrations, external relations and service line development. Senior leadership and implementation responsibility for all aspects of the hospital's annual business (operating) plan. Senior level oversight of the hospital's facility plan including construction of a 112-bed, \$450 million Comprehensive Cancer Pavilion commencing construction in the fall of 2006.

August, 2000 to April, 2006

**Senior Vice President/Chief Operating Officer**  
New York Presbyterian Hospital/  
Weill Cornell Medical Center  
New York, New York

Organizational Profile

New York Presbyterian Hospital is a 2,369 bed Academic Medical Center created from the merger between the New York Hospital and the Presbyterian Hospital in the City of New York. The Weill Cornell Medical Center consists of an 880 bed acute care facility in Manhattan and the 239 bed Westchester Division campus in White Plains specializing in behavioral health.

Responsibilities

Overall responsibility for all aspects of day to day operations for the Weill Cornell Medical Center and the Westchester Division, a two campus Academic Medical Center of 1120 beds. Direct responsibility for a total operating expense budget in excess of \$450,000,000 and revenues of \$850,000,000. Senior leadership and implementation for all aspects of the Medical Center's operating plan including quaternary and tertiary service development, medical staff relations and recruitment, employee relations and labor strategy. System level member of the Corporate Management Team with involvement in strategic and facilities planning, service line development, information technology and performance improvement.

May 1992 to June 2000

**Executive Vice President/Chief Operating Officer**  
St. Vincent's Medical Center  
Bridgeport, Connecticut

**President**

Vincentures, Inc.

**President**

St. Vincent's Development Corporation, Inc.

Chief Operating Officer of 391 bed, university-affiliated acute care hospital and health system. President/CEO of affiliated subsidiaries with management responsibility at the Medical Center and corporate level. Medical Center responsibilities including day to day operations oversight for patient care services; support services and facilities planning and development. Corporate responsibilities including information systems, ambulatory network development, managed care contracting network oversight and real estate/satellite facility development.

January 1987-April 1992

**President/CEO**

Health Initiatives Corporation  
Providence, Rhode Island

Chief Executive Officer of a consulting practice specializing in strategic planning, business development and project implementation assistance for acute care and specialty hospitals, state planning agencies and private investors. Specific responsibilities included:

- Practice Leadership
- Engagement Planning and Management
- Project Supervision and Control
- Client Interface
- Practice Marketing and Business Development

June 1984-December 1986

**Vice President**

The Mount Sinai Hospital Corporation  
Hartford, Connecticut

June 1981-June 1984

**Vice President, Division of Planning and Community Services**

The Mount Sinai Hospital  
Hartford, Connecticut

June 1979-June 1981

**Assistant Executive Director**

The Mount Sinai Hospital  
Hartford, Connecticut

January 1979-May 1979

**Administrative Resident**

The Mount Sinai Hospital  
Hartford, Connecticut

**OTHER APPOINTMENTS:**

November 2000 To Present	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> Voluntary Hospitals of America/Metro New York New Rochelle, New York
January 1995- June 2000	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> Goodwill Industries Bridgeport, Connecticut
December 1993- June 2000	<b>Founding Board Member</b> Park City Primary Care Center Bridgeport, Connecticut
May, 1992- June 2000	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> St. Vincent's Development Corporation Vincentures, Inc. Omicron, Inc. Connecticut Health Enterprises Bridgeport, Connecticut
January 1992- December 1994	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> Visiting Nurses Association of Fairfield County Bridgeport, Connecticut
January 1989- December 1991	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> Easter Seal Society/Meeting Street Rehabilitation Center, Inc. of Rhode Island Providence, Rhode Island
January 1980- December 1989	<b>Member, Board of Directors</b> Combined Hospitals Alcohol Program Hartford, Connecticut
September 1985- December 1986	<b>President, Board of Directors</b> Regional Alcohol and Drug Abuse Resources, Inc. Hartford, Connecticut
September 1981- December 1986	<b>Adjunct Faculty/Lecturer</b> University of Hartford, Barney School of Business and Public Administration West Hartford, Connecticut
January 2001 - Present	<b>Adjunct Faculty/Residency Preceptor and Lecturer</b> Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service New York University New York, N.Y.
December 2000 - Present	<b>Adjunct Faculty/Lecturer</b> Weill Medical College of Cornell University Department of Public Health, New York New York, N.Y.



January, 2009 to Present

**Member, Board of Directors**  
Habitat of Greater New Haven  
New Haven, Connecticut

February, 2012 to Present

**Member, Board of Trustees**  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
New Haven, Connecticut

September 2012-  
May 2013

**Preceptor**  
Fairfield University School of Nursing

#### **EDUCATION:**

**Yale University School of Medicine**  
Graduate Program in Hospital Administration  
Academic Distinctions: Research Excellence Award (1979)  
1979 Graduate

**Central Connecticut State University**  
Bachelor of Arts: Economics/Business  
Academic Distinctions: Omicron Delta Epsilon  
Economics Honor Society  
1977 Graduate

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

1. *Evidence-Based Management in Healthcare*, Kovner, Anthony R., Fine, David J., and D'Aquila, Richard. Health Administration Press Textbook, 2009.
2. *Yale-New Haven Hospital's Asset Acquisition of the Hospital of St. Raphael: Pre-Close, Planning and Transition Activities*, D'Aquila, Richard; Aseltyne, William; Lopman, Abe; Jweinat, Jillian; Ciacco, Teresa; Comerford, Matthew; American Journal of Medicine, August 2013 (Accepted).
3. *Achieving Safe Patient Flow in an Academic Medical Center: A Quality Improvement Journey at Yale-New Haven Hospital*; The Joint Commission Journal on Quality and Patient Safety (Accepted).

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**

Fellow, American College of Health Care Executives  
Yale Hospital Administration Alumni Association  
Connecticut Hospital Association

## Amit Rastogi, MD

### Curriculum Vitae

#### Administrative Office:

Northeast Medical Group  
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Stratford, CT 06610  
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#### Private Practice (Internal Medicine):

PriMed, LLC  
112 Quarry Road, Suite 220  
Trumbull, CT 06617 07/1998-06/2014

#### Research Consultant:

Clinical Research Consultants, Inc.  
Trumbull, CT 06611 1998-2002

#### Executive Appointments:

##### Northeast Medical Group (Yale New Haven Health System)

- Interim Chief Executive Officer 03/2015-present
- Chief Executive Officer Accountable Care Organization 01/2015-present
- Chief Medical Officer 06/2014-present
- Chief Operating Officer 06/2014-present
- Vice-President 06/2014-present

##### PriMed, LLC

- President and Chief Executive Officer 03/2009-03/2015
- Board of Directors (Chairman) 03/2009-03/2015
- ACO: Chief Executive Officer 07/2012-03/2015
- Executive Committee (Secretary/Treasurer) 03/2007-04/2009
- PriMed Finance Committee (Chairperson) 03/2007-04/2009
- PriMed Osteoporosis Center (Medical Director) 01/2006-04/2009
- PriMed Management Committee 01/2002-03/2015

##### St. Vincent's Medical Center

- Chief of Medical Staff 07/2013-02/2014
- Hospital Board of Directors 07/2013-02/2014
- Chairman, Medical Executive Committee 07/2013-02/2014
- Medical Staff, Vice President 07/2010-06/2013
- Medical Executive Committee 07/2007-02/2014
- Chairman, Peer Review Committee 07/2010-06/2013
- Performance Improvement Committee 07/2010-06/2013
- By-laws Committee 07/2010-06/2012
- EMR Committee 07/2009-06/2010
- Information Technology Physicians Advisory Group 07/2009-06/2010
- Medical Staff, Secretary/Treasurer 07/2008-05/2010
- Graduate Medical Education Committee 1998-2002

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Fairfield County Medical Association

- Board of Directors 05/2013-present

NorthBridge Health Care

- Medical Director 07/2006-11/30/2007

**Academic Appointments:**

- UCONN School of Medicine, Farmington, Connecticut  
Clinical Instructor of Medicine 09/2006- 2011
- College of Physicians and Surgeons; Columbia University, Presbyterian Hospital, New York, NY  
Clinical Instructor of Medicine 2004 - 2006

**Post Graduate Training**

St. Vincent's Medical Center-Yale School of Medicine  
 Bridgeport, CT  
 Internal Medicine, 1996-1998

Brigham and Women's Hospital-Harvard Medical School  
 Boston, MA  
 Anesthesiology, 1995-1996

St. Vincent's Medical Center-Yale School of Medicine  
 Bridgeport, CT  
 Internal Medicine, 1994-1995

**Education:**

- Harvard University  
Boston, MA  
Master in Healthcare Management  
Degree candidate, 2016
- UMDNJ-New Jersey Medical School  
Newark, NJ  
Medical Degree, 1990-1994
- Fairleigh Dickinson University  
Teaneck, NJ  
BS (Biology), Summa Cum Laude, 1986-1989

**Professional Memberships:**

- Fairfield County Medical Association 1998-present
- American Medical Association 1991-2001
- American College of Physicians 1996-2015
- American Society of Anesthesiology 1995-1996
- Massachusetts Medical Society 1995-1996
- American Medical Student Association 1990-1994



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"Value Based Healthcare – The Innovator's Dilemma" National Webinar	April 2014
"Accountable Care Organizations – Their role in post-acute care" National Senior Living Business Webinar	January 2014
"Value Based Healthcare – The Innovator's Dilemma" National Healthcare Leadership Conference Orlando, Florida	October 2013
"The Role of Medical Groups in the era of Healthcare Reform" National Healthcare Technology Conference Las Vegas, Nevada	May 15, 2013
"The Roadmap for Successfully Developing a Physician Led ACO: The Journey from Volume to Value based healthcare" American College of Physician Executives Annual Meeting New York, NY	April 27, 2013
"What is an Accountable Care Organization" Northeast Sleep Society Annual Meeting Trumbull, CT	April 5, 2013
"ACO's: Bringing Accountability to the Bedside" Connecticut State Medical Society New Haven, CT	October 23, 2012
"The Roadmap for Successfully Developing a Physician-led Accountable Care Organization: The Journey From Volume to Value-based Healthcare" 2012 National HealthCare Leadership Conference St. Thomas, Virgin Islands	October 11, 2012
"The Impact of the ACO's on Disease Management" Vitaphone International Shelton, CT	May 7, 2012
"Creating a Culture of Success Within a Physician Led ACO" National MGMA Annual Conference Las Vegas Convention Center Las Vegas, Nevada	October 23, 2011
"Physician Led Organizations at the Forefront of Healthcare Reform" National Healthcare Leaders Conference Palm Springs, CA	September 21, 2011

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"The Advantages of a Physician Owned, Physician Governed Multispecialty Group" Norwalk, CT	July 20, 2011
"Why ACOs Should Be Physician Led" Nationally Syndicated Webinar	June 01, 2011
"Metric based Medical Peer Review" St. Vincent's Medical Center Bridgeport, CT	June 2011
"Accountable Care Organizations" Fairfield County Medical Association Annual Meeting Stamford, CT	April 28, 2011
"Medical Staff Leadership: Shaping the Future of Healthcare" St. Vincent's Medical Center Bridgeport, CT	April 2011
"Healthcare Reform and Its Impact on Medical Practice" Hudson County Medical Association Jersey City, NJ	March 16, 2011
"Medical Peer Review: Bringing Accountability to the Process" St. Vincent's Medical Center Bridgeport, CT	November 2010
"Medical Staff Leadership: A Real Life Perspective" St. Vincent's Medical Center Annual Retreat Mystic, CT	January 2009
"Healthcare Reform: A Primer" PriMed Annual Conference Trumbull, CT	October 2009

**Research Experience:**

- Department of Internal Medicine, St. Vincent's Medical Center, Bridgeport, CT  
Once Daily vs. Multiple Daily Aminoglycoside Dosing  
Principal Investigator: Amit Rastogi, MD (1997-1998)
- Department of Internal Medicine, New Jersey Medical School  
Amlodipine Study of the Angina Population  
Principal Investigator: Bunyad Haider, MD (1993)

- Department of Internal Medicine, New Jersey Medical School  
Trials of Hypertension Prevention (Phase II)  
Principal Investigator: Norman Lasser, MD, Ph.D. (1991)

**Sub-investigator for the following protocols at Clinical Research Consultants:**

- New Compound to Inhibit Cartilage Degradation in Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Knee (II) (1998-1999)
- OTC Switch Study to Investigate the Consumer Usage Patterns of a New Heartburn Medication (1999)
- Topical Anti-Inflammatory Treatment for Osteoarthritis of the Knee (1999)
- New Treatment for Heartburn Symptoms Following a Provocative Meal (1999)
- Searle-Comparison of COX-2 Inhibitors in Relieving Pain and Morning Stiffness of Osteoarthritis of the knee (1999)
- Medicated Patch for Treatment of Pain Associated with Osteoarthritis of the Knee or Hip (1999)
- Angiotensin II Receptor Antagonist for Treatment of Essential Hypertension as Determined by Ambulatory Monitoring of Blood Pressure (1999-2000)
- Solvent/Detergent Plasma Pharmacovigilance Study Healthy Volunteers (1999-2000)
- Anti-TNF in the Treatment of Patients with Rheumatoid Arthritis (1999-2000)
- Oral Interferon in the Treatment of Sjogren's Syndrome (1999-2000)
- New Compound for Treatment of Chronic Low Back Pain (1999-2000)
- New Compound for the Treatment of Subjects with Viral Respiratory Infections (1999-2000)
- New Compound for the Treatment of Rheumatoid Arthritis in Patients Receiving Methotrexate (1999-2000)
- Glaxo Wellcome-Alosetron for Male Subjects with Irritable Bowel Syndrome (1999-2000)
- Glaxo Wellcome-Alosetron for Female Subjects with Alternating Diarrhea/Constipation Irritable Bowel Syndrome (1999-2000)
- New Treatment for Hyperlipidemia in Post-Menopausal Women with Osteopenia (1999-2001)
- Long-Term Safety Study of New Treatment for Patients with Clinical Depression (1999-2000)
- Comparison of COX-2 Inhibitors in Treating Patients with Osteoarthritis and Hypertension (1999-2000)
- New Compound in Combination with Metformin for Treatment of Subjects with Diabetes Mellitus Type II) (1999-2001)
- Comparison of COX-2 Inhibitors in Treating Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Knee or Hip (2000)
- New Compound for the Treatment of Pain Associated with Diabetic Peripheral Polyneuropathy (2000-2001)
- New Compound for Treatment of Patients with Chronic Lower Back Pain (2000)
- Comparison Study to Investigate the Efficacy and Safety of a New Compound in the Treatment of Males with Erectile Dysfunction (2000-2001)
- An Open-Label Study of the Long-Term Safety of a New Compound for the Treatment of Rheumatoid Arthritis in Patients Receiving Methotrexate (2000-2001)
- Angiotensin II Receptor Antagonist for Treatment of Patients with Mild-to-Moderate Hypertension as Determined by Ambulatory Monitoring of Blood Pressure (2000-2001)
- A Single Dose Study of a New Compound for the Treatment of Subjects with Acute Migraine Attacks (2000)
- Evaluation of Solvent/Detergent-Treated Plasma in Normal Healthy Volunteers (2000-2001)
- Medicated Patch for the Treatment of Osteoarthritis of the Knee (2000)
- Human Anti-TNF Monoclonal Antibody in the Treatment of Patients with Active Rheumatoid Arthritis (2000-2001)



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- New Compound for the Treatment of Viral Respiratory Infections in Adults (2000)
- A Comparison Study of a New Compound in the Acute Treatment of Major Depression (2000-2001)
- New Compound Versus Enalapril for the Treatment of Hypertensive Patients (2000-2001)
- A Study of the Safety and Efficacy of a New Compound for the Prevention of Bone Loss and for Lipid Lowering in Postmenopausal Women at risk for Osteoporosis (2000)
- A DNA Sampling Study to Determine the Efficacy of a New Test for the Evaluation of Patients with Breast Cancer (2000)
- A Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Ranging Doses of a New Compound for the Treatment of Mild to Moderate Hypertension (2000-2001)
- Comparison of COX-2 Inhibitors in Treating Patients with Osteoarthritis and Hypertension (SUCCESS VII) (2000-2001)
- New Compound for Relief of Pain Associated with Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy (2000-2001)
- Clinical Protocol to Evaluate the Safety and Effectiveness of a Device in the Treatment of Patients with Acute Epicondylitis (2000-2001)
- Clinical Protocol to Confirm the Safety and Efficacy of a Topical Lotion for the Treatment of the Osteoarthritic Knee (2000-2001)
- Long-Term Safety Study of a Human anti-TNF Antibody Administered as a Subcutaneous Injection in Patients with Rheumatoid Arthritis (2000)
- A Study to Evaluate the Effectiveness of a New Test as an Aid in the Early Detection of Prostate Cancer or in Monitoring Men with Prostate Cancer (2001-2001)
- Study of a New Topical Medication for the Treatment of Chronic Low Back Pain (2001)
- The Study of a Combination Therapy for the Treatment of Hyperlipidemia in Type 2 Diabetic Men and Women (FACTOR) (2001)
- Study of a New Compound in Combination with Metformin in Previously Treated OHA Monotherapy Obese Subjects with Type 2 Diabetes (2001)
- A Study of a New Narcotic Patch in the Management of Patients with Chronic Non-Malignant Pain Syndromes Responsive to Opioid Combination Therapy (2001)
- A Forced Titration Study of a New Angiotensin II Receptor Antagonist in Patients with Essential Hypertension (2001)
- Study of a New Compound as Monotherapy in Patients with Primary Hypercholesterolemia (2001)
- Merck Comparison of COX-2 Inhibitors in Treating Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Knee (2001)
- A Pilot Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of an Immediate-Release Opioid in Patients with Moderate to Severe Non-Malignant Pain (2001)
- An Open-Label Study of Drug Response in Relationship to Gene Variants in Adults with Primary Hypercholesterolemia (the STRENGTH Study) (2001)
- A Study of the Analgesic Efficacy and Safety of a New Compound for the Treatment of the Pain of Diabetic Neuropathy (2001)
- An Open-Label Comparison Study of a New Compound Versus Atorvastatin, Cerivastatin, Pravastatin and Simvastatin in Subjects with Hypercholesterolemia (2001)
- A Study to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of a New Compound in Subjects with Acute Migraine Attacks (2001)
- A Comparison Study of a New Compound in the Treatment of Chronic Pain in Patients with Diabetic Neuropathy (2001)

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- A Dose Finding Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of a New Compound for the Treatment of Mild-to-Moderate Essential Hypertension (2001)
- A Study Comparing the Effects of Study Drug to Amlodipine and Benazepril on Systolic Blood Pressure and Pulse Pressure in Patients with Systolic Hypertension (2001)
- An Open-Label Study of Drug Response in Relationship to Gene Variants in Adults with Primary Hypercholesterolemia (The STRENGTH II Study) (2001)
- Clinical Protocol for the Study of the Analgesic Effect of a New Compound in Patients with Chronic Low Back pain (2001)
- A Study to Evaluate the Effectiveness of a Muscle Re-education Biofeedback Device for Home Use in Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Knee (2001)
- A Crossover Study Comparing Study Drug to Acetaminophen and Placebo in Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Hip or Knee (2001-2002)
- A Comparison Study of Two Medications for the Treatment of Osteoporosis in Postmenopausal Women (2001)
- Study of a New Topical Gel for the Treatment of Anogenital Herpes to Prevent Recurrences (2001)
- A Study Investigating the Clinical Effects of a New Compound in Patients with Perennial Allergic Rhinitis (2001-2002)
- Twelve-Week Study of the Analgesic Effect of a New Compound in Patients with Low Back Pain (2002)
- Clinical Protocol for the Study of a New Compound in the Treatment of Patients with Osteoarthritis Pain of the Hip or Knee (2002)
- Comparison Study of a New Compound to Treat Erectile Dysfunction in Males with a Diagnosis of Diabetes Mellitus and/or Hypertension and/or Hyperlipidemias (2002)
- Clinical Protocol for the Assessment of the Bone Resorption Activity of a Compound in Women with Osteopenia (2002)
- Clinical Study of the Weight Reducing Effect and Safety of a New Compound in Obese Patients with and without Comorbidities (2002)
- A Fifteen-Week Study of a New Compound for Efficacy and Quality of Life in Patients with Painful Diabetic Neuropathy (2002)
- Twelve-Week Study of the Analgesic Efficacy of a New Compound Compared to Placebo in Patients with Chronic Low Back Pain (2002)
- Clinical Study to Determine the Safety, Efficacy, Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics of a New Compound in Subjects with Moderate to Severe Rheumatoid Arthritis on a Stable Dose of Methotrexate (2002)
- Clinical Protocol to Assess the Efficacy and Safety of Middle of the Night Administration of a New Compound in Patients with Primary Insomnia (2002)
- Clinical Study to Evaluate the Tolerability and Efficacy of a Combination Therapy Compared to a Single Therapy for Treatment in Patients with Combined Hyperlipidemia (SAFARI) (2002)
- A Protocol for Blood Sample Collection from Healthy Subjects To Aid in the Study of In Vitro Diagnostic Devices (2002)
- A Second Crossover Study Comparing Study Drug to Acetaminophen and Placebo in Patients with Osteoarthritis of the Hip or Knee (2002)



## EXPERIENCE

- 2013 to present: Yale New Haven Health New Haven, CT  
 Associate Director Occupational Health and Urgent Care
- Directs, manages and improves operations of the Occupational Medicine and Urgent Care Centers across the Yale New Haven Health System: Foxon, Bridgeport Hospital Industrial Medicine and Greenwich Hospital Occupational Health Services
  - Manages the strategic planning and implementation of the SYSTOC database
- 2010-2013: Yale-New Haven Hospital New Haven, CT  
 Practice Manager, Urgent Care at Foxon
- Opened and operated the first Urgent Care practice in the Ambulatory Services Division of YNHHS.
  - Working collaboratively with management, physicians, and marketing, planned and developed the practice that grew to over 10,000 patient visits per year by end of year 2
  - Expanded the Urgent Care model by adding to include retail Occupational Medicine services that added 180 visits per month to the first "blended model" in the YNHHS
  - Increased volume to the Diagnostic Imaging and Blood Draw Station at the site/downstream revenue
- 1998 –2010 Hospital of Saint Raphael New Haven, CT  
 Administrative Director, Saint Raphael's Occupational Health Plus™
- Supervised, managed and directed the operations of four ambulatory medical offices
  - Employed more than 70 staff, including MDs, P.A.s, RNs, COHNs, x-ray techs, billing staff, sales reps, physical therapists and paraprofessionals.
  - Designed and opened two satellite occupational medicine and outpatient rehab offices
  - Managed over \$5 million in budgets
  - Administered Employee Health Services for the Hospital's 4,000 employees
  - Secured contracts with managed care companies and medical service subcontractors
  - Developed new product offerings:
    - Designed and implemented a comprehensive wellness program for the City of New Haven's 5,000 workers and their families that has proven to have a positive impact on the health and well-being of the population, and a decrease in insurance premiums
  - Secured annual Connecticut Department of Labor Grant for Occupational Medicine Clinics-- 9 years
- 1996-1998 Hospital of Saint Raphael New Haven, CT  
 Manager, Outpatient Rehabilitation Services
- Increased billed revenue by \$1 million/yr. and staff productivity by 75%
  - Redesigned physical lay out to increase efficiency
  - Established Occupational Medicine Treatment protocols
- 1988-1996 Temple Physical Therapy New Haven, CT  
 Supervisor, Work Hardening Program
- Created, developed and implemented a successful Work Hardening Program
  - Marketed program to physician groups and insurance carriers
  - Grew volume to 36 patients per day
- EDUCATION
- University of Connecticut Storrs, CT  
 BS, Physical Therapy
- University of New Haven New Haven, CT  
 MBA
- AFFILIATIONS
- American College of Healthcare Executives, Member  
 Urgent Care Association of America  
 Board Member National Association of Occupational Medicine Providers  
 Past Vestry Member, St John's Episcopal Church, North Haven, CT  
 Alter Guild, Saint John's Episcopal Church, North Haven, CT



**Attachment 6**

# **Applicant:**

Please provide one year of actual results and three years of projections of Total Entity revenue, expense and volume statistics without incremental to and with the CON proposal in the following reporting format:

## **NON-PROFIT**

**Financial Worksheet (A)**  
 Without CON  
 With CON  
 Results

LINE	Total Entry:	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
1	OPERATING REVENUE						
A	Total Gross Patient Revenue	\$ 8,678,814,000	\$ 9,595,815,000	\$ -	\$ 9,595,815,000	\$ 9,595,815,000	\$ -
2	Less: Allowances	6,203,146,000	7,090,464,000	-	7,090,464,000	7,090,464,000	-
3	Less: Charity Care	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Less: Other Deductions	\$ 2,473,669,000	\$ 2,446,361,000	\$ -	\$ 2,446,361,000	\$ 2,446,361,000	\$ -
5	Net Patient Service Revenue	\$ 786,643,000	\$ 782,885,000	\$ -	\$ 782,885,000	\$ 782,885,000	\$ -
6	Medicaid	289,860,000	339,496,000	-	339,496,000	339,496,000	-
7	CHAMPUS & Tricare	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Total Government	1,085,603,000	1,122,493,000	-	1,122,493,000	1,122,493,000	-
10	Uninsured	1,281,728,000	1,417,167,000	-	1,417,167,000	1,417,167,000	-
11	Self-Pay	41,788,000	85,260,000	-	85,260,000	85,260,000	-
12	Workers Compensation	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Total Non-Government	1,323,614,000	1,502,427,000	-	1,502,427,000	1,502,427,000	-
15	Net Patient Service Revenue*	\$ 2,410,417,000	\$ 2,524,910,000	\$ -	\$ 2,524,910,000	\$ 2,524,910,000	\$ -
16	Less: Provision for Bad Debts	71,764,000	69,549,000	-	69,549,000	69,549,000	-
17	Net Patient Service Revenue less Provision for bad debts	2,401,904,000	2,376,802,000	-	2,376,802,000	2,376,802,000	-
18	Other Operating Revenue	-	42,598,000	-	42,598,000	42,598,000	-
19	Net Assets Released from Restrictions	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Total Operating Revenue	\$ 2,401,904,000	\$ 2,419,400,000	\$ -	\$ 2,419,400,000	\$ 2,419,400,000	\$ -
21	OPERATING EXPENSES						
1	Salaries and Wages	\$ 808,684,000	\$ 819,504,000	\$ -	\$ 819,504,000	\$ 819,504,000	\$ -
2	Employee Benefits	240,776,000	240,776,000	-	240,776,000	240,776,000	-
3	Physical Therapy	569,793,000	569,793,000	-	569,793,000	569,793,000	-
4	Supplies and Drugs	407,733,000	420,084,000	-	420,084,000	420,084,000	-
5	Depreciation and Amortization	122,565,000	124,084,000	-	124,084,000	124,084,000	-
6	Provision for Bad Debts-Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Interest Expense	23,742,000	26,033,000	-	26,033,000	26,033,000	-
8	Malpractice Insurance Cost	14,809,000	21,010,000	-	21,010,000	21,010,000	-
9	Lease Expense	14,516,000	14,937,000	-	14,937,000	14,937,000	-
10	Other Operating Expenses	82,219,000	95,673,000	-	95,673,000	95,673,000	-
11	Total Operating Expenses	\$ 2,267,359,000	\$ 2,331,895,000	\$ -	\$ 2,331,895,000	\$ 2,331,895,000	\$ -
12	INCOME/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	\$ 134,545,000	\$ 87,501,000	\$ -	\$ 87,501,000	\$ 87,501,000	\$ -
13	NON-OPERATING REVENUE	\$ 30,165,000	\$ 50,000,000	\$ -	\$ 50,000,000	\$ 50,000,000	\$ -
14	EXPENSES/(DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE	\$ 164,700,000	\$ 137,601,000	\$ -	\$ 137,601,000	\$ 137,601,000	\$ -
15	Principal Payments	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	PROFITABILITY SUMMARY	5.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%
17	Hospital Operating Margin	1.2%	2.0%	0.0%	2.0%	2.0%	0.0%
18	Hospital Non-Operating Margin	6.3%	5.5%	0.0%	5.5%	5.5%	0.0%
19	Hospital Total Margin	10.85%	10.432	-	10.432	10.432	-
20	VOLUME STATISTICS*	80,531	80,531	-	80,531	80,531	-
21	Inpatient Discharges	1,209,078	1,221,169	-	1,221,169	1,221,169	-
22	Outpatient Visits	1,253,703	1,299,609	-	1,299,609	1,299,609	-
23	TOTAL VOLUME	2,462,781	2,520,778	-	2,520,778	2,520,778	-

\*Total amount should equal the total amount on and line "Net Patient Revenue" Row 14.  
 \*Provide the amount of any transaction associated with Bad Debts not related to the provision of direct services to patients. For additional information, refer to the "Bad Debts" section of the proposal.  
 \*Provide projected hospital and/or outpatient statistics for any new services and provide actual and projected inpatient and/or outpatient statistics for any existing services which will change due to the proposal.

# YALE-NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL

## Proposal for the Termination of Urgent Care at Foxon

### Yale-New Haven Hospital Assumptions

<u>Net Revenue Rate Increases</u>	<u>FY 2016</u>	<u>FY 2017</u>	<u>FY 2018</u>
1) Government	0 - 1.4%	0 - 1.2%	0 - 2%
2) Non-Government	2.0%	2.0%	1.0%

	<u>FY 2016</u>	<u>FY 2017</u>	<u>FY 2018</u>
<b>A. <u>EXPENSES</u></b>			
Salaries and Fringe Benefits	3.7%	3.1%	3.4%
<b>B. Non-Salary</b>			
1) Medical and Surgical Supplies	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%
2) Pharmacy and Solutions	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%
3) Malpractice Insurance	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
4) Professional and Contracted Services	6.5%	3.0%	3.0%
5) All Other Expenses	2 - 3%	2 - 3%	2 - 3%

	<u>FY 2016</u>	<u>FY 2017</u>	<u>FY 2018</u>
<b><u>FTEs</u></b>			
1) Total estimated FTEs	<u>10,454</u>	<u>10,503</u>	<u>10,539</u>

Note - The above increase projections reflect all changes relating to Medicare and Medicaid reimbursement regulations.





# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

*Office of Health Care Access*

August 5, 2015

VIA FAX ONLY

Nancy Rosenthal  
Senior Vice President  
Strategy and Regulatory Planning  
5 Perryridge Rd  
Greenwich, CT 06830

RE: Certificate of Need Application; Docket Number: 15-32011-CON  
Yale New-Haven Hospital  
Termination of Urgent Care Center at Foxon in East Haven, CT

Dear Ms. Rosenthal:

This letter is to inform you that, pursuant to Section 19a-639a (d) of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Office of Health Care Access has deemed the above-referenced application complete as of August 5, 2015.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (860) 418-7007 or Steven Lazarus at (860) 418-7012.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "A. Veyberman".

Alla Veyberman  
Health Care Analyst

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*(If you require aid/accommodation to participate fully and fairly, contact us either by phone, fax or email)*

410 Capitol Ave., MS#13HCA, P.O.Box 340308, Hartford, CT 06134-0308  
Telephone: (860) 418-7001 Fax: (860) 418-7053 Email: OHCA@ct.gov

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## Comments:

Docket Number: 15-32011

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## Greer, Leslie

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**From:** Greer, Leslie  
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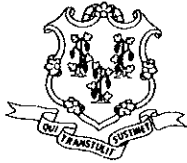
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Nancy,  
Attached is the hearing notice for DN: 15-32011-CON.

Leslie M. Greer  
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STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
*Office of Health Care Access*

September 10, 2015

Nancy Rosenthal  
SVP, Strategy and Regulatory Planning  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
5 Perryridge Road  
Greenwich, CT 06830

RE: Certificate of Need Application, Docket Number 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's Urgent Care Center on Foxon Road  
in East Haven, CT

Dear Ms. Rosenthal,

With the receipt of the completed Certificate of Need ("CON") application information submitted by Yale-New Haven Hospital ("Applicant") on August 5, 2015, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") has initiated its review of the CON application identified above.

Pursuant to General Statutes § 19a-639a (f), OHCA may hold a hearing with respect to any Certificate of Need application.

This hearing notice is being issued pursuant to General Statutes § 19a-639a (f)

Applicant: Yale-New Haven Hospital

Docket Number: 15-32011-CON

Proposal: Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's Urgent Care Center on  
Foxon Road in East Haven, CT

Notice is hereby given of a public hearing to be held in this matter to commence on:

Date: September 28, 2015  
Time: 4:00 p.m.  
Place: East Haven High School  
35 Wheelbarrow Lane, Room S 106  
East Haven, CT 06513

The Applicant is designated as party in this proceeding. Enclosed for your information is a copy of the hearing notice for the public hearing that will be published in the *Connecticut Post* pursuant to General Statutes § 19a-639a (f).

Sincerely,



Kimberly R. Martone  
Director of Operations

Enclosure

cc: Henry Salton, Esq., Office of the Attorney General  
Antony Casagrande, Department of Public Health  
Kevin Hansted, Department of Public Health  
Wendy Furniss, Department of Public Health  
William Gerrish, Department of Public Health  
Jill Kentfield, Department of Public Health  
Chris Stan, Department of Public Health  
DeVaughn Ward, Department of Public Health  
Marielle Daniels, Connecticut Hospital Association

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# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

*Office of Health Care Access*

September 10, 2015

P.O. # 54772

New Haven Register  
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New Haven, CT 06531-0715

Gentlemen/Ladies:

Please make an insertion of the attached copy, in a single column space, set solid under legal notices, in the issue of your newspaper by no later than **Monday, September 14, 2015**. Please provide the following **within 30 days** of publication:

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If there are any questions regarding this legal notice, please contact Kaila Riggott at (860) 418-7001.

KINDLY RENDER BILL IN DUPLICATE ATTACHED TO THE TEAR SHEET.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kim Martone".

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Kimberly R. Martone  
Director of Operations

Attachment

cc: Danielle Pare, DPH  
Marielle Daniels, Connecticut Hospital Association

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**PLEASE INSERT THE FOLLOWING:**

Office of Health Care Access Public Hearing

Statute Reference: 19a-638  
Applicant: Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Town: East Haven  
Docket Number: 15-32011-CON  
Proposal: Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's Urgent Care Center on  
Foxon Road in East Haven, CT  
Date: September 28, 2015  
Time: 4:00 p.m.  
Place: East Haven School  
35 Wheelbarrow Lane, Room S 106  
East Haven, CT 06513

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## Greer, Leslie

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**Subject:** Hearing Notice DN: 15-32011-CON

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Leslie M. Greer  
Office of Health Care Access  
Connecticut Department of Public Health  
410 Capitol Avenue, MS#13HCA, Hartford, CT 06134  
Phone: (860) 418-7013 Fax: (860) 418-7053  
**Website:** [www.ct.gov/ohca](http://www.ct.gov/ohca)

## Greer, Leslie

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Good afternoon,

This notice is set to publish tomorrow.  
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Thanks,

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PLEASE CALL  
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FOR INFO.**

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Pursuant to section 19a-638 of the Connecticut General Statutes, Yale-New Haven Hospital will submit the following Certificate of Need application:

Applicant(s):  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Address:  
84 North Main Street,  
Branford, CT 06405

Proposal:  
Discontinuation of outpatient rehabilitation services in Branford, CT.

Estimated Total Project Cost/Expenditure: \$0

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**City of New Haven  
Notice of Availability  
for Public Comment  
Draft Consolidated  
Annual Performance  
and Evaluation  
Report  
CAPER: 2014-2015**

In accordance with 91 CFR Part 520, the City of New Haven is required to submit a **Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER)**, documenting its housing and community development performance to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) 90 days after the close of its grant program year. The City is the recipient of four (4) entitlement grants through HUD – they are the Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) (formerly the Emergency Shelter Grant), and Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) programs. The CAPER summarizes the City's performance in implementing its HUD-funded Housing and Community Development programs over the past program year (July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015).

Copies of the City's Draft CAPER will be made available for review on September 11, 2015 in the City's Office of Management and Budget located on the 3rd floor of 165 Church Street and will remain available through close of business on September 25, 2015. It is also posted on the City's website under Government/Budgets and Finances/Consolidated Plan.

The City invites all interested parties to comment on the Draft CAPER. Written comments will be received in the Office of Management and Budget, Attn: Elizabeth Smith, Third Floor, 165 Church Street, New Haven, CT, 06510. All comments will be reviewed and considered for inclusion in the final CAPER to be submitted to HUD. The final CAPER will be available for viewing on the City's web page, in the community police substations and the main library after submission to HUD.

**LEGAL NOTICE  
CITY OF ANSONIA  
NOTICE OF DECISIONS**

At the Regular Meeting held August 31, 2015, Planning & Zoning Commission voted the following:

CLOSED THE PUBLIC HEARING FOR: 45 Silver Hill Rd. - Subdivision

APPROVED: 45 Silver Hill Rd. - Subdivision

CONTINUED: 23 Granite Terrace – Site Plan Modification; 230 Pershing Drive – Site Plan Approval; Pine Lot – 8-24 Referral, and 135 Hill Street – 8-24 Referral

ANSONIA PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION  
Joseph Jaumann,  
Chairman

Dated at Ansonia, CT  
This 11th day of September 2015

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Extra Space Storage will sell at public auction, to satisfy the lien of the owner, personal property described below belonging to those individuals listed below at location indicated: 488 Boston Post Road Orange CT 06477, 203-795-3759 September 17, 2015 1:00 P.M. Unit 1068 Craig Sharpe Stationary Bikes, Unit 1167 Kathy Williams Household Goods, Unit 1257 Tanya Dennis Household Goods, Unit 2081 Reinaldo Figueroa Household Goods, Unit 3086 Kylie Kallenbach Household Goods, Unit 3204 Osbert Woodyly Household, Unit 3242 Dawn Tucker Household Goods. The auction will be listed and advertised on [www.storagetmeasures.com](http://www.storagetmeasures.com). Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the above referenced facility in order to complete the transaction. Extra Space Storage may refuse any bid and may rescind any purchase up until the winning bidder takes possession of the personal property.

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §§16-11 and 16-43, the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (PURA) will conduct a public hearing at Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut, on **Friday, September 18, 2015, at 9:00 a.m.**, concerning Docket No. 15-08-11 - Application of Yankee Gas Services Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §§16-11 & 16-43 and Conn. Agencies Reg. §16-43-3 for Approval of the Sale of the Advantage Protection Service Plan and the Discontinuance of Billable Services. The PURA may continue the hearing. For information and the Notice of Hearing filed with the Secretary of State's Office, contact: PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY, JEFFREY R. GAUDIOSI, ESQ., EXECUTIVE SECRETARY. The public may call the Authority's offices, at (860) 827-1553, option 4 (using a touch tone phone), commencing each day from 7:30 a.m., to be advised as to whether this hearing has been cancelled or postponed due to inclement weather. The Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection is an Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Employer that is committed to complying with the Americans with Disabilities Act. To request an accommodation contact us at (860) 418-5910 or [deep.accommodations@ct.gov](mailto:deep.accommodations@ct.gov).

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Yale-New Haven Hospital  
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East Haven, CT 06513  
Address 2:  
84 North Main Street,  
Branford, CT 06405

Proposal:  
Discontinuation of occupational medicine services in East Haven and Branford, CT.

Estimated Total Project Cost/Expenditure: \$0

**STATE OF CONN  
Superior Court  
Juvenile Matters**

**NOTICE TO  
Jeremiah Hargrove, father of minor children, born on 6/29/2001 and on 9/06/2002 to Deborah M., in the city of Derby, CT where the children were born.**

**OF PARTS UNKNOWN**

A petition has been filed seeking: Commitment of minor child(ren) of the above named or vesting of custody and care of said child(ren) of the above named in a lawful, private or public agency or a suitable and worthy person. The petition, whereby the court's decision can affect your parental rights, if any, regarding minor child(ren) will be heard on 10/7/15 at 2:00 p.m. at SCJM, 7 Kendrick Ave, Waterbury, CT 06702. Therefore, ORDERED, that notice of the hearing of this petition be given by publishing this Order of Notice once, immediately upon receipt, in the New Haven Register, a newspaper having a circulation in the town/city of New Haven.  
Hon. John Turner  
Judge  
Renee Polletta  
Office Clerk  
8/28/15  
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Juvenile Matters**

**NOTICE TO  
Michael McKinney, father of female children, born on 4/30/04 and on 6/14/09 to Christine H, in the city of New Haven where the child was born**

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Hon. John F. Cronan  
Judge  
T. Bibeau  
Dep Chief Clerk  
8/20/15  
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**STATE OF CONN  
Superior Court  
Juvenile Matters**

**NOTICE TO  
Tymaine Sweets, father of male child, born on 3/24/2007 to Deborah M., in the city of Derby, CT where the child was born**

**OF PARTS UNKNOWN**

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Judge  
Renee Polletta  
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**WEST HAVEN, CT  
LEGAL NOTICE  
PLANNING & ZONING  
COMMISSION  
CITY OF WEST HAVEN,  
CONNECTICUT**

The West Haven Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a Public Hearing and Regular Meeting on Tuesday, September 22, 2015 in the Harriett North Room, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT at 6:30 P.M. Please refer to the city website for further information: [www.cityofwesthaven.com](http://www.cityofwesthaven.com)

Applications and supporting documents available for review in the office of Planning & Development, 355 Main Street, West Haven, CT.

Gene Sullivan  
Chairman

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

**STATE OF CONN  
Superior Court  
Juvenile Matters  
NOTICE TO  
John Doe,  
of Parts Unknown**

A petition has been filed seeking: Termination of parental rights of the above named in minor child(ren). The petition, whereby the court's decision can affect your parental rights, if any, regarding minor child(ren) will be heard on: 10/2/15 at 10:00A.M. at 239 Whalley Avenue, New Haven, CT 06511. Therefore, ORDERED, that notice of the hearing of this petition be given by publishing this Order of Notice once, immediately upon receipt, in the New Haven Register, a newspaper having a circulation in the town/city of: New Haven, CT.  
Hon. Marcus  
Judge  
M Lauder  
Clerk  
9/9/15  
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**STATE OF CONN  
Superior Court  
Juvenile Matters**

**NOTICE TO  
Christine Hedglin, mother of female children, born on 4/30/04 and on 6/14/09, with Michael M. in the city of New Haven, CT where the children were born**

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**STATE OF CONN  
Superior Court  
Juvenile Matters  
NOTICE TO  
Francisco Sanchez,  
of Parts Unknown**

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**Office of Health Care Access Public Hearing**

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Town: East Haven  
Docket Number: 15-32011-CON  
Proposal: Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's Urgent Care Center on Foxon Road in East Haven, CT  
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**Greater New Haven  
Water Pollution Control Authority**

**INVITATION for Constructing**

**PROJECT: 260 EAST STREET PARKING LOT IMPROVEMENTS  
PROJECT NUMBER: SSF 2015-06**

Sealed bids will be received at the Office of the Director of Finance and Administration of the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority located at 260 East Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06511 for **PROJECT: 260 East Street Parking Lot Improvements (SSF 2015-06) until 10:00 AM on Thursday, October 1, 2015** at which time and place said bids will be opened publicly and read aloud.

**Contract is defined as a complete rehabilitation of the Authority's main building parking lot. Rehabilitation includes reclaiming the existing asphalt pavement section, and new landscaping adding 4 bioswales to mitigate the effect of storm water runoff from the property.**

The information for Bidders, Proposal, Form of Contract, and Specifications may be examined at the Office of the Construction Administrator at the above address. Any one submitting a bid for this project must have in their possession a copy of **THE GREATER NEW HAVEN WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS dated September 12, 2006**. The document can be obtained upon payment of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). The "bid package" containing the Invitation; Proposal; Specifications and Plans can be obtained upon a **non-refundable payment** of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

There will be a **non-mandatory pre-bid meeting on Monday, September 21, 2015 at 10:00 AM** at the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority Administration Building (260 East Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06511). **All questions from Bidders** must be received by the Authority via email by **Friday, September 25, 2015 at noon**, in order to receive consideration. (emails to: [engineering@gnhwpc.com](mailto:engineering@gnhwpc.com)).

A certified check or bid bond in the amount of fifteen percent (15%) of the total bid amount must accompany the bid. Said checks or bid bonds will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders upon Award of the Contract to the selected firm and execution of the Agreement. If any bid is not accompanied by a bid bond or check at the specified time for the bid opening, the incomplete bid will not be read and this action will constitute automatic rejection of the bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and materials payment bond in the form as attached to the Bid Documents for the amount of the total bid. A certified check can not be substituted for either bond. The Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority reserves the right to alter quantities and to accept or reject any or all bids or any portion of any bids, for any or no reason, including unavailability of appropriated funds as it may deem to be in its best interests.

**Gabriel Varca  
Director of Finance and Administration**



## Greer, Leslie

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**From:** Veyberman, Alla  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 15, 2015 1:58 PM  
**To:** 'nancy.rosenthal@greenwichhospital.org'  
**Cc:** Riggott, Kaila; Hansted, Kevin; Lazarus, Steven; Greer, Leslie  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Prefiled Testimony 15-32011  
**Attachments:** Request for Prefile 15-32011.pdf

Mrs. Rosenthal,  
Please see the attached PDF copy as well with the prefiled request and issues.

Thank you.

*Alla Veyberman, MS*  
Health Care Analyst  
CT Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access (OHCA)  
Phone: 860.418.7007  
Fax: 860.418.7053  
Email: [Alla.Veyberman@ct.gov](mailto:Alla.Veyberman@ct.gov)



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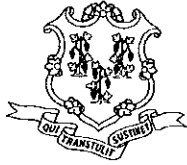
**From:** Veyberman, Alla  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 15, 2015 11:50 AM  
**To:** [nancy.rosenthal@greenwichhospital.org](mailto:nancy.rosenthal@greenwichhospital.org)  
**Cc:** Riggott, Kaila; Hansted, Kevin; Lazarus, Steven; Greer, Leslie  
**Subject:** Request for Prefiled Testimony 15-32011

Hello Mrs. Rosenthal,

Attached you will find a copy of the letter requesting prefiled testimony of the Applicant in the matter referenced above.  
Please free to contact me or Steve, if you have any questions.

Thank you,

*Alla Veyberman, MS*  
Health Care Analyst  
CT Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access (OHCA)  
Phone: 860.418.7007  
Fax: 860.418.7053  
Email: [Alla.Veyberman@ct.gov](mailto:Alla.Veyberman@ct.gov)



STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
*Office of Health Care Access*

September 15, 2015

VIA EMAIL ONLY

Nancy Rosenthal  
5 Perryridge Road  
Greenwich, CT 06830

RE: Certificate of Need Application, Docket Number 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon

Dear Mrs. Rosenthal:

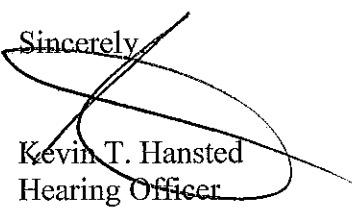
The Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 28, 2015 starting at 4:00 p.m. at the East Haven High School, Room S 106, 35 Wheelbarrow Lane, East Haven, CT regarding the Certificate of Need ("CON") application identified above. Pursuant to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies § 19a-9-29 (e), any party or other participant is required to prefile in written form all substantive, technical, or expert testimony that it proposes to offer at the hearing. The Applicant's prefiled testimony must be submitted to OHCA by 12:00 p.m. **on Wednesday, September 23, 2015.**

All persons providing prefiled testimony must be present at the public hearing to adopt their written testimony under oath and must be available for cross-examination for the entire duration of the hearing. If you are unable to meet the specified time for filing the prefiled testimony you must request a time extension in writing, detailing the reasons for not being able to meet the specified deadline.

Additionally, please respond to the attached Issues in writing to OHCA **on September 23, 2015.**

Please contact Alla Veyberman at (860) 418-7007 or Steven W. Lazarus (860) 418-7012 if you have any questions concerning this request.

Sincerely,

  
Kevin T. Hansted  
Hearing Officer

## **Issues**

### **Certificate of Need Application; Docket Number: 15-32011-CON**

**Yale-New Haven Hospital (“YNHH”)**

**Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (“Center”) in East Haven**

**The Applicant should be prepared to present and discuss supporting evidence on the following issues:**

1. Access to urgent care services for patients in the Center’s service area.
2. Level and type of services offered by the Center and the other Urgent Care and Walk-In Clinic providers in the area.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Jewel Mullen, M.D., M.P.H., M.P.A.  
Commissioner



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TO: Kevin Hansted, Hearing Officer

FROM: Jewel Mullen, M.D., M.P.H., M.P.A., Commissioner *Jm*

DATE: September 15, 2015

RE: Certificate of Need Application; Docket Number: 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon

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I hereby designate you to sit as a hearing officer in the above-captioned matter to rule on all motions and recommend findings of fact and conclusions of law upon completion of the hearing.

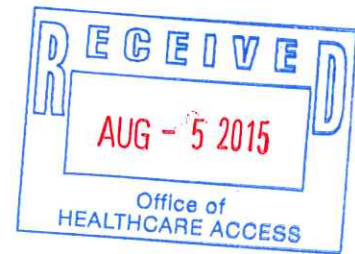


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# ASAP URGENT CARE



Date: August 3, 2015

Ms. Janet Brancifort  
Deputy Commissioner  
Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access  
410 Capitol Avenue, MS#13HCA  
PO Box 340308  
Hartford CT 06134

Dear Deputy Commissioner Brancifort:

I am writing to express my support for Yale-New Haven Hospital's (YNHH) Certificate of Need (CON) Application to terminate its urgent care center located at 317 Foxon Road, East Haven, CT and its occupational medicine services located at 317 Foxon Road, East Haven and 84 Main Street, Branford, Connecticut. Since YNHH opened its urgent care and occupational medicine sites (one opened as part of the Hospital of Saint Raphael), there has been a doubling of the number of similar sites within a ten mile radius. Most of the urgent care centers, such as mine, handle occupational medicine injuries as well as non-occupational medicine walk in patients. The area's citizens and employers will be well served and will continue to have access and choice among alternate quality providers in the area.

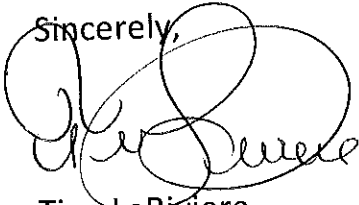
We understand that YNHH's North Haven, New Haven and West Haven sites will remain open for those who choose to continue to use Yale-New Haven Hospital for urgent care and occupational medicine services.

Our sites are on bus lines, have sufficient free parking and accepts all payers (except Medicaid D). We have ample capacity and the ability and willingness to accommodate any YNHH patients who are displaced by the closure of these

services. We welcome the additional volume and opportunity to serve the area residents.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

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Tina LaRiviere  
Chief Operating Officer  
ASAP Urgent Care  
tlariviere@asap-urgentcare.com

**Greer, Leslie**

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**From:** Martone, Kim  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 22, 2015 8:14 AM  
**To:** Hansted, Kevin; Riggott, Kaila  
**Cc:** Greer, Leslie  
**Subject:** FW: Yales Clinic Closing in East Haven

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**From:** Carol & Bill Halkovic [<mailto:sequest@snet.net>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 22, 2015 8:08 AM  
**To:** Martone, Kim  
**Subject:** Yales Clinic Closing in East Haven

I was very sad to learn of the possible closing of this Yale Clinic closing in East Haven. I know a lot of people who use this facility, including myself, and hope that they will reconsider this decision. It will be a great inconvenience for so many.

Carol Halkovic  
94 Allison Way  
East Haven, CT 06512

9/22/15

I am writing in reference to  
The closing of Yale NH  
Urgent Care facility on Foxon Rd.  
EAST HAVEN.

I am 81 years of age  
and have been going  
at 7 am on a Friday every  
4 months for a few years now  
for blood draws. It is so  
convenient for me to get  
there. Without this facility  
I would have to either go  
into New Haven or center  
of East Haven which would  
not be convenient. I am  
hoping this will not occur  
as I've gotten to a point  
that I don't even mind  
having my blood drawn and  
I am back home by 7:30 am.

Thank You  
Sincerely,

Jeanne Brown  
21 David Drive  
East Haven, CT  
06512

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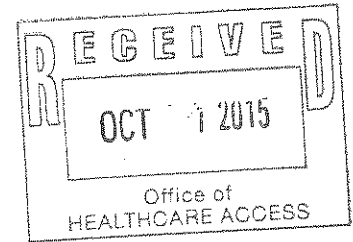
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September 28, 2015

Jewel Mullen, MD, MPH, MPA  
Commissioner  
Department of Public Health  
410 Capitol Avenue  
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Ms. Kimberly Martone  
Director of Operations  
Office of Health Care Access  
410 Capitol Avenue  
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P.O. Box 340308  
Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Commissioner Mullen and Ms. Martone:

Thank you for the opportunity to offer testimony on the Certificate of Need (CON) application for the termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's (YNHH) urgent care facility on Foxon Road in East Haven.

As elected officials representing the citizens of East Haven, we are gravely concerned about the impact of the closure of this facility on our community. This facility provides urgent care, occupational health, and radiology services to residents of East Haven and surrounding municipalities.

In addition to the impact on residents, closing this facility will directly affect the government of the Town of East Haven, as this site provides services the Town relies on for physical examinations, drug screenings, and worker's compensation for its employees.

YNHH opened the East Haven facility just four years ago, and since then annual visits have risen by nearly 45%. Just over half of the facility's visits are from those on government assistance, including 37% of visits from Medicaid patients. The two facilities that the CON application recommends patients use should the application be approved, the North Haven and West Haven facilities, both have utilization that is *below* that of the East Haven facility. There is a clear need to maintain service at the East Haven location.

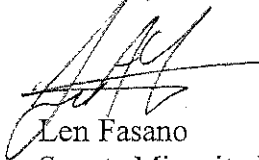
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We also question YNHH's need for savings in light of the need for service at this location. While the savings are expected to be \$1 million between the proposed closures of the East Haven and Branford facilities, YNHH made \$240 million in profits in 2013 alone. Again, we question whether cuts to services are warranted in that context.

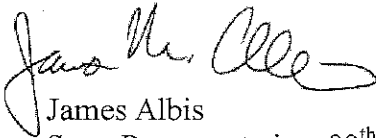
In the event that the CON application is approved, we respectfully ask that YNHH allow any other urgent care provider the right to open a facility at this location or any other area location without objection.

We urge the Office of Health Care Access to deny YNHH's CON application.

Sincerely,



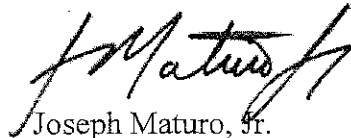
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Joseph Maturo, Sr.  
Mayor, East Haven

**Greer, Leslie**

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**Subject:** FW: Foxon Pre-File Testimony  
**Attachments:** 2015.09.23\_ Cover Letter YNHH Urgent Care at Foxon\_LRSD\_IN.pdf; Pre-File Testimony 15-32011.pdf  
**Importance:** High

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**From:** Noel, Irene [<mailto:Irene.Noel@ynhh.org>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2015 11:06 AM  
**To:** Hansted, Kevin <[Kevin.Hansted@ct.gov](mailto:Kevin.Hansted@ct.gov)>  
**Cc:** McKennan, Matthew <[Matthew.McKennan@YNHH.ORG](mailto:Matthew.McKennan@YNHH.ORG)>; Willcox, Jennifer <[Jennifer.Willcox@ynhh.org](mailto:Jennifer.Willcox@ynhh.org)>  
**Subject:** Foxon Pre-File Testimony  
**Importance:** High

Good Morning,

The above referenced documents are attached. We have also sent out original and copies via Federal Express that should arrive tomorrow morning.

If you have any questions, please call me at 203 688-3781.

Thank you,

Irene Noel  
Administrative Assistant to  
Jennifer Willcox  
Yale New Haven Health System

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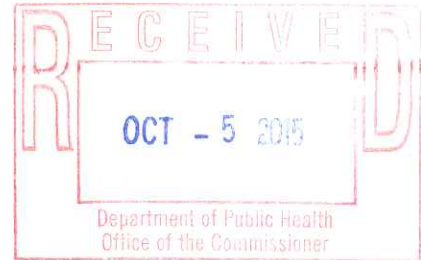
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Thursday, September 24, 2015

Re: Yale-New Haven East Haven Foxxon Road proposal

Hon. Commissioner Jewel Mullen, M.D.

CT DPH—410 Capital Ave.



Dear Commissioner Mullen and Reviewers:

This is to recommend that the Commission direct Yale-New Haven's hospital administration submit a plan as follows: Before shuttering and emptying this Urgent Care clinic, YNH should, in cooperation with Commissioner, put out to bid, at its COST, the East Haven Foxxon Road provider facility. The facility could, if your Commission approves, remain open with reduced services for up to 15 mos. for transition purposes. The transition services should include, at least, orthopedic and stomach x-rays, ultrasound (kidneys etc.), limited pregnancy services, and ages four through 18 emergency, etc. Yale New Haven and Commission can exchange data as to which services are most needed. This would provide a way to evaluate and stabilize patients, and reassure their families, until transfer to a larger YNH facility is available. Further, for elderly skilled nursing facility (SNF) patients, especially evenings and weekends, this could be a real medical necessity.

This proposal takes into account: YNY need not always maintain a facility once it opens. However, having narrowed a market from other potential providers, the existing provider should promote a transfer bid. YNH could participate by contract in follow-up services, etc. Secondly, I have over 11 years of experience with travel on State Rt. 80, Foxxon Road area, AND Frontage Road areas (including Air Rights garage). These are areas I travel regularly. Traffic delays in BOTH areas are common, especially in the evening commute, beach weekends, shopping times, etc. Thus, stabilizing and assessing patients with urgent injury/accident/acute illness events is important. Thank you.

Gordon Fain 101 Haverford St. Hamden CT 06517 (frequent East Haven shopper, downtown New Haven parker in hospital area.)

*Home Email: 1973g@aol.com*





September 23, 2015

Kevin Hansted  
Hearing Officer  
CT Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access (OHCA)  
410 Capitol Avenue  
Hartford, CT 06134-0308

**RE: Certificate of Need Application, Docket Number 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon**

Dear Hearing Officer Hansted:

Attached please find Yale New Haven's pre-filed testimony in the above-referenced docket number, scheduled for a public hearing on Monday, September 28, 2015. Yale-New Haven Hospital also will have additional staff members present at the hearing to respond to any questions OHCA may have.

Sincerely,

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Irene Noel  
Administrative Assistant to  
Jennifer Willcox  
Deputy General Counsel  
Yale New Haven Health System

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**Yale New Haven Hospital**

**Termination of Yale New Haven Hospital Urgent Care  
at Foxon Road in East Haven, CT  
Docket Number 15-32011-CON**

**Pre-file Testimony of Christopher O'Connor  
Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer  
Yale-New Haven Health System**

Good Morning Hearing Officer Hansted and members of the Office of Health Care Access (OHCA) staff. My name is Christopher O'Connor and I am the Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Yale New Haven Health System (YNHHS). I am joined here today by my colleague, Dr. Amit Rastogi, who currently serves as the Interim Chief Executive Officer at Northeast Medical Group (NEMG), the non-profit medical foundation affiliated with YNHHS. I would first like thank you for the opportunity to speak with you today about our Certificate of Need (CON) application to terminate urgent care services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (the "Center").

As requested, we are both prepared to present and discuss ongoing access to urgent care services in the Center's service area, and the level and type of services offered at the Center and the 21 other urgent care and walk-in sites nearby. As you may have noticed, we listed 20 alternate urgent care and walk-in sites in our CON application, but, since the time of its filing, another urgent care site opened in Hamden, which brings the total to 21. An updated copy of OHCA Table 9 is appended to my testimony in Exhibit A, which includes the new site in Hamden, and information about the services provided and level of care at each of these locations.

**Overview of the Center**

Yale-New Haven Hospital (YNHH) began offering urgent care services at the Center in East Haven in May of 2011. The site provides walk-in services for non-life threatening conditions and serves primarily residents of New Haven, East Haven, North Branford, and Branford. In fact, 40% of the urgent care visits at this site originate from New Haven where there are currently 5 other urgent care and walk-in providers. It is staffed by two NEMG physicians, and the level of care offered at the Center includes predominately low acuity conditions such as sinusitis, sore throat, and cough, which can be accommodated in alternate,

less costly, settings such as local walk-in clinics and appointment-based primary care offices. The professional services at the Center are provided by NEMG, which also operates walk-in centers in close proximity, in North Haven and West Haven. The Center offers basic radiology services and a blood draw. As of the end of August, the site was open 65 hours a week, but is now open Monday through Friday from 9am to 4pm. The hours have recently changed with one of the two full time physicians out under the Family Medical Leave Act.

As you may be aware, the Center also offers occupational health services, which we intend to consolidate into other YNHH sites, pending regulatory approval from OCHA. A public notice about this process has been posted and a separate CON will be forthcoming.

### **Context of Termination; Access to Care**

Our decision to terminate urgent care services at Foxon Road arose in the context of ongoing planning efforts at YNHH to assess potentially duplicative offerings in nearby communities that may lead to inefficiencies and increased cost, while assuring that clinical programs are appropriately located within the Hospital's service area. This process began in earnest after YNHH acquired the Hospital of Saint Raphael in 2012 and administrative leadership undertook clinical and cultural integration, which included examining the existing ambulatory network of both hospitals as well as that of other providers in the local area. In addition, given the recent imposition of State tax increases and budget cuts, and declining reimbursements, YNHH has experienced additional financial pressures to right-size and re-examine its current service offerings.

Within this context, and as noted in the CON, the Center at Foxon was identified as an under-performing site in a geographic area that has become increasingly saturated with urgent care and walk-in clinics. As mentioned earlier, there are two walk-in sites operated by NEMG nearby, one in North Haven and one in West Haven (7.5 miles and 10 miles from the Center, respectively). NEMG also has several primary care offices in the vicinity which offer appointment-based visits for low-acuity patients. Outside of YNHH, there are 13 urgent care centers (three of which are operated by a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)), 2 orthopedic walk-in clinics, 1 privately operated walk-in clinic, and 3 CVS minute clinics, all within 10 miles or less of the Center in East Haven. Moreover, there is also a primary care oriented FQHC located 4 miles from the Center in New Haven.

As mentioned previously, Exhibit A lists the location of each of these sites and their distance from the Center. All of the YNHHS sites accept both Medicare and Medicaid, and all but 3 of the urgent care and walk-in sites not affiliated with YNHHS also accept Medicare and Medicaid. These sites are also accessible via public transportation. We have attached a list of public transit options in Exhibit B to show the accessibility of many of these alternate locations.

Importantly, nearly half of these sites became operational after the Center opened in May of 2011, and one has actually opened after we filed this CON application. Thus, when examining the need for urgent care in the region, it seems quite apparent that there is extensive patient choice, and that closing the Center will not result in a reduction of access to services. Moreover, this proposal will enable YNHH and NEMG to re-allocate personnel to other needed settings within the health system, and is beneficial financially to patients because the alternate NEMG and non-YNHHS sites do not charge facility fees.

For your convenience, we have attached as Exhibit C a map of the existing providers in the market along with a boundary that shows the 15 minute drive time from the Center in East Haven. This map demonstrates that almost every alternative provider we have listed here is within a 15 minute drive time drive, and as previously mentioned, these sites are accessible via public transportation. My colleague Dr. Rastogi will provide more detail about the various types and levels of services offered by these alternate providers which, as he will explain, can accommodate the patients currently seen in East Haven.

Finally, I would also like to bring to your attention two letters of support from local urgent care providers in the area attached to this testimony in Exhibit D. These entities combined operate 6 local urgent care sites, two of which are only 5 miles from East Haven. Most importantly, both letters extend support for this project as these providers have ample capacity, accept governmental payers, including Medicaid, and have the ability to accommodate any patients who might be displaced by closing the Center in East Haven.

### Summary

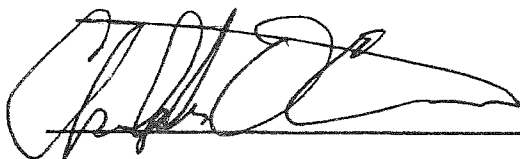
In conclusion, since the Center opened in 2011, YNHH has seen a proliferation of urgent care and walk-in centers near its Center in East Haven, and as we examined our ambulatory network in the local area, the most cost-efficient option was to eliminate this duplicative service. NEMG, our sister organization, operates two sites 7 and 10 miles from the Center in East Haven,



in North Haven and West Haven, respectively, that offer virtually identical services. These sites do not charge a facility fee, they accept all payers, and are accessible via public transportation. Moreover, there are 19 other urgent care and walk-in centers within 10 miles (or a 15 minute drive time) from the Center. Consistent with our strategy and the State Health Plan to focus on cost-efficient regionalization of services, the termination of urgent care services at the Center will not impact access to care while several alternative options exist in the local area for similar services. Finally, given the challenging environment in Connecticut, YNHH has had to re-examine the services it is able to offer in the region, in light of declining reimbursement, budget cuts, and additional taxes with a total burden of over \$135M.

Thank you for your time today, and we would be happy to answer any questions. We urge you to approve this CON application. I would now like to introduce Dr. Amit Rastogi.

The foregoing is my sworn testimony.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "C. O'Connor", is written over a horizontal line.

Christopher O'Connor  
Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer  
Yale New Haven Health System

**Yale New Haven Hospital**

**Termination of Yale New Haven Hospital Urgent Care  
at Foxon Road in East Haven, CT  
Docket Number 15-32011-CON**

**Pre-file Testimony of Amit Rastogi, M.D.  
Interim Chief Executive Officer of Northeast Medical Group**

Hearing Officer Hansted and members of the Office of Health Care Access (OHCA) staff, thank you for the opportunity to speak with you today about this important Certificate of Need (CON) application to terminate urgent care services at Foxon Road in East Haven. My name is Dr. Amit Rastogi. I am a primary care physician and the Interim Chief Executive Officer of Northeast Medical Group (NEMG), the nonprofit medical foundation affiliated with Yale-New Haven Health System (YNHHS). I am here before you today because NEMG provides the professional services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (the “Center”), and also offers various primary care and walk-in services in the immediate vicinity of the Center. I am also here to discuss the different types and levels of care offered at the Center and other local alternatives in the region.

**Overview of NEMG Locations**

NEMG was founded in 2010 and is now a multispecialty physician group with more than 100 practice locations and 600 medical experts, including top primary care physicians and specialists in Fairfield and New Haven counties, as well as New York’s Westchester County. NEMG physicians are linked via the EPIC electronic medical record, which includes innovative features that allows convenient patient access to test results and appointment information. Access to care is particularly important to NEMG: we operate a 24/7 toll-free physician referral center, accept all payers, and every day an increasing number of physicians offer patients the ability to easily schedule appointments via an online application, some with same-day appointments. NEMG is also committed to improving the coordination and cost-efficiency of care with 10 sites recognized by the National Committee for Quality Assurance as Level 3 Medical Homes, and was selected to participate in the Medicare Shared Savings Program as an Accountable Care Organization.

I provide this background to make it clear that NEMG has a robust network of physicians and clinical providers in the region who deliver high value, cost-effective care, including sites within the immediate area served by the Center in East Haven. In fact, NEMG operates two walk-in sites within approximately 10 miles of the Center which provide virtually the same exact services. Both sites have capacity, free parking, and are accessible via public transportation. In addition, there are several NEMG primary care practice locations in the same area. As noted by my colleague, outside of the YNHHS network, there are 19 other urgent care are walk-in centers nearby to the Center within approximately 10 miles.

### **Types and Levels of Care at Alternate Sites**

As requested by OHCA, I would like to take a moment to explain the difference between urgent care and walk-in settings. These terms are often used interchangeably and differences, in many cases, are purely semantic. Anecdotally, a walk-in center typically offers treatment for common non-life threatening injuries and infections such as sprains, pink eye and sore throat. The emphasis is on convenience and they do not accept appointments. Instead of a physician, one may be treated by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner. An urgent care center, on the other hand, is like a walk-in center, but often with enhanced capabilities. They are usually staffed by a physician and they may treat more serious non-life threatening injuries and illnesses compared to a walk-in setting.

However, as noted in the 2014 Supplement to the Statewide Facilities and Services Plan, there is not a single licensure category for the urgent care setting or a statutory definition for this term. They can be licensed as outpatient clinics, as a satellite to a general hospital, or, like the vast majority in Connecticut, under a physician's license. As such, it remains difficult to fully inventory, categorize or discuss this level of service in Connecticut.

Nevertheless, in the case of the urgent care services offered in East Haven, and the walk-in services offered in North Haven and West Haven, the differences are fairly minimal. All of the sites are staffed by physicians and in fact, the same physicians may work at more than one site, if needed. Both sites are open similar hours, and from the physician standpoint, I believe there is little difference in the quality or type of care provided at the North Haven and West Haven sites compared to the Center in East Haven – both of which are staffed by NEMG physicians, and both of which offer ancillary services on site such as blood draw and basic

radiology. Please see Exhibit A which provides OCHA Table 9 with a list of alternate locations, as well as the level and type of services offered in the service area. This table shows that all 13 of the alternate urgent care sites outside of the YNHHS network are staffed by physicians and offer basic radiology (x-ray) and blood draw services, and 12 out of the 13 accept Medicaid.

I think it is also important to examine the types of conditions treated at each of these sites when discussing the type and level of care provided at the Center. Importantly, a large portion of the conditions treated at our Center in East Haven are low acuity, such as sore throat, cough, sinusitis and upper respiratory tract infections. The low acuity of these visits can best be seen in an alternate walk-in or primary care setting, such as the two NEMG sites not far from the East Haven location, or any of the numerous appointment-based NEMG offices in the area. These alternative sites offer access to care, and enhanced coordination in a primary care practice, as opposed to the episodic nature of urgent care, along with the benefits of the EPIC integrated electronic medical record. By doing so, our proposal help address this fragmentation of care resulting from the proliferation of urgent care sites, as discussed in the 2014 Supplement to the Statewide Facilities and Services Plan.

With OHCA's approval to terminate urgent care services at the Center, all patients will be provided information about alternate sites of service, including local primary care physicians, who may be the most clinically appropriate and cost-effective provider to manage and coordinate care for the low acuity patients. With this proposal, we intend to reduce a duplicative service in the area, while coordinating access at our existing NEMG sites, which may potentially increase accessibility with a consistent primary care provider. Patients, of course, will be free to seek services with any provider they choose, and I understand that several of the providers in the area have capacity and have indicated a willingness to accept patients who currently visits the Center.

### Summary

In conclusion, YNHHS and NEMG are committed to providing accessible, appropriate and affordable care at walk-in sites and primary care setting throughout the service area. A significant number of the urgent care patients at Center in East Haven seek care for issues that can be appropriately provided in a more cost-effective setting. I appreciate the opportunity to testify before you today and would happy to answer any questions. Thank you for your time and attention to this CON application.



The foregoing is my sworn testimony.



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**Amit Rastogi, M.D.**

**Interim Chief Executive Officer**

**Northeast Medical Group**

## **Exhibit A**

**UPDATED TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Alternate Sites of Service -- <i>Within Yale-New Haven Health System</i>											
Count	Category	Service or Program Name	Population Served	Type of Service	Services Provided	Staffing	Facility ID	Street Address and Town	Hours/Days of Operation	Current Utilization	Distance from Foxon Urgent Care
1	WALK-IN	NEMG North Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in, Urgent care X-ray; Blood Draw	MD	1043278351	6 Devine St. North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	7 miles
2		NEMG West Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in, Urgent care X-ray; Blood Draw	MD	1043278351	500 Elm St. West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	10.5 miles
3	EMERGENCY	YNHH York Street Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	20 York Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~90,000 visits per year in the adult ED, and 34,000 visits per year in pediatric ED	6.4 miles
4		YNHH Saint Raphael Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	1450 Chapel Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~50,000 visits per year	7.4 miles
5		YNHH Shoreline Medical Center Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	111 Goose Lane Gulford, CT	24/7	~19,000 visits per year	10.3 miles

NEMG also operates several primary care practices in the area, with well over 35 primary care physicians within 10 miles for the Foxon Urgent Care Center.

See the next page for alternate sites of service outside of Yale-New Haven Health System.

**UPDATED TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

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1	URGENT CARE	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	428 Columbus Avenue New Haven, CT	M, Tues, Thur. (8:30am - 8pm) Wed, Fri. (8:30am - 5pm) Sat. (8:30am - 12pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
2		Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	226 Dinwiddie Avenue New Haven, CT	Mon, Wed. (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thurs. (8:30am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	5.8 miles
3		Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	911-913 State Street New Haven, CT	Mon, Thur, Fri. (8:30am - 4pm) Tues, Wed. (1pm - 7pm)	Proprietary.	4.5 miles
4		ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	79 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (11am - 7pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
5		ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	2165 Dinwiddie Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	8 miles
6		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	163 Universal Drive North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sun (8am - 6pm)	Sat Proprietary.	4.3 miles
7		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	109 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (8am - 6pm)	Proprietary.	10.4 miles
8		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	636 Campbell Avenue West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (10am - 4pm)	Proprietary.	8.7 miles
9		203 Urgent Care**	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	1700 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (10am - 4pm)	Proprietary.	7.2 miles
10		Stony Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; blood draw, Diagnostic Testing	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	6 Business Park Drive Branford, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 4:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.1 miles
11		Stony Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; blood draw, Diagnostic Testing	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	236 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 2:30pm)	Proprietary.	10.9 miles
12		Express Care Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; On-site Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	1650 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	7 days a week (8am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	7.2 miles
13		Concentra Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Urgent care.	Urgent care; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	370 James Street New Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4 miles
14	WALK-IN	OrthoNow Walk-In Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	Urgent orthopedic care adult and pediatric; X-ray; MRI	Physician Assistant	N/A	2408 Whitney Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (3pm - 8pm) Sat. (9am - 5pm) Sun (8am - Noon)	Proprietary.	9.6 miles
15		OrthoNow Walk-In Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	Urgent orthopedic care adult and pediatric; X-ray; MRI	Physician Assistant	N/A	84 North Main Street Branford, CT	M-F (3pm - 8pm) Sat. (9am - 5pm) Sun (1pm - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.6 miles
16		New Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in services. No x-ray.	MD	N/A	77 Grand Avenue New Haven, CT	M-F (9am - 5pm) Sat. (9am - Noon)	Proprietary.	3.4 miles
17		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	162 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.9 miles
18		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	2045 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.5 miles
19		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	1057 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.3 miles
20	PRIMARY CARE	Fair Haven Community Health Center*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Primary care.	Primary care for injury, illness, or well visits: adult, geriatric and pediatric	MD/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	374 Grand Avenue New Haven, CT	M, W (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thur. (8:30am - 7pm) Fri. (9:30am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.0 miles

\*Sites operated by Federally Qualified Health Centers.

\*\*Opened in summer of 2015



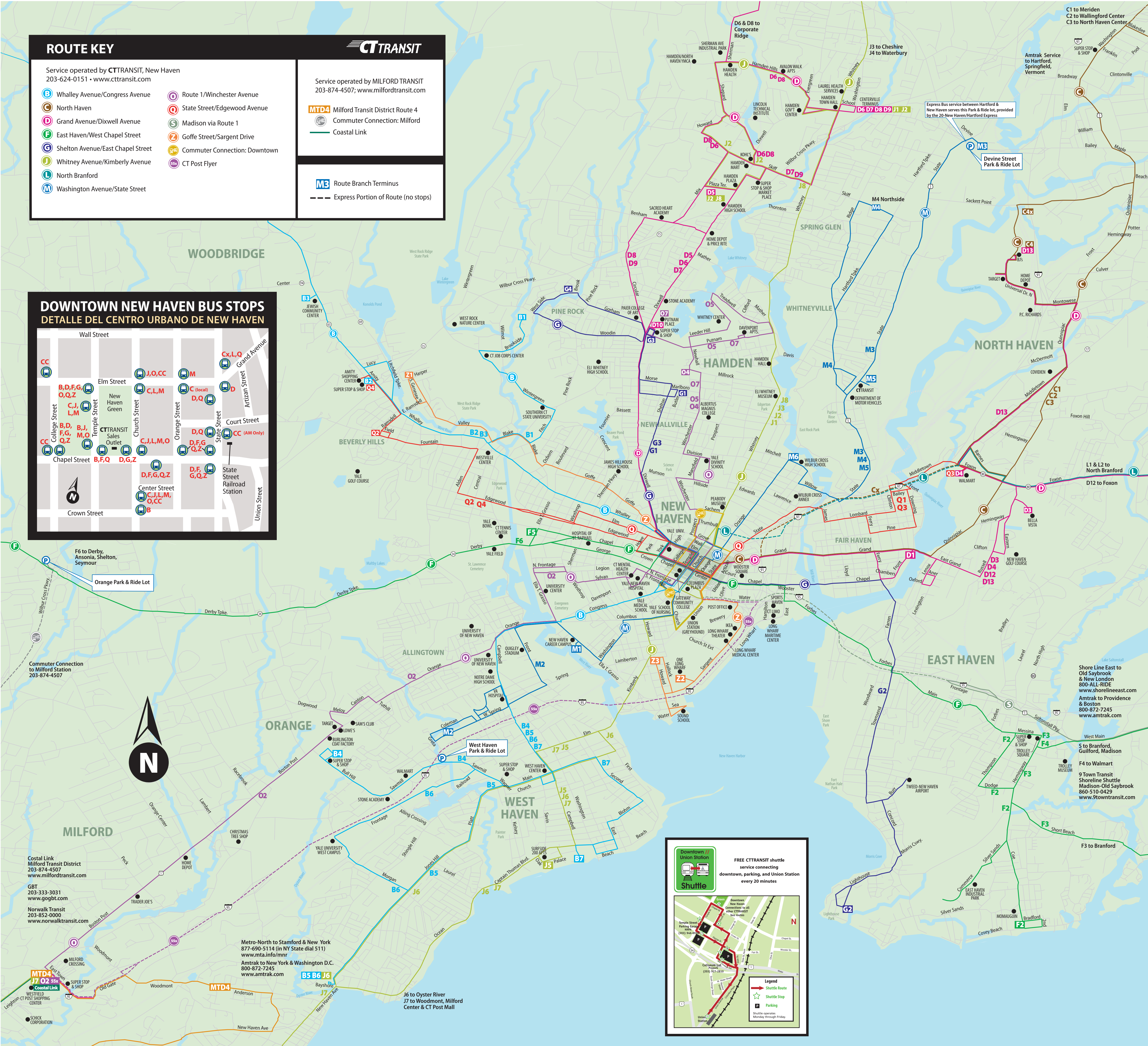
## **Exhibit B**

**EXHIBIT B**  
**PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION NEAR SITES THAT ACCEPT MEDICAID**

						COPY AND PASTE INTO BROWSER					
						Bus Schedule Links					
Category:	Service/Program Name	Medicaid/Medicare	Street Address	Distance From Foxon Urgent Care (in miles):	Bus Route Accessibility	Link 1	Link 2	Link 3	Link 4	link 5	Main Bus Schedule Link
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	428 Columbus Avenue New Haven, CT	6.5	Yes, the B, J5, J7, M1, and M2 bus stops are within about a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>			<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	226 Dixwell Avenue New Haven, CT	5.8	The D5, G3, and G4 buses stops are within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	911-913 State Street New haven, CT	4.5	The Q bus runs along State Street	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdyshed111.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdyshed111.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	ASAP Urgent Care	Yes for both	79 Washington Avenue North Haven, CT	6.5	The C1 bus stops within a block from of the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	ASAP Urgent Care	Yes for both	2165 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	8	The D5, and J bus stops are within a one block distance of the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Jwhitney_wkdyshed1211.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Jwhitney_wkdyshed1211.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	163 Universal Drive North Haven, CT	4.3	The C and D13 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Cgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Cgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	109 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	10.4	The B0, B4, and O bus stops are within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdyshed1181.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdyshed1181.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	636 Campbell Avenue West Haven, CT	8.7	The B4, B5, B7, J5, and J7 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	1700 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	7.2	The D5 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Yes for both	6 Business Park Drive Branford, CT	6.1	The S/S1 bus stop is within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdyshed1101.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdyshed1101.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Yes for both	236 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	10.9	the B4 and O2 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdyshed1181.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdyshed1181.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Express Care Urgent Care	Yes for both	1650 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	7.2	The D5 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	New haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	77 Grande Avenue New Haven, CT	3.4	The C1 and D13 bus stops are within a one block walking distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Dgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Dgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	162 Washington Avenue North Haven, CT	6.9	The C1 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	2045 Dixwell Hamden, CT	9.5	The D5 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdyshed1191.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	1057 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT	9.3	The S bus stop is within a block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdyshed1101.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdyshed1101.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	NEMG North Haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	6 Devine st. North Haven, CT	7	The M3 bus stop is on the address.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	NEMG North Haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	500 Elm St. West haven, CT	10.5	The B4 and B5 bus stop is on the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdyshed141.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Primary Care	Fair Haven Community Health Center	Yes for both	374 Grand Ave, New Haven, CT	4	The C1, D12, and D1 bus stops are within a one block radius of the address.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdyshed1221.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Dgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Dgrand_wkdyshed1151.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>



# NEW HAVEN METRO AREA BUS SYSTEM MAP

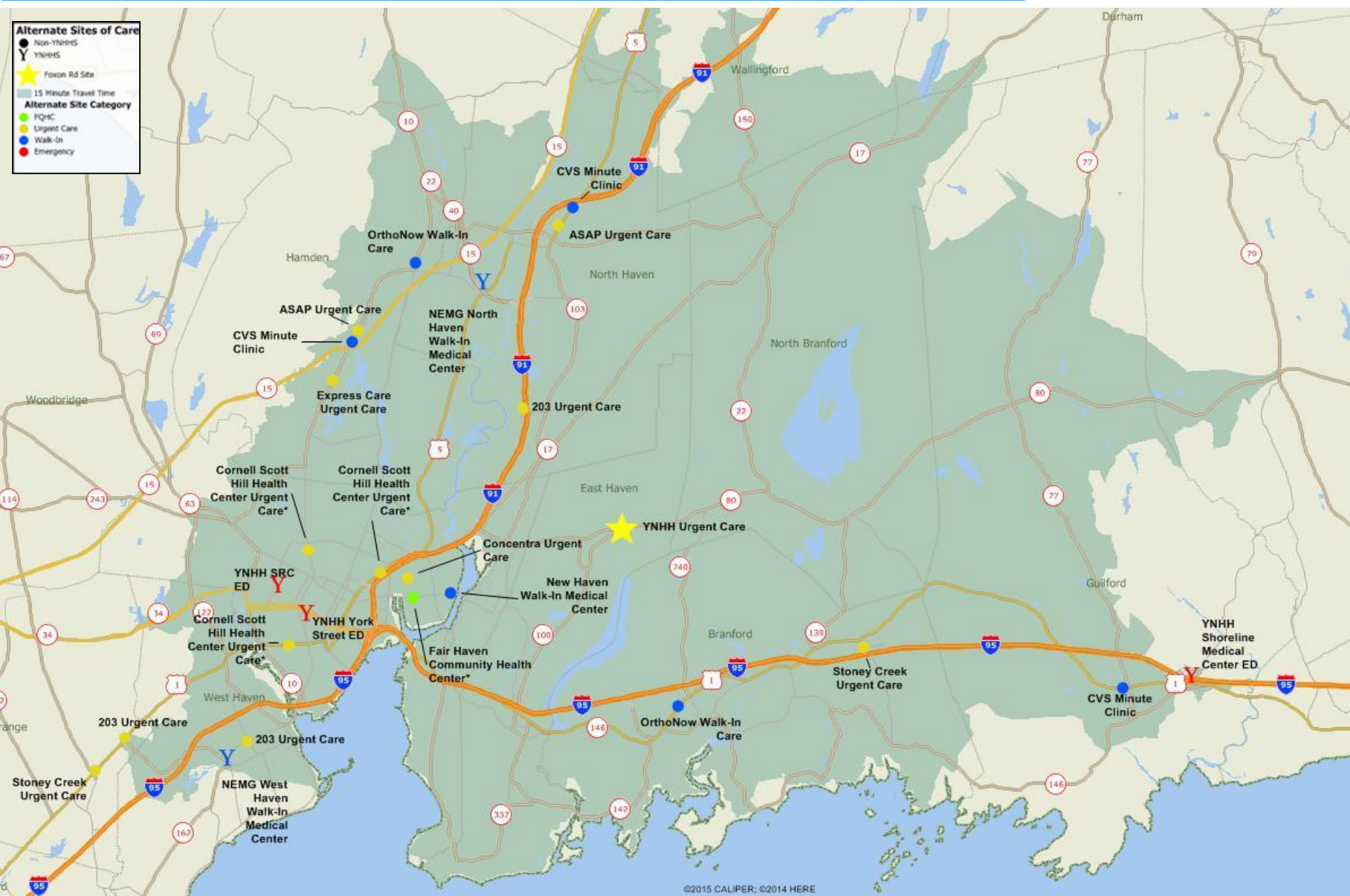




## **Exhibit C**



# MAP OF ALTERNATE LOCATIONS



## **Exhibit D**

# ASAP URGENT CARE

Date: August 3, 2015

Ms. Janet Brancifort  
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Office of Health Care Access  
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Hartford CT 06134

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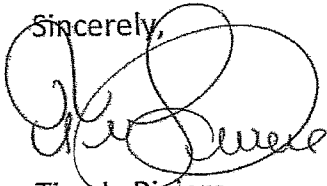
We understand that YNHH's North Haven, New Haven and West Haven sites will remain open for those who choose to continue to use Yale-New Haven Hospital for urgent care and occupational medicine services.

Our sites are on bus lines, have sufficient free parking and accepts all payers (except Medicaid D). We have ample capacity and the ability and willingness to accommodate any YNHH patients who are displaced by the closure of these

services. We welcome the additional volume and opportunity to serve the area residents.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tina LaRiviere', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Tina LaRiviere  
Chief Operating Officer  
ASAP Urgent Care  
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<b>HAMDEN</b>	1700 DIXWELL AVENUE
<b>NORTH HAVEN</b>	163 UNIVERSAL DRIVE NORTH
<b>NORWALK</b>	677 CONNECTICUT AVENUE
<b>ORANGE</b>	109 BOSTON POST ROAD
<b>STRATFORD</b>	200 EAST MAIN STREET
<b>WATERBURY</b>	279 CHASE AVENUE / 506 FROST ROAD
<b>WEST HAVEN</b>	636 CAMPBELL AVENUE

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We understand that YNHH's North Haven, New Haven and West Haven sites will remain open for those who choose to continue to use Yale-New Haven Hospital for urgent care and occupational medicine services.

My site is on a bus line, has sufficient free parking and accepts all payers. We have ample capacity and the ability and willingness to accommodate any YNHH patients who are displaced by the closure of these services. We welcome the additional volume and opportunity to serve the area residents.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

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JD Sidana  
203URGENT CARE

September 23, 2015



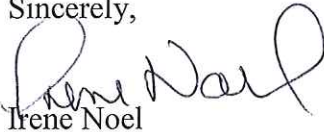
Kevin Hansted  
Hearing Officer  
CT Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access (OHCA)  
410 Capitol Avenue  
Hartford, CT 06134-0308

**RE: Certificate of Need Application, Docket Number 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon**

Dear Hearing Officer Hansted:

Attached please find Yale New Haven's pre-filed testimony in the above-referenced docket number, scheduled for a public hearing on Monday, September 28, 2015. Yale-New Haven Hospital also will have additional staff members present at the hearing to respond to any questions OHCA may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Irene Noel".

Irene Noel  
Administrative Assistant to  
Jennifer Willcox  
Deputy General Counsel  
Yale New Haven Health System

Originals to follow via Federal Express

**Yale New Haven Hospital**

**Termination of Yale New Haven Hospital Urgent Care  
at Foxon Road in East Haven, CT  
Docket Number 15-32011-CON**

**Pre-file Testimony of Christopher O'Connor  
Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer  
Yale-New Haven Health System**

Good Morning Hearing Officer Hansted and members of the Office of Health Care Access (OHCA) staff. My name is Christopher O'Connor and I am the Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of Yale New Haven Health System (YNHHS). I am joined here today by my colleague, Dr. Amit Rastogi, who currently serves as the Interim Chief Executive Officer at Northeast Medical Group (NEMG), the non-profit medical foundation affiliated with YNHHS. I would first like thank you for the opportunity to speak with you today about our Certificate of Need (CON) application to terminate urgent care services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (the "Center").

As requested, we are both prepared to present and discuss ongoing access to urgent care services in the Center's service area, and the level and type of services offered at the Center and the 21 other urgent care and walk-in sites nearby. As you may have noticed, we listed 20 alternate urgent care and walk-in sites in our CON application, but, since the time of its filing, another urgent care site opened in Hamden, which brings the total to 21. An updated copy of OHCA Table 9 is appended to my testimony in Exhibit A, which includes the new site in Hamden, and information about the services provided and level of care at each of these locations.

**Overview of the Center**

Yale-New Haven Hospital (YNHH) began offering urgent care services at the Center in East Haven in May of 2011. The site provides walk-in services for non-life threatening conditions and serves primarily residents of New Haven, East Haven, North Branford, and Branford. In fact, 40% of the urgent care visits at this site originate from New Haven where there are currently 5 other urgent care and walk-in providers. It is staffed by two NEMG physicians, and the level of care offered at the Center includes predominately low acuity conditions such as sinusitis, sore throat, and cough, which can be accommodated in alternate,



less costly, settings such as local walk-in clinics and appointment-based primary care offices. The professional services at the Center are provided by NEMG, which also operates walk-in centers in close proximity, in North Haven and West Haven. The Center offers basic radiology services and a blood draw. As of the end of August, the site was open 65 hours a week, but is now open Monday through Friday from 9am to 4pm. The hours have recently changed with one of the two full time physicians out under the Family Medical Leave Act.

As you may be aware, the Center also offers occupational health services, which we intend to consolidate into other YNHH sites, pending regulatory approval from OCHA. A public notice about this process has been posted and a separate CON will be forthcoming.

### **Context of Termination; Access to Care**

Our decision to terminate urgent care services at Foxon Road arose in the context of ongoing planning efforts at YNHH to assess potentially duplicative offerings in nearby communities that may lead to inefficiencies and increased cost, while assuring that clinical programs are appropriately located within the Hospital's service area. This process began in earnest after YNHH acquired the Hospital of Saint Raphael in 2012 and administrative leadership undertook clinical and cultural integration, which included examining the existing ambulatory network of both hospitals as well as that of other providers in the local area. In addition, given the recent imposition of State tax increases and budget cuts, and declining reimbursements, YNHH has experienced additional financial pressures to right-size and re-examine its current service offerings.

Within this context, and as noted in the CON, the Center at Foxon was identified as an under-performing site in a geographic area that has become increasingly saturated with urgent care and walk-in clinics. As mentioned earlier, there are two walk-in sites operated by NEMG nearby, one in North Haven and one in West Haven (7.5 miles and 10 miles from the Center, respectively). NEMG also has several primary care offices in the vicinity which offer appointment-based visits for low-acuity patients. Outside of YNHH, there are 13 urgent care centers (three of which are operated by a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)), 2 orthopedic walk-in clinics, 1 privately operated walk-in clinic, and 3 CVS minute clinics, all within 10 miles or less of the Center in East Haven. Moreover, there is also a primary care oriented FQHC located 4 miles from the Center in New Haven.

As mentioned previously, Exhibit A lists the location of each of these sites and their distance from the Center. All of the YNHHS sites accept both Medicare and Medicaid, and all but 3 of the urgent care and walk-in sites not affiliated with YNHHS also accept Medicare and Medicaid. These sites are also accessible via public transportation. We have attached a list of public transit options in Exhibit B to show the accessibility of many of these alternate locations.

Importantly, nearly half of these sites became operational after the Center opened in May of 2011, and one has actually opened after we filed this CON application. Thus, when examining the need for urgent care in the region, it seems quite apparent that there is extensive patient choice, and that closing the Center will not result in a reduction of access to services. Moreover, this proposal will enable YNHH and NEMG to re-allocate personnel to other needed settings within the health system, and is beneficial financially to patients because the alternate NEMG and non-YNHHS sites do not charge facility fees.

For your convenience, we have attached as Exhibit C a map of the existing providers in the market along with a boundary that shows the 15 minute drive time from the Center in East Haven. This map demonstrates that almost every alternative provider we have listed here is within a 15 minute drive time drive, and as previously mentioned, these sites are accessible via public transportation. My colleague Dr. Rastogi will provide more detail about the various types and levels of services offered by these alternate providers which, as he will explain, can accommodate the patients currently seen in East Haven.

Finally, I would also like to bring to your attention two letters of support from local urgent care providers in the area attached to this testimony in Exhibit D. These entities combined operate 6 local urgent care sites, two of which are only 5 miles from East Haven. Most importantly, both letters extend support for this project as these providers have ample capacity, accept governmental payers, including Medicaid, and have the ability to accommodate any patients who might be displaced by closing the Center in East Haven.

### **Summary**

In conclusion, since the Center opened in 2011, YNHH has seen a proliferation of urgent care and walk-in centers near its Center in East Haven, and as we examined our ambulatory network in the local area, the most cost-efficient option was to eliminate this duplicative service. NEMG, our sister organization, operates two sites 7 and 10 miles from the Center in East Haven,

in North Haven and West Haven, respectively, that offer virtually identical services. These sites do not charge a facility fee, they accept all payers, and are accessible via public transportation. Moreover, there are 19 other urgent care and walk-in centers within 10 miles (or a 15 minute drive time) from the Center. Consistent with our strategy and the State Health Plan to focus on cost-efficient regionalization of services, the termination of urgent care services at the Center will not impact access to care while several alternative options exist in the local area for similar services. Finally, given the challenging environment in Connecticut, YNHH has had to re-examine the services it is able to offer in the region, in light of declining reimbursement, budget cuts, and additional taxes with a total burden of over \$135M.

Thank you for your time today, and we would be happy to answer any questions. We urge you to approve this CON application. I would now like to introduce Dr. Amit Rastogi.

The foregoing is my sworn testimony.



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Christopher O'Connor  
Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer  
Yale New Haven Health System

**Yale New Haven Hospital**

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**Pre-file Testimony of Amit Rastogi, M.D.  
Interim Chief Executive Officer of Northeast Medical Group**

Hearing Officer Hansted and members of the Office of Health Care Access (OHCA) staff, thank you for the opportunity to speak with you today about this important Certificate of Need (CON) application to terminate urgent care services at Foxon Road in East Haven. My name is Dr. Amit Rastogi. I am a primary care physician and the Interim Chief Executive Officer of Northeast Medical Group (NEMG), the nonprofit medical foundation affiliated with Yale-New Haven Health System (YNHHS). I am here before you today because NEMG provides the professional services at the Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (the “Center”), and also offers various primary care and walk-in services in the immediate vicinity of the Center. I am also here to discuss the different types and levels of care offered at the Center and other local alternatives in the region.

**Overview of NEMG Locations**

NEMG was founded in 2010 and is now a multispecialty physician group with more than 100 practice locations and 600 medical experts, including top primary care physicians and specialists in Fairfield and New Haven counties, as well as New York’s Westchester County. NEMG physicians are linked via the EPIC electronic medical record, which includes innovative features that allows convenient patient access to test results and appointment information. Access to care is particularly important to NEMG: we operate a 24/7 toll-free physician referral center, accept all payers, and every day an increasing number of physicians offer patients the ability to easily schedule appointments via an online application, some with same-day appointments. NEMG is also committed to improving the coordination and cost-efficiency of care with 10 sites recognized by the National Committee for Quality Assurance as Level 3 Medical Homes, and was selected to participate in the Medicare Shared Savings Program as an Accountable Care Organization.



I provide this background to make it clear that NEMG has a robust network of physicians and clinical providers in the region who deliver high value, cost-effective care, including sites within the immediate area served by the Center in East Haven. In fact, NEMG operates two walk-in sites within approximately 10 miles of the Center which provide virtually the same exact services. Both sites have capacity, free parking, and are accessible via public transportation. In addition, there are several NEMG primary care practice locations in the same area. As noted by my colleague, outside of the YNHHS network, there are 19 other urgent care are walk-in centers nearby to the Center within approximately 10 miles.

### **Types and Levels of Care at Alternate Sites**

As requested by OHCA, I would like to take a moment to explain the difference between urgent care and walk-in settings. These terms are often used interchangeably and differences, in many cases, are purely semantic. Anecdotally, a walk-in center typically offers treatment for common non-life threatening injuries and infections such as sprains, pink eye and sore throat. The emphasis is on convenience and they do not accept appointments. Instead of a physician, one may be treated by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner. An urgent care center, on the other hand, is like a walk-in center, but often with enhanced capabilities. They are usually staffed by a physician and they may treat more serious non-life threatening injuries and illnesses compared to a walk-in setting.

However, as noted in the 2014 Supplement to the Statewide Facilities and Services Plan, there is not a single licensure category for the urgent care setting or a statutory definition for this term. They can be licensed as outpatient clinics, as a satellite to a general hospital, or, like the vast majority in Connecticut, under a physician's license. As such, it remains difficult to fully inventory, categorize or discuss this level of service in Connecticut.

Nevertheless, in the case of the urgent care services offered in East Haven, and the walk-in services offered in North Haven and West Haven, the differences are fairly minimal. All of the sites are staffed by physicians and in fact, the same physicians may work at more than one site, if needed. Both sites are open similar hours, and from the physician standpoint, I believe there is little difference in the quality or type of care provided at the North Haven and West Haven sites compared to the Center in East Haven – both of which are staffed by NEMG physicians, and both of which offer ancillary services on site such as blood draw and basic

radiology. Please see Exhibit A which provides OCHA Table 9 with a list of alternate locations, as well as the level and type of services offered in the service area. This table shows that all 13 of the alternate urgent care sites outside of the YNHHS network are staffed by physicians and offer basic radiology (x-ray) and blood draw services, and 12 out of the 13 accept Medicaid.

I think it is also important to examine the types of conditions treated at each of these sites when discussing the type and level of care provided at the Center. Importantly, a large portion of the conditions treated at our Center in East Haven are low acuity, such as sore throat, cough, sinusitis and upper respiratory tract infections. The low acuity of these visits can best be seen in an alternate walk-in or primary care setting, such as the two NEMG sites not far from the East Haven location, or any of the numerous appointment-based NEMG offices in the area. These alternative sites offer access to care, and enhanced coordination in a primary care practice, as opposed to the episodic nature of urgent care, along with the benefits of the EPIC integrated electronic medical record. By doing so, our proposal help address this fragmentation of care resulting from the proliferation of urgent care sites, as discussed in the 2014 Supplement to the Statewide Facilities and Services Plan.

With OHCA's approval to terminate urgent care services at the Center, all patients will be provided information about alternate sites of service, including local primary care physicians, who may be the most clinically appropriate and cost-effective provider to manage and coordinate care for the low acuity patients. With this proposal, we intend to reduce a duplicative service in the area, while coordinating access at our existing NEMG sites, which may potentially increase accessibility with a consistent primary care provider. Patients, of course, will be free to seek services with any provider they choose, and I understand that several of the providers in the area have capacity and have indicated a willingness to accept patients who currently visits the Center.

### **Summary**

In conclusion, YNHHS and NEMG are committed to providing accessible, appropriate and affordable care at walk-in sites and primary care setting throughout the service area. A significant number of the urgent care patients at Center in East Haven seek care for issues that can be appropriately provided in a more cost-effective setting. I appreciate the opportunity to testify before you today and would happy to answer any questions. Thank you for your time and attention to this CON application.

The foregoing is my sworn testimony.



**Amit Rastogi, M.D.**

**Interim Chief Executive Officer**

**Northeast Medical Group**

## **Exhibit A**



**UPDATED TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Alternate Sites of Service -- <i>Within Yale-New Haven Health System</i>											
Count	Category	Service or Program Name	Population Served	Type of Service	Services Provided	Staffing	Facility ID	Street Address and Town	Hours/Days of Operation	Current Utilization	Distance from Foxon Urgent Care
1	WALK-IN	NEMG North Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in, Urgent care X-ray; Blood Draw	MD	1043278351	6 Devine St. North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	7 miles
2		NEMG West Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in, Urgent care X-ray; Blood Draw	MD	1043278351	500 Elm St. West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat. (8am - Noon)	~6,000 visits per year	10.5 miles
3	EMERGENCY	YNHH York Street Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	20 York Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~90,000 visits per year in the adult ED, and 34,000 visits per year in pediatric ED	6.4 miles
4		YNHH Saint Raphael Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	1450 Chapel Street New Haven, CT	24/7	~50,000 visits per year	7.4 miles
5		YNHH Shoreline Medical Center Emergency Department	Commercially Insured, Medicare, Medicaid Children and Adults	Emergency care.	Emergency; X-ray; Blood Draw, other diagnostic testing.	MD	1851568828	111 Goose Lane Guilford, CT	24/7	~19,000 visits per year	10.3 miles

NEMG also operates several primary care practices in the area, with well over 35 primary care physicians within 10 miles for the Foxon Urgent Care Center.

See the next page for alternate sites of service outside of Yale-New Haven Health System.

**UPDATED TABLE 9**  
**SERVICES AND SERVICE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Alternate Sites of Service -- <i>Outside of Yale-New Haven Health System</i>											
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1	URGENT CARE	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	425 Columbus Avenue New Haven, CT	M, Tues, Thur. (8:30am - 8pm) Wed, Fri. (8:30am - 5pm) Sat. (8:30am - 12pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
2		Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	226 Dinwiddie Avenue New Haven, CT	Mon, Wed. (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thurs. (8:30am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	5.8 miles
3		Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Walk-in Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	911-913 State Street New Haven, CT	Mon, Thur, Fri. (8:30am - 4pm) Tues, Wed. (1pm - 7pm)	Proprietary.	4.5 miles
4		ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	79 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (11am - 7pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	6.5 miles
5		ASAP Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	2165 Dinwiddie Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	8 miles
6		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	163 Universal Drive North Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sun (8am - 6pm)	Sat Proprietary.	4.3 miles
7		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	109 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (8am - 6pm)	Proprietary.	10.4 miles
8		203 Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	636 Campbell Avenue West Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (10am - 4pm)	Proprietary.	8.7 miles
9		203 Urgent Care**	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; Blood draw	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	1700 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	M-F (8am - 8pm) Sat-Sun (10am - 4pm)	Proprietary.	7.2 miles
10		Stony Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; blood draw, Diagnostic Testing	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	6 Business Park Drive Branford, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 4:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.1 miles
11		Stony Creek Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; blood draw, Diagnostic Testing	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	236 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	M-F (8am - 7:30pm) Sat-Sun (9am - 2:30pm)	Proprietary.	10.9 miles
12		Express Care Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Urgent care.	Urgent care adult and pediatric; X-ray; On-site Lab Services	MD/Physician Assistants	N/A	1650 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	7 days a week (8am - 8pm)	Proprietary.	7.2 miles
13		Concentra Urgent Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Urgent care.	Urgent care; X-ray; Blood Draw	MD/Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	370 James Street New Haven, CT	M-F (8am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4 miles
14	WALK-IN	OrthoNow Walk-In Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	Urgent orthopedic care adult and pediatric; X-ray; MRI	Physician Assistant	N/A	2408 Whitney Avenue Hamden, CT	M-F (3pm - 8pm) Sat. (9am - 5pm) Sun (8am - Noon)	Proprietary.	9.6 miles
15		OrthoNow Walk-In Care	Commercially insured, Medicare, children and adults. No Medicaid.	Walk-in, orthopedics only.	Urgent orthopedic care adult and pediatric; X-ray; MRI	Physician Assistant	N/A	84 North Main Street Branford, CT	M-F (3pm - 8pm) Sat. (9am - 5pm) Sun (1pm - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.6 miles
16		New Haven Walk-In Medical Center	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Walk-in services. No x-ray.	MD	N/A	77 Grand Avenue New Haven, CT	M-F (9am - 5pm) Sat. (9am - Noon)	Proprietary.	3.4 miles
17		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	162 Washington Ave North Haven, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	6.9 miles
18		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	2045 Dinwiddie Ave Hamden, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.5 miles
19		CVS Minute Clinic	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Walk-in.	Urgent visits for minor injuries and illnesses; X-ray is not available at Minute Clinic.	Physician Assistants/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	1057 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT	M-F (8:30am - 7:30pm) Sat. (9am - 5:30pm) Sun. (10am - 5:30pm)	Proprietary.	9.3 miles
20	PRIMARY CARE	Fair Haven Community Health Center*	Commercially insured, Medicare, Medicaid children and adults	Primary care.	Primary care for injury, illness, or well visits: adult, geriatric and pediatric	MD/Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	N/A	374 Grand Avenue New Haven, CT	M, W (8:30am - 5pm) Tues, Thur. (8:30am - 7pm) Fri. (9:30am - 5pm)	Proprietary.	4.0 miles

\*Sites operated by Federally Qualified Health Centers.

\*\*Opened in summer of 2015

## **Exhibit B**

**EXHIBIT B**  
**PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION NEAR SITES THAT ACCEPT MEDICAID**

						COPY AND PASTE INTO BROWSER					
						Bus Schedule Links					
Category:	Service/Program Name	Medicaid/Medicare	Street Address	Distance From Foxon Urgent Care (in miles):	Bus Route Accessibility	Link 1	Link 2	Link 3	Link 4	link 5	Main Bus Schedule Link
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	428 Columbus Avenue New Haven, CT	6.5	Yes, the B, J5, J7, M1, and M2 bus stops are within about a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdysched141.pdf</a>			<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	226 Dixwell Avenue New Haven, CT	5.8	The D5, G3, and G4 buses stops are within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdysched141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1391.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1391.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care	Yes for both	911-913 State Street New haven, CT	4.5	The Q bus runs along State Street	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdysched1111.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Q_wkdysched1111.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	ASAP Urgent Care	Yes for both	79 Washington Avenue North Haven, CT	6.5	The C1 bus stops within a block from of the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	ASAP Urgent Care	Yes for both	2165 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	8	The D5, and J bus stops are within a one block distance of the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Jhwhitney_wkdysched1211.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Jhwhitney_wkdysched1211.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	163 Universal Drive North Haven, CT	4.3	The C and D13 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Cgrand_wkdysched1151.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Cgrand_wkdysched1151.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	109 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	10.4	The B0, B4, and O bus stops are within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdysched1181.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdysched1181.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	636 Campbell Avenue West Haven, CT	8.7	The B4, B5, B7, J5, and J7 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_JkImberly_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	203 Urgent Care	Yes for both	1700 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT	7.2	The D5 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1391.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1391.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Yes for both	6 Business Park Drive Branford, CT	6.1	The S/S1 bus stop is within a one block distance.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdysched1101.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdysched1101.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Urgent Care	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Yes for both	236 Boston Post Road Orange, CT	10.9	the B4 and O2 bus stops are within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdysched1181.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Oroute1_wkdysched1181.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
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Walk-in	New haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	77 Grande Avenue New Haven, CT	3.4	The C1 and D13 bus stops are within a one block walking distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	162 Washington Avenue North Haven, CT	6.9	The C1 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	2045 Dixwell Hamden, CT	9.5	The D5 bus stop is within a one block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	CVS Minute Clinic	Yes for both	1057 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT	9.3	The S bus stop is within a block distance	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdysched1101.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_S_wkdysched1101.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	NEMG North Haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	6 Devine st. North Haven, CT	7	The M3 bus stop is on the address.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdysched1141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_M_wkdysched1141.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Walk-in	NEMG North Haven Walk-in Medical Center	Yes for both	500 Elm St. West haven, CT	10.5	The B4 and B5 bus stop is on the address	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Bcongress_wkdysched141.pdf</a>					<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>
Primary Care	Fair Haven Community Health Center	Yes for both	374 Grand Ave, New Haven, CT	4	The C1, D12, and D1 bus stops are within a one block radius of the address.	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_C_wkdysched1221.pdf</a>	<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf">http://www.cttransit.com/Uploads_Schedules/nh_Ddixwell_wkdysched1191.pdf</a>				<a href="http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC">http://www.cttransit.com/RoutesSchedules/Display.asp?DivID=12F26F128-0002-4B72-87E2-4F47AF926BDC</a>

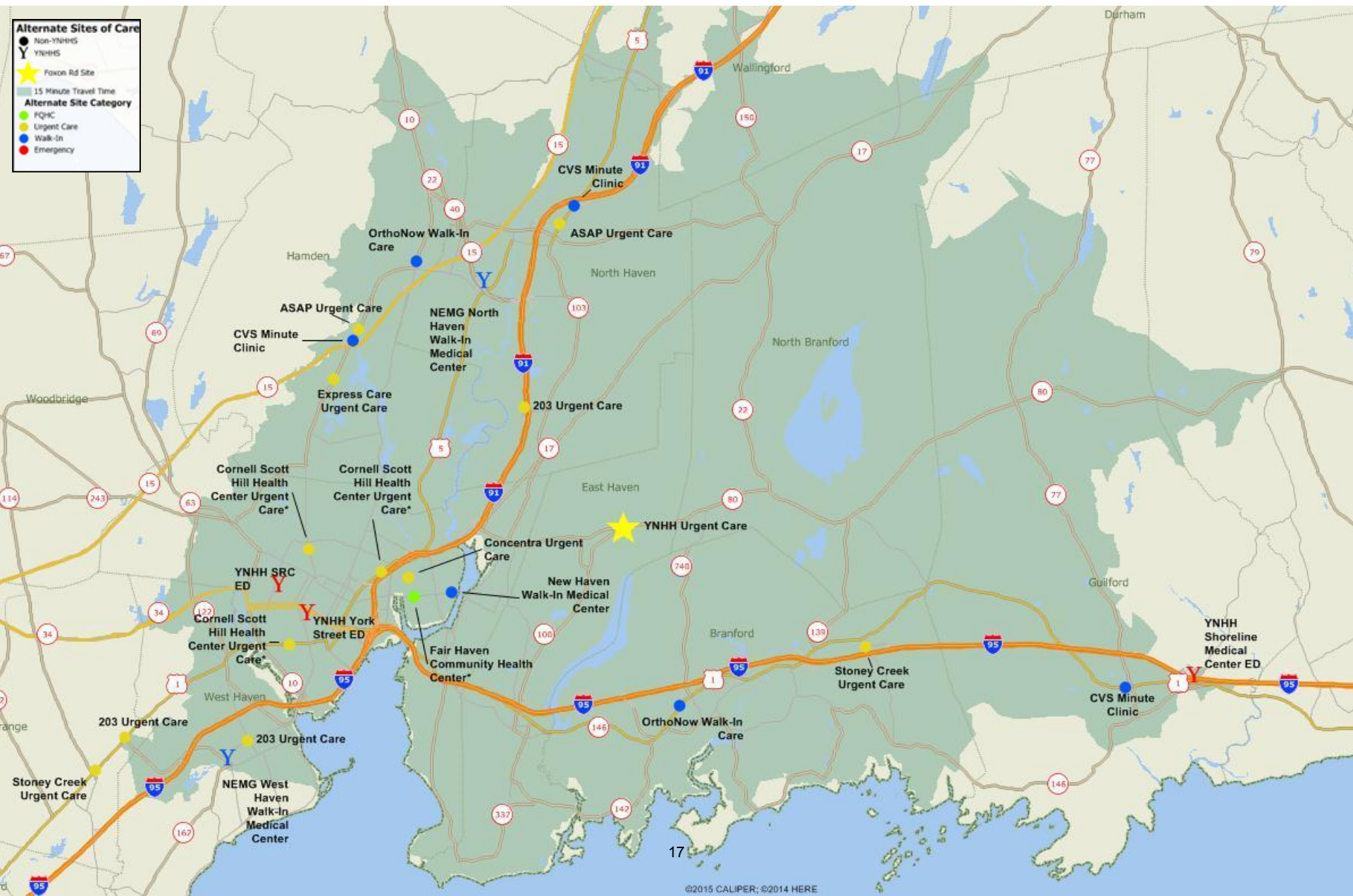






## **Exhibit C**

# MAP OF ALTERNATE LOCATIONS



## **Exhibit D**



# ASAP URGENT CARE

Date: August 3, 2015

Ms. Janet Brancifort  
Deputy Commissioner  
Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access  
410 Capitol Avenue, MS#13HCA  
PO Box 340308  
Hartford CT 06134

Dear Deputy Commissioner Brancifort:

I am writing to express my support for Yale-New Haven Hospital's (YNHH) Certificate of Need (CON) Application to terminate its urgent care center located at 317 Foxon Road, East Haven, CT and its occupational medicine services located at 317 Foxon Road, East Haven and 84 Main Street, Branford, Connecticut. Since YNHH opened its urgent care and occupational medicine sites (one opened as part of the Hospital of Saint Raphael), there has been a doubling of the number of similar sites within a ten mile radius. Most of the urgent care centers, such as mine, handle occupational medicine injuries as well as non-occupational medicine walk in patients. The area's citizens and employers will be well served and will continue to have access and choice among alternate quality providers in the area.

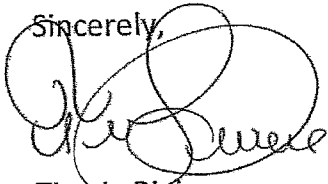
We understand that YNHH's North Haven, New Haven and West Haven sites will remain open for those who choose to continue to use Yale-New Haven Hospital for urgent care and occupational medicine services.

Our sites are on bus lines, have sufficient free parking and accepts all payers (except Medicaid D). We have ample capacity and the ability and willingness to accommodate any YNHH patients who are displaced by the closure of these

services. We welcome the additional volume and opportunity to serve the area residents.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

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Tina LaRiviere  
Chief Operating Officer  
ASAP Urgent Care  
tlariviere@asap-urgentcare.com



<b>HAMDEN</b>	1700 DIXWELL AVENUE
<b>NORTH HAVEN</b>	163 UNIVERSAL DRIVE NORTH
<b>NORWALK</b>	677 CONNECTICUT AVENUE
<b>ORANGE</b>	109 BOSTON POST ROAD
<b>STRATFORD</b>	200 EAST MAIN STREET
<b>WATERBURY</b>	279 CHASE AVENUE / 506 FROST ROAD
<b>WEST HAVEN</b>	636 CAMPBELL AVENUE

Date 8/6/2015

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JD Sidana  
203URGENT CARE



**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
OFFICE OF HEALTH CARE ACCESS DIVISION**

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IN RE: TERMINATION OF YALE-NEW  
HAVEN HOSPITAL URGENT CARE AT  
FOXON ROAD IN EAST HAVEN  
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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

In accordance with Section 19a-9-28 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, please enter the appearance of Updike, Kelly & Spellacy, P.C. ("Firm") in the above-captioned proceeding on behalf of Yale-New Haven Hospital ("YNHH"). The Firm will appear and represent YNHH at the public hearing on this matter, scheduled for September 28, 2015.

Respectfully Submitted,

YALE-NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL

By: Jennifer Groves Fusco /s/

JENNIFER GROVES FUSCO, ESQ.  
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STATE OF CONNECTICUT

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH : DOCKET NO. 15-32011-CON  
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IN RE TERMINATION OF YALE-NEW HAVEN : SEPTEMBER 25, 2015  
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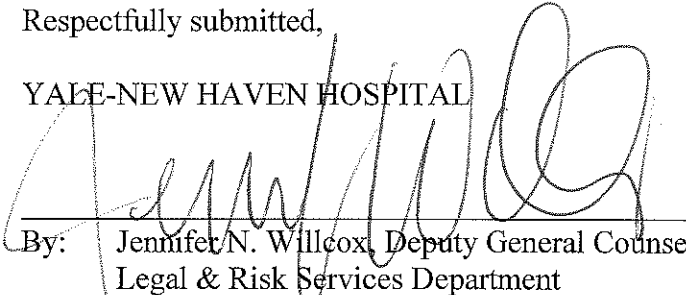
**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

Please enter the appearance of Jennifer Willcox, of the Yale New Haven Health System Legal & Risk Services Department, on behalf of Yale-New Haven Hospital.

I intend to attend the hearing on Monday, September 28, 2015 on behalf of my client.

Respectfully submitted,

YALE-NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL



By: Jennifer N. Willcox, Deputy General Counsel  
Legal & Risk Services Department  
Yale New Haven Health System  
789 Howard Avenue  
New Haven, CT 06511  
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Its Attorney



**State of Connecticut**  
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HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06106-1591

September 28, 2015

Jewel Mullen, MD, MPH, MPA  
Commissioner  
Department of Public Health  
410 Capitol Avenue  
Hartford, CT 06134

Ms. Kimberly Martone  
Director of Operations  
Office of Health Care Access  
410 Capitol Avenue  
MS#13HCA  
P.O. Box 340308  
Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Commissioner Mullen and Ms. Martone:

Thank you for the opportunity to offer testimony on the Certificate of Need (CON) application for the termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital's (YNHH) urgent care facility on Foxon Road in East Haven.

As elected officials representing the citizens of East Haven, we are gravely concerned about the impact of the closure of this facility on our community. This facility provides urgent care, occupational health, and radiology services to residents of East Haven and surrounding municipalities.

In addition to the impact on residents, closing this facility will directly affect the government of the Town of East Haven, as this site provides services the Town relies on for physical examinations, drug screenings, and worker's compensation for its employees.

YNHH opened the East Haven facility just four years ago, and since then annual visits have risen by nearly 45%. Just over half of the facility's visits are from those on government assistance, including 37% of visits from Medicaid patients. The two facilities that the CON application recommends patients use should the application be approved, the North Haven and West Haven facilities, both have utilization that is *below* that of the East Haven facility. There is a clear need to maintain service at the East Haven location.


Jewel Mullen, MD, MPH, MPA  
Ms. Kimberly Martone  
September 28, 2015  
Page 2

We also question YNHH's need for savings in light of the need for service at this location. While the savings are expected to be \$1 million between the proposed closures of the East Haven and Branford facilities, YNHH made \$240 million in profits in 2013 alone. Again, we question whether cuts to services are warranted in that context.

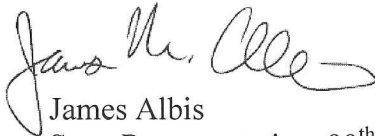
In the event that the CON application is approved, we respectfully ask that YNHH allow any other urgent care provider the right to open a facility at this location or any other area location without objection.

We urge the Office of Health Care Access to deny YNHH's CON application.

Sincerely,



Len Fasano  
Senate Minority Leader, 34<sup>th</sup> District



James Albis  
State Representative, 99<sup>th</sup> District

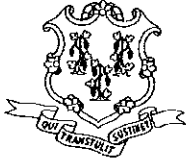


Roland Lemar  
State Representative, 96<sup>th</sup> District



Joseph Maturo, Jr.  
Mayor, East Haven





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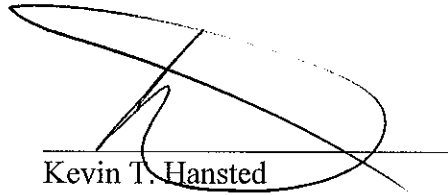
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**ORDER REGARDING LATE FILE**

On September 28, 2015, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") held a hearing in the above-referenced matter. At the hearing, Yale-New Haven Hospital was ordered to submit late file number 1 by October 2, 2015. The late file due date is hereby extended to October 9, 2015.

9/29/15  
Date

  
Kevin T. Hansted  
Hearing Officer

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Applicants: Yale-New Haven Hospital

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# Elected Public Officials

Yale-New Haven Hospital

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PRINT NAME	Phone	Fax	Representing Organization
Roland Lema	203 240 8135		State Representative





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Joe Mastro			Mayor

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Peter McManus	sr/s
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11 HEARING OFFICER KEVIN HANSTED: Good  
12 afternoon, everyone. We're going to get started here.  
13 Thank you all for attending.

14 This public hearing before the Office of  
15 Health Care Access, identified by Docket No. 15-32011-  
16 CON, is being held on September 28, 2015 to consider  
17 Yale-New Haven Hospital's application for the termination  
18 of Yale-New Haven Hospital's Urgent Care at Foxon.

19 This public hearing is being held pursuant  
20 to Connecticut General Statutes, Section 19a-639a, and  
21 will be conducted as a contested case, in accordance with  
22 the provisions of Chapter 54 of the Connecticut General  
23 Statutes.

24 My name is Kevin Hansted, and I have been



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1 designated by Commissioner Jewel Mullen of the Department  
2 of Public Health to act as the Hearing Officer this  
3 evening.

4 The staff members assigned to assist me  
5 this evening are Karen Roberts and Steven Lazarus. The  
6 hearing is being recorded by Post Reporting Services.

7 In making its decision, OHCA will consider  
8 and make written findings concerning the principles and  
9 guidelines set forth in Section 19a-639 of the  
10 Connecticut General Statutes.

11 Yale-New Haven Hospital has been  
12 designated as a party in this proceeding.

13 At this time, I will ask staff to read  
14 into the record those documents already appearing in the  
15 Table of the Record in this matter.

16 All documents have been identified in the  
17 Table for reference purposes. Mr. Lazarus?

18 MR. STEVEN LAZARUS: Good afternoon.  
19 Steven Lazarus. OHCA would like to enter into the record  
20 Exhibits A through J.

21 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Thank you. And,  
22 counsel, are there any objections?

23 MS. JENNIFER WILLCOX: What are I and J?

24 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Would you like a

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1 copy?

2 MS. WILLCOX: I just see H. Oh, okay.  
3 That's the updated one. Okay. Yes, no objection. Thank  
4 you. I appreciate that.

5 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: No objection,  
6 counsel?

7 MS. JENNIFER GROVES FUSCO: No objection.

8 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay, thank you.  
9 This evening, what we will do is first hear from the  
10 Applicant for an overview of the application, and then I  
11 understand we have some elected officials present, so we  
12 will hear from them for a comment on the project, and  
13 then we will go to the public portion of this evening's  
14 hearing.

15 At this time, I would ask all individuals,  
16 who are going to testify, to please stand, raise your  
17 right hand, and be sworn in by the court reporter.

18 (Whereupon, the parties were duly sworn  
19 in.)

20 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: And just two  
21 reminders for those folks who are testifying. Number  
22 one, please state your name for the record before you  
23 begin to testify, and, number two, please adopt your pre-  
24 filed testimony for the record before you testify. Thank

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1       you, all.

2                       At this time, you may proceed.

3                       MR. CHRIS O'CONNOR: Good afternoon,  
4       Hearing Officer Hansted and the OHCA staff. My name is  
5       Chris O'Connor. I'm the Executive Vice President and  
6       Chief Operating Officer of Yale-New Haven Health System,  
7       and I do ask to admit my, to adopt my pre-filed  
8       testimony.

9                       With me today is my colleague, Dr. Amit  
10      Rastogi, who is the interim Chief Executive Officer of  
11      Northeast Medical Group. Northeast Medical Group is the  
12      medical foundation affiliated with the Yale-New Haven  
13      Health system.

14                      We are pleased to have the opportunity to  
15      speak with you today regarding our Certificate of Need  
16      application to terminate urgent care services at Yale-New  
17      Haven Hospital Urgent Care on Foxon Road.

18                      My pre-filed testimony lays out the  
19      background and context for our decision to terminate  
20      these services at the Foxon Road location, and, as OHCA  
21      is aware, we are also filing separate Certificate of  
22      Needs to terminate occupational health and rehabilitation  
23      services at this and another location.

24                      The major financial challenges faced by

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1 Yale-New Haven Health System and Yale-New Haven Hospital,  
2 as well as other acute care hospitals, is significant  
3 motivating factor in our efforts to eliminate duplication  
4 and provide the highest value care, but I know this  
5 change is not easy for our patients and members of the  
6 public, who certainly appreciate having the Yale-New  
7 Haven Hospital urgent care facility right in their  
8 neighborhood.

9 I want to assure OHCA, the patients and  
10 public officials, who are here today, that Yale-New Haven  
11 Hospital would not have planned for this termination if  
12 we did not feel that our patients would have adequate  
13 access to quality health care services at other  
14 providers.

15 We also are taking steps to minimize the  
16 impact of this change on staff by reappointing staff to  
17 similar positions within the Yale-New Haven Hospital and  
18 health system and are currently working to identify  
19 vacant positions that many are appropriate for, and it's  
20 our intention that all effected staff will be offered  
21 jobs, although our work is not yet complete.

22 As noted in my pre-filed testimony, the  
23 number of urgent care and walk-in providers in the area  
24 has more than doubled since we opened the urgent care



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1 facility at Foxon Road, and many of these providers have  
2 ample capacity.

3 Attached to my pre-filed testimony is an  
4 updated table of Table 9, showing that there are 24 sites  
5 emergency urgent care walk-in providers located within  
6 approximately a 15-minute drive from the Foxon Road  
7 location.

8 Many of these providers offer more cost-  
9 effective alternatives for many patients with low acuity  
10 conditions.

11 I also want to clarify some misconceptions  
12 that were included in a letter submitted by members of  
13 the East Haven legislative delegation and the Mayor.

14 First, occupational health services are  
15 subject to a separate CON proceeding in front of OHCA,  
16 and, when the CON is filed, we will discuss the various  
17 alternative resources that will be available to the Town  
18 of East Haven for its employees.

19 Second, although Yale-New Haven Hospital  
20 did not have an excess revenue over expenses in -- did  
21 have an excess of revenue over expenses in the last  
22 fiscal year, every additional dollar is reinvested in  
23 maintaining and updating our physical plant, acquisition  
24 of new technology, such as the Epic electronic record,

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1 and implementing strategies designed to insure that Yale-  
2 New Haven Hospital remains a destination hospital for  
3 many critically-needed specialty services.

4 I would also note that the margin of  
5 revenues over expenses for Yale-New Haven Hospital likely  
6 will be significantly smaller in the next fiscal year as  
7 we respond to the massive reductions and cuts imposed by  
8 the State.

9 In summary, the closure of the urgent care  
10 at Foxon Road is one piece of the Yale-New Haven health  
11 system and is necessary to adapt to the changing health  
12 care environment, reduce costs and eliminate duplication  
13 while preserving our access to care.

14 The recent budget rescissions announced  
15 within the last week make this case for closure all the  
16 more pressing, as Yale-New Haven health system must find  
17 additional ways to absorb the \$50 million of additional  
18 cuts of Medicare funding over the next fiscal year, after  
19 the imposition of nearly \$50 million in cuts and  
20 additional taxes from just four months ago.

21 We have carefully structured this proposal  
22 to meet the needs of Yale-New Haven Hospital over the  
23 long-term, and I urge you to approve this CON  
24 application.

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1 Thank you for your careful attention  
2 today, and I'd now like to introduce Dr. Amit Rastogi.

3 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Thank you, Mr.  
4 O'Connor.

5 DR. AMIT RASTOGI: Thanks, Chris. Good  
6 afternoon, Hearing Officer Hansted and the OHCA staff.  
7 My name is Amit Rastogi. I'm a primary care physician  
8 and, also, the interim Chief Executive Officer of  
9 Northeast Medical Group.

10 I adopt my pre-filed testimony. Thank you  
11 for the opportunity to speak today about Yale-New Haven  
12 Hospital's Certificate of Need application to terminate  
13 urgent care services at its Foxon Road site.

14 In my pre-filed testimony, I had provided  
15 some detail about the scope of services offered at  
16 Northeast Medical Group, at our primary care sites, and,  
17 also, at our walk-in centers, and I also did provide some  
18 detail about the levels of care provided at the Foxon  
19 Road site, along with other Yale-New Haven health system  
20 providers.

21 NEMG physicians staff the Foxon Road site,  
22 and that's why I'm quite familiar with the services  
23 provided at that location, as well as at the two NEMG  
24 walk-in centers.

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1                   As OHCA knows, there's not a licensure  
2                   category for urgent care centers or any definition for  
3                   this type of provider in Connecticut statutes or the  
4                   Public Health Code.

5                   That's why it's often times difficult to  
6                   make comparisons, but, from my standpoint, I know that  
7                   there's no difference between the quality of the care  
8                   delivered at the Foxon Road location and the quality of  
9                   the care delivered at the other NEMG walk-in sites.

10                  All the locations are staffed by NEMG  
11                  physicians, and all the sites offer basic ancillary  
12                  services, which are pretty much the same.

13                  In addition, although I didn't mention  
14                  this in my pre-filed testimony, it's also important to  
15                  mention that Northeast Medical Group physicians staff a  
16                  service called MD Live.

17                  MD Live is a tele-health platform, which  
18                  provides instant access to a primary care physician for  
19                  patients via their computer or a Smartphone.

20                  We believe that this type of technology,  
21                  which offers a service for around \$50 a visit, will  
22                  increasingly provide enhanced access to care, without the  
23                  cost of a brick and mortar location.

24                  I would also like to highlight the nature

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1 of the conditions treated at the Foxon Road site. A  
2 large proportion of the visits are for very low acuity  
3 conditions, such as sore throats, cough, or sinusitis.

4 Even though these conditions are often  
5 treated at walk-in centers, quite frankly, it's not the  
6 optimal way for them to be treated, because these can  
7 easily be treated at a primary care office, such as  
8 NEMG's appointment-based primary care offices in the  
9 vicinity of the Foxon site.

10 Our primary care offices offer the benefit  
11 of enhanced coordination with primary care providers.  
12 OHCA, itself, in the past has noted that fragmentation of  
13 care can result from the proliferation of urgent care  
14 centers, and I believe that our proposal helps to reduce  
15 this fragmentation by moving low acuity patients to a  
16 more appropriate and a cost-effective setting.

17 I believe that the closure of the urgent  
18 care center at Foxon can be achieved without any impact  
19 on access to care for our patients.

20 If this CON is approved, all of our  
21 patients seen at the Foxon Road location within the last  
22 year will be notified via letter about the location's  
23 closing, given information about alternate providers,  
24 including NEMG providers in the area and other private



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1 and freestanding urgent care centers and walk-ins nearby.

2 For those patients, who choose to continue  
3 their care within the Yale-New Haven health system, the  
4 Epic electronic medical record will insure continuity of  
5 care. However, if patients choose to see providers  
6 outside of the Yale-New Haven health system, copies of  
7 their records will be transferred to the provider of  
8 their choice.

9 The attachments to our pre-filed testimony  
10 detailed numerous other providers in the area, the types  
11 of service that are provided, the hours, the locations,  
12 the driving distance from the Foxon site, and, where  
13 available, existing capacity, as well.

14 We've also provided exhibits mapping all  
15 the locations, details about the ones that accept  
16 Medicare and Medicaid, and information regarding  
17 applicable bus routes, as most of the alternate sites are  
18 accessible to public transportation.

19 Finally, we have provided letters from two  
20 large urgent care providers in the area, explaining that  
21 they have the capacity to absorb any patients seeking  
22 care after the Foxon site closes.

23 I believe all of this information  
24 demonstrates that there's ample capacity in the area, and

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1 patient access to urgent care services will be  
2 maintained.

3 As a physician, I have a deep interest in  
4 insuring that patients get the most appropriate care in  
5 the right setting, and, also, as a health system  
6 executive, I am concerned about the long-term financial  
7 stability of the health care system in Connecticut.

8 I believe that our proposal helps achieve  
9 both of these priorities, and I urge you to approve this  
10 CON application. Thank you for your careful attention  
11 today.

12 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Thank you,  
13 Doctor. Anything further? Okay. I know we have some  
14 elected officials here, so we will allow them to give  
15 comments at this point.

16 (Whereupon, the elected officials  
17 commenced with comments regarding the application.)

18 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: OHCA has some  
19 questions on the application, so we'll start with Mr.  
20 Lazarus.

21 MR. LAZARUS: Steven Lazarus. I just have  
22 a couple of questions. First of all, just to clarify,  
23 the list of services you have on your website, are they  
24 up-to-date, as far as what you're offering at the

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1 location? Has anything been already produced, or you  
2 have added to that list?

3 MR. O'CONNOR: The services should be up-  
4 to-date. The service hours, as I noted in my pre-filed  
5 testimony, have been changed to some staffing challenges  
6 that we have had recently.

7 MR. LAZARUS: Oh, okay. What type of  
8 staffing challenges?

9 MR. O'CONNOR: So, as I noted --

10 DR. RASTOGI: So we had a physician, who  
11 unexpectedly left on FMLA, and we tried to find an  
12 internal candidate to try to fill that position, but we  
13 were, unfortunately, not successful with that.

14 The challenge in finding an external  
15 candidate is not just the time that it takes to recruit,  
16 but, then, also, there's time it takes for credentialing,  
17 both at the hospital and the payer side, which usually  
18 takes somewhere between three and four months.

19 MR. LAZARUS: Okay, now, you had mentioned  
20 in your testimony that you plan to send out a letter to  
21 the existing patients that are in your system notifying  
22 them, if this proposal is approved, of the closure.  
23 What's the timeline on that one in respect to the actual  
24 closure?

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1 DR. RASTOGI: Thirty days.

2 MR. LAZARUS: Okay, so, you'll send a  
3 letter out 30 days prior to the actual closure?

4 DR. RASTOGI: Yes.

5 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Beyond the  
6 letter, obviously, that's going to the patients, who are  
7 already in your computer system, what about folks, who  
8 aren't in the computer system? What type of  
9 advertisement will be done to show that the center is  
10 closing?

11 MR. O'CONNOR: We'll certainly look at a  
12 comprehensive way to communicate with our patients. As  
13 we've noted in our testimony, our goal is not to leave  
14 these patients behind.

15 We believe that there are more than  
16 adequate resources around, and we are going to take a  
17 pretty comprehensive approach, so we certainly will work.  
18 We have a great database that allows us to capture the  
19 vast majority of patients, who have gone there, so I  
20 think it's going to be a pretty comprehensive list that  
21 will originate from that original search that we will  
22 send letters to, but, in addition to that, we'll take on  
23 some other means, both internally and externally, to make  
24 sure that folks are aware.

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1 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay, thank you.

2 MR. LAZARUS: Regarding the overlap of the  
3 level of services provided at NEMG walk-in clinics and at  
4 the center, based on the top 20 diagnoses, such as the  
5 ones you provided on page 15 of the application, what  
6 percentage of patients currently served at the center can  
7 be accommodated at the two NEMG walk-in clinics?

8 DR. RASTOGI: You mean what percentage of  
9 the patients, or, I'm sorry, do you mean the diagnoses?

10 MR. LAZARUS: Diagnoses. Based on those  
11 diagnoses, what percentage of the patients can be  
12 accommodated?

13 DR. RASTOGI: Based on the diagnoses, all  
14 of the diagnoses can be treated at the NEMG sites.

15 MR. LAZARUS: Okay and you have the  
16 capacity to handle all the volume?

17 DR. RASTOGI: Yes.

18 MR. LAZARUS: Okay. In the application, I  
19 think, specifically, on page 16, you had noted the number  
20 of visits, and, looking at the historical visits, which,  
21 in 2012, were around 6,969, and, for fiscal year 2015,  
22 you're projecting the numbers to be around a little over  
23 10,000, so that's been an increase of 40 percent in the  
24 last four years, how does this increase actually support



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1 the termination of this urgent care and your proposal?

2 MR. O'CONNOR: So it's not necessarily  
3 visits that drive the capability to run a successful  
4 operation, as you well know, so, while the volume has  
5 gone up, our ability to maintain costs and services  
6 within the challenging environments and both serve our  
7 patients and retain staff is more costly, and, so, those  
8 costs have added up, so, actually, we are not able to  
9 turn a profit on that increased margin.

10 We've actually accelerated losses as a  
11 result, so while the visits have gone up, our actual  
12 performance has declined over that period of time.

13 MR. LAZARUS: And what type of efforts  
14 have you made to rectify that prior to this proposal?

15 MR. O'CONNOR: So maybe I'm going to ask  
16 one of my colleagues that's closer to the operations to  
17 come in and reflect on that.

18 MR. LAZARUS: Sure.

19 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: If you can  
20 please identify yourself before you speak? Have you been  
21 sworn in?

22 MS. DEBORAH BORISJUK: Yes.

23 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Thank you.

24 MS. BORISJUK: Hello. I'm Deborah

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1 Borisjuk, and I am the program manager at the Foxon site,  
2 and I have been since the inception of the program there.

3 Our business plan was built upon a certain  
4 standard of care, as well as a projected volume increase  
5 over the five years of the business plan, and though we  
6 did go from 6,000 to 10,000 in a reasonable amount of  
7 time, it has leveled off significantly, due to the  
8 proliferation of urgent care centers that have opened up  
9 within a 10-mile radius of our center.

10 According to, you know, Urgent Care  
11 Association of America, there is a significant difference  
12 in the benchmark projections that they would have you  
13 reach over that period of time compared to what we were  
14 able to reach in the four years that we have been in  
15 business.

16 MR. LAZARUS: And were those the same  
17 benchmarks that you were aiming for?

18 MS. BORISJUK: Yes. As a matter of fact,  
19 they were.

20 MR. LAZARUS: Okay and within a five-year  
21 period?

22 MS. BORISJUK: Yes.

23 MR. LAZARUS: That was part of the  
24 business plan?

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1 MS. BORISJUK: We've been in business for  
2 four years, and, as I stated, we reached the 10,000 mark  
3 within the framework of the first two to two and a half  
4 years, however, we have leveled off, and, again, we  
5 believe it's because the business plan was built upon  
6 looking at the competition that we had in the area at the  
7 time, and that was why the center was opened, and that  
8 has, as stated earlier, more than doubled over that  
9 period of time.

10 And, as a matter of fact, we just had one  
11 open up in Hamden within the last four weeks. They  
12 continue to open.

13 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: And those  
14 benchmarks, are those for financial purposes or for  
15 quality purposes?

16 MS. BORISJUK: It's more operational,  
17 based upon productivity of the clinical staff.

18 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay.

19 MR. LAZARUS: Thank you.

20 MS. BORISJUK: Thank you.

21 MR. LAZARUS: Appreciate it.

22 MS. BORISJUK: If your question was  
23 answered.

24 MR. LAZARUS: Yes, it was. Thank you.

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1 MS. BORISJUK: Thank you.

2 MR. LAZARUS: That's all the questions  
3 that I have.

4 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: I just have one  
5 question. It's more of a clarification. We've read in  
6 the application that the employees will be transferred to  
7 other areas within the Yale system, and we've heard from  
8 Senator Fasano that he's heard otherwise. Can you  
9 clarify that?

10 MR. O'CONNOR: Sure. I'm not sure,  
11 Hearing Officer Hansted, whether you're aware, but I was  
12 the Chief Executive Officer of the Hospital of St.  
13 Raphael during the acquisition process, and I will tell  
14 you, any time you're going through a change, these are  
15 very difficult communications to have with employees,  
16 and, often times, as the employer, we probably are not  
17 nearly as proficient in delivering exact messages, much  
18 of which is because of the regulatory process that we  
19 have to adhere to.

20 There are some uncertainties, obviously.  
21 We are dependent upon the resolution of this application  
22 to know what is definitively happening, so we have worked  
23 diligently with our employees, and probably it's been  
24 imperfect, and I'm sure that as part of the route of some

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1 of the concerns that our employees have expressed, but I  
2 will tell you, as I noted in my testimony, it is our  
3 absolute intent, and I feel very confident standing in  
4 front of Senator Fasano and the Mayor, saying that we  
5 have every intention to offer equivalent positions within  
6 the health system before the end of this process.

7 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: And how many  
8 employees are at the Foxon center? Do you know offhand?

9 MR. O'CONNOR: I think there are -- Jodi?  
10 Twelve. About 12. And we believe we've resolved all,  
11 but five, in the process.

12 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay. Thank  
13 you. That was my last question. At this point, we're  
14 going to take a short break, maybe five minutes, and then  
15 we'll go to the public portion of the hearing, so we'll  
16 go off the record at this point. Thank you.

17 (Off the record)

18 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay, we're  
19 going back on the record.

20 MS. WILLCOX: Hearing Officer Hansted, if  
21 we could, we would like to have an additional individual  
22 to expand on your last question.

23 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Certainly.

24 MS. WILLCOX: Jodi Boldrighini, and she



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1 will spell her name.

2 MS. JODI BOLDRIGHINI: Believe it or not,  
3 that's the first time I've been asked that. Jodi  
4 Boldrighini. It's B, as in boy, O-L-D, as in David, R-I-  
5 G-H-I-N, as in Nancy, I, and, yes, I'm done.

6 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Thank you.

7 MS. BOLDRIGHINI: I'm the Director of  
8 Occupational Health and employee of Population Health  
9 Management.

10 So what I wanted to tell you is that we  
11 have been working diligently with the employees in our  
12 Human Resources Department to meet with the staff on a  
13 weekly basis, and we have dedicated staff and a team  
14 within H.R. that works on placement issues, such as this.

15 So what we do is meet with the staff, find  
16 out what their interests are, what their geographical  
17 area is, where they live, what a good location to work  
18 would be, look through open positions, and do that on an  
19 ongoing basis throughout the process.

20 Since we have to stay operating until the  
21 regulatory process is complete, it is an ongoing basis,  
22 it goes on on an ongoing basis, so I'm not sure at what  
23 point in time the calls came in, but I can assure you  
24 that we're meeting weekly to go through that list, to

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1 make sure we identify positions that the employees are  
2 interested in, instead of just placing them somewhere  
3 where they may not be interested in going.

4 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: Okay, thank you.

5 MS. BOLDRIGHINI: Any further questions?

6 HEARING OFFICER HANSTED: No, that's all.

7 Thank you for that follow-up.

8 (Whereupon, the public comment portion of  
9 the hearing commenced.)

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## Greer, Leslie

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Good morning.

Please find attached the Late File requested for Docket No. 15-32011-CON (Foxon Urgent Care). Tab 1 shows the Financial Attachment A submitted with the CON, and Tab 2 includes the prior 3 FYs with the urgent care service isolated in the incremental column. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, and have a nice weekend.

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NON-PROFIT														
<b>Applicant:</b>		Please provide one year of actual results and three years of projections of Total Entity revenue, expense and volume statistics without, incremental to and with the CON proposal in the following reporting format:												
<b>Financial Worksheet (A)</b>		1	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
LINE	Total Entity:	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2015	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2016	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018	FY 2018
	Description	Actual	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected	Projected
		Results	W/out CON	Incremental	With CON	W/out CON	Incremental	With CON	W/out CON	Incremental	With CON	W/out CON	Incremental	With CON
<b>A. OPERATING REVENUE</b>														
1	Total Gross Patient Revenue	\$ 8,676,814,000	\$ 9,536,815,000	\$ -	\$ 9,536,815,000	\$ 9,653,683,000	\$ (1,653,800)	\$ 9,652,029,200	\$ 9,747,015,000	\$ (1,670,300)	\$ 9,745,344,700	\$ 9,843,819,000	\$ (1,687,000)	\$ 9,842,132,000
2	Less: Allowances	6,203,146,000	7,090,464,000	-	7,090,464,000	7,163,560,000	(1,227,100)	7,162,332,900	7,206,184,000	(1,234,400)	7,204,949,600	7,252,324,000	(1,243,300)	7,251,080,700
3	Less: Charity Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Less: Other Deductions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>Net Patient Service Revenue</b>	<b>\$ 2,473,668,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,446,351,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 2,446,351,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,490,123,000</b>	<b>\$ (426,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,489,696,300</b>	<b>\$ 2,540,831,000</b>	<b>\$ (435,900)</b>	<b>\$ 2,540,395,100</b>	<b>\$ 2,591,495,000</b>	<b>\$ (443,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,591,051,300</b>
5	Medicare	\$ 786,643,000	\$ 782,985,000	\$ -	\$ 782,985,000	\$ 790,293,000	\$ (147,700)	\$ 790,145,300	\$ 809,501,000	\$ (150,700)	\$ 809,350,300	\$ 833,798,000	\$ (153,500)	\$ 833,644,500
6	Medicaid	299,960,000	339,498,000	-	339,498,000	342,978,000	(100,900)	342,877,100	346,492,000	(103,100)	346,388,900	350,042,000	(104,900)	349,937,100
7	CHAMPUS & TriCare	-	-	-	-	-	(800)	(800)	-	(900)	(900)	-	(900)	(900)
8	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>Total Government</b>	<b>1,086,603,000</b>	<b>1,122,483,000</b>		<b>1,122,483,000</b>	<b>1,133,271,000</b>	<b>(249,400)</b>	<b>1,133,021,600</b>	<b>1,155,993,000</b>	<b>(254,700)</b>	<b>1,155,738,300</b>	<b>1,183,840,000</b>	<b>(259,300)</b>	<b>1,183,580,700</b>
9	Commercial Insurers	1,345,277,000	1,238,608,000	-	1,238,608,000	1,270,740,000	(165,600)	1,270,574,400	1,297,865,000	(169,200)	1,297,695,800	1,319,812,000	(172,200)	1,319,639,800
10	Uninsured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Self Pay	41,788,000	85,260,000	-	85,260,000	86,112,000	(5,800)	86,106,200	86,973,000	(5,900)	86,967,100	87,843,000	(6,000)	87,837,000
12	Workers Compensation	-	-	-	-	-	(1,700)	(1,700)	-	(1,700)	(1,700)	-	(1,800)	(1,800)
13	Other	-	-	-	-	-	(4,200)	(4,200)	-	(4,300)	(4,300)	-	(4,400)	(4,400)
	<b>Total Non-Government</b>	<b>\$ 1,387,065,000</b>	<b>\$ 1,323,868,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 1,323,868,000</b>	<b>\$ 1,356,852,000</b>	<b>\$ (177,300)</b>	<b>\$ 1,356,674,700</b>	<b>\$ 1,384,838,000</b>	<b>\$ (181,100)</b>	<b>\$ 1,384,656,900</b>	<b>\$ 1,407,655,000</b>	<b>\$ (184,400)</b>	<b>\$ 1,407,470,600</b>
	<b>Net Patient Service Revenuea (Government+Non-Government)</b>	<b>\$ 2,473,668,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,446,351,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 2,446,351,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,490,123,000</b>	<b>\$ (426,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,489,696,300</b>	<b>\$ 2,540,831,000</b>	<b>\$ (435,800)</b>	<b>\$ 2,540,395,200</b>	<b>\$ 2,591,495,000</b>	<b>\$ (443,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,591,051,300</b>
14	Less: Provision for Bad Debts	71,764,000	69,549,000	-	69,549,000	67,418,000	-	67,418,000	68,092,000	-	68,092,000	68,773,000	-	68,773,000
	<b>Net Patient Service Revenue less provision for bad debts</b>	<b>2,401,904,000</b>	<b>2,376,802,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,376,802,000</b>	<b>2,422,705,000</b>	<b>(426,700)</b>	<b>2,422,278,300</b>	<b>2,472,739,000</b>	<b>(435,900)</b>	<b>2,472,303,100</b>	<b>2,522,722,000</b>	<b>(443,700)</b>	<b>2,522,278,300</b>
15	Other Operating Revenue	-	42,598,000	-	42,598,000	42,598,000	-	42,598,000	42,598,000	-	42,598,000	42,598,000	-	42,598,000
17	Net Assets Released from Restrictions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ 2,401,904,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,419,400,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 2,419,400,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,465,303,000</b>	<b>\$ (426,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,464,876,300</b>	<b>\$ 2,515,337,000</b>	<b>\$ (435,900)</b>	<b>\$ 2,514,901,100</b>	<b>\$ 2,565,320,000</b>	<b>\$ (443,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,564,876,300</b>
<b>B. OPERATING EXPENSES</b>														
1	Salaries and Wages	\$ 808,684,000	\$ 819,504,000	\$ -	\$ 819,504,000	\$ 849,463,000	\$ -	\$ 849,463,000	\$ 876,083,000	\$ -	\$ 876,083,000	\$ 905,847,000	\$ -	\$ 905,847,000
2	Fringe Benefits	225,961,000	240,776,000	-	240,776,000	249,606,000	-	249,606,000	257,506,000	-	257,506,000	266,310,000	-	266,310,000
3	Physicians Fees	567,135,000	569,793,000	-	569,793,000	606,887,000	(101,300)	606,785,700	625,093,000	(104,300)	624,988,700	643,846,000	(107,400)	643,738,600
4	Supplies and Drugs	407,750,000	420,089,000	-	420,089,000	435,726,000	(48,900)	435,677,100	451,955,000	(50,700)	451,904,300	468,797,000	(52,600)	468,744,400
5	Depreciation and Amortization	122,543,000	124,084,000	-	124,084,000	134,839,000	-	134,839,000	142,153,000	-	142,153,000	138,103,000	-	138,103,000
6	Provision for Bad Debts-Otherb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Interest Expense	23,742,000	26,033,000	-	26,033,000	37,389,000	-	37,389,000	37,025,000	-	37,025,000	41,373,000	-	41,373,000
8	Malpractice Insurance Cost	14,809,000	21,010,000	-	21,010,000	21,640,000	-	21,640,000	22,290,000	-	22,290,000	22,958,000	-	22,958,000
9	Lease Expense	14,516,000	14,937,000	-	14,937,000	15,310,000	(39,000)	15,271,000	15,540,000	(39,600)	15,500,400	15,945,000	(40,600)	15,904,400
10	Other Operating Expenses	82,219,000	95,673,000	-	95,673,000	25,201,000	(79,500)	25,121,500	(3,364,000)	(81,100)	(3,445,100)	(30,723,000)	(82,700)	(30,805,700)
	<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 2,267,359,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,331,899,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 2,331,899,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,376,061,000</b>	<b>\$ (268,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,375,792,300</b>	<b>\$ 2,424,281,000</b>	<b>\$ (275,700)</b>	<b>\$ 2,424,005,300</b>	<b>\$ 2,472,456,000</b>	<b>\$ (283,300)</b>	<b>\$ 2,472,172,700</b>
	<b>INCOME/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS</b>	<b>\$ 134,545,000</b>	<b>\$ 87,501,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 87,501,000</b>	<b>\$ 89,242,000</b>	<b>\$ (158,000)</b>	<b>\$ 89,084,000</b>	<b>\$ 91,056,000</b>	<b>\$ (160,200)</b>	<b>\$ 90,895,800</b>	<b>\$ 92,864,000</b>	<b>\$ (160,400)</b>	<b>\$ 92,703,600</b>
	<b>NON-OPERATING REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ 30,155,000</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 50,000,000</b>
	<b>EXCESS/(DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 164,700,000</b>	<b>\$ 137,501,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 137,501,000</b>	<b>\$ 139,242,000</b>	<b>\$ (158,000)</b>	<b>\$ 139,084,000</b>	<b>\$ 141,056,000</b>	<b>\$ (160,200)</b>	<b>\$ 140,895,800</b>	<b>\$ 142,864,000</b>	<b>\$ (160,400)</b>	<b>\$ 142,703,600</b>
	Principal Payments				\$0			\$0			\$0			\$0
<b>C. PROFITABILITY SUMMARY</b>														
1	Hospital Operating Margin	5.5%	3.5%	0.0%	3.5%	3.5%	37.0%	3.5%	3.5%	36.8%	3.5%	3.6%	36.2%	3.5%
2	Hospital Non Operating Margin	1.2%	2.0%	0.0%	2.0%	2.0%	0.0%	2.0%	1.9%	0.0%	1.9%	1.9%	0.0%	1.9%
3	Hospital Total Margin	6.8%	5.6%	0.0%	5.6%	5.5%	37.0%	5.5%	5.5%	36.8%	5.5%	5.5%	36.2%	5.5%
<b>D. FTEs</b>														
			10,432	-	10,432	10,454	-	10,454	10,503	-	10,503	10,539	-	10,539
<b>E. VOLUME STATISTICSc</b>														
1	Inpatient Discharges	78,315	80,531	-	80,531	81,336	-	81,336	82,150	-	82,150	82,971	-	82,971
2	Outpatient Visits	1,175,388	1,209,078	-	1,209,078	1,221,169	(10,480)	1,210,689	1,233,380	(10,585)	1,222,795	1,245,714	(10,691)	1,235,023
	<b>TOTAL VOLUME</b>	<b>1,253,703</b>	<b>1,289,609</b>		<b>1,289,609</b>	<b>1,302,505</b>	<b>(10,480)</b>	<b>1,292,025</b>	<b>1,315,530</b>	<b>(10,585)</b>	<b>1,304,945</b>	<b>1,328,685</b>	<b>(10,691)</b>	<b>1,317,994</b>

aTotal amount should equal the total amount on cell line "Net Patient Revenue" Row 14.

bProvide the amount of any transaction associated with Bad Debts not related to the provision of direct services to patients. For additional information, refer to FASB, No.2011-07, July 2011.

cProvide projected inpatient and/or outpatient statistics for any new services and provide actual and projected inpatient and/or outpatient statistics for any existing services which will change due to the proposal.

Foxon Urgent Care

YALE- NEW HAVEN HOSPITAL  
Urgent Care at Foxon Road CON

Prior 3 Year Analysis- Full YNHH - Service (Foxon Urgent Care) - YNHH w/o Foxon Urgent Care for FY 2012 thru FY 2014

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
LINE	Total Entity:	FY 2012	FY 2012	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2013	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2014	FY 2014
		Actual	Urgent Care	Actual w / o	Actual	Urgent Care	Actual w / o	Actual	Urgent Care	Actual w / o
	Description	Results	Service	Service	Results	Service	Service	Results	Service	Service
A. OPERATING REVENUE										
1	Total Gross Patient Revenue	\$ 5,740,304,100	\$ 1,105,000	\$ 5,739,199,100	\$ 8,243,052,900	\$ 1,244,600	\$ 8,241,808,300	\$ 8,676,814,000	\$ 1,372,600	\$ 8,675,441,400
2	Less: Allowances	4,027,033,100	775,700	4,026,257,400	5,897,700,200	889,900	5,896,810,300	6,203,146,000	981,400	6,202,164,600
3	Less: Charity Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Less: Other Deductions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Net Patient Service Revenue	\$ 1,713,271,000	\$ 329,300	\$ 1,712,941,700	\$ 2,345,352,700	\$ 354,700	\$ 2,344,998,000	\$ 2,473,668,000	\$ 391,200	\$ 2,473,276,800
5	Medicare	\$ 546,533,400	\$ 113,900	\$ 546,419,500	\$ 748,167,500	\$ 122,700	\$ 748,044,800	\$ 786,643,000	\$ 135,300	\$ 786,507,700
6	Medicaid	246,711,000	77,900	246,633,100	337,730,800	83,900	337,646,900	299,960,000	92,500	299,867,500
7	CHAMPUS & TriCare	-	600	(600)	-	600	(600)	-	700	(700)
8	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total Government	793,244,400	192,400	793,052,000	1,085,898,300	207,200	1,085,691,100	1,086,603,000	228,500	1,086,374,500
9	Commercial Insurers	892,614,300	127,700	892,486,600	1,221,928,800	137,600	1,221,791,200	1,345,277,000	151,800	1,345,125,200
10	Uninsured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Self Pay	27,412,300	4,500	27,407,800	37,525,600	4,800	37,520,800	41,788,000	5,300	41,782,700
12	Workers Compensation	-	1,400	(1,400)	-	1,500	(1,500)	-	1,600	(1,600)
13	Other	-	3,500	(3,500)	-	3,700	(3,700)	-	4,000	(4,000)
	Total Non-Government	\$ 920,026,600	\$ 136,900	\$ 919,889,500	\$ 1,259,454,400	\$ 147,500	\$ 1,259,306,800	\$ 1,387,065,000	\$ 162,700	\$ 1,386,902,300
	Net Patient Service Revenuea (Government+Non-Government)	\$ 1,713,271,000	\$ 329,300	\$ 1,712,941,500	\$ 2,345,352,700	\$ 354,700	\$ 2,344,997,900	\$ 2,473,668,000	\$ 391,200	\$ 2,473,276,800
14	Less: Provision for Bad Debts	-	-	-	62,436,600	-	62,436,600	71,764,000	-	71,764,000
	Net Patient Service Revenue less provision for bad debts	1,713,271,000	329,300	1,712,941,700	2,282,916,100	354,700	2,282,561,400	2,401,904,000	391,200	2,401,512,800
15	Other Operating Revenue	47,560,300	-	47,560,300	58,633,000	-	58,633,000	-	-	-
17	Net Assets Released from Restrictions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	\$ 1,760,831,300	\$ 329,300	\$ 1,760,502,000	\$ 2,341,549,100	\$ 354,700	\$ 2,341,194,400	\$ 2,401,904,000	\$ 391,200	\$ 2,401,512,800
B. OPERATING EXPENSES										
1	Salaries and Wages	\$ 585,246,900	\$ 303,600	\$ 584,943,300	\$ 790,319,400	\$ 383,600	\$ 789,935,800	\$ 808,684,000	\$ 479,100	\$ 808,204,900
2	Fringe Benefits	172,016,200	95,500	171,920,700	235,369,600	119,500	235,250,100	225,961,000	144,400	225,816,600
3	Physicians Fees	248,959,100	136,700	248,822,400	393,234,300	98,000	393,136,300	567,135,000	104,400	567,030,600
4	Supplies and Drugs	294,363,400	56,300	294,307,100	396,090,500	42,800	396,047,700	407,750,000	39,700	407,710,300
5	Depreciation and Amortization	73,100,600	-	73,100,600	91,913,500	-	91,913,500	122,543,000	-	122,543,000
6	Provision for Bad Debts-Otherb	32,622,100	-	32,622,100	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Interest Expense	17,719,700	-	17,719,700	23,920,200	-	23,920,200	23,742,000	-	23,742,000
8	Malpractice Insurance Cost	13,017,600	-	13,017,600	13,750,600	-	13,750,600	14,809,000	-	14,809,000
9	Lease Expense	14,368,700	30,600	14,338,100	22,279,800	35,100	22,244,700	14,516,000	39,500	14,476,500
10	Other Operating Expenses	202,837,200	184,000	202,653,200	269,795,800	243,200	269,552,600	82,219,000	391,400	81,827,600
	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$ 1,654,251,500	\$ 806,700	\$ 1,653,444,800	\$ 2,236,673,700	\$ 922,200	\$ 2,235,751,500	\$ 2,267,359,000	\$ 1,198,500	\$ 2,266,160,500
	INCOME/(LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	\$ 106,579,800	\$ (477,400)	\$ 107,057,200	\$ 104,875,400	\$ (567,500)	\$ 105,442,900	\$ 134,545,000	\$ (807,300)	\$ 135,352,300
	NON-OPERATING REVENUE	\$ 24,029,000	\$ -	\$ 24,029,000	\$ 73,846,000	\$ -	\$ 73,846,000	\$ 30,155,000	\$ -	\$ 30,155,000
	EXCESS/(DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	\$ 130,608,800	\$ (477,400)	\$ 131,086,200	\$ 178,721,400	\$ (567,500)	\$ 179,288,900	\$ 164,700,000	\$ (807,300)	\$ 165,507,300
	Principal Payments									
C. PROFITABILITY SUMMARY										
1	Hospital Operating Margin	6.0%	-145.0%	6.0%	4.3%	-160.0%	4.4%	5.5%	-206.4%	5.6%
2	Hospital Non Operating Margin	1.3%	0.0%	1.3%	3.1%	0.0%	3.1%	1.2%	0.0%	1.2%
3	Hospital Total Margin	7.3%	-145.0%	7.3%	7.4%	-160.0%	7.4%	6.8%	-206.4%	6.8%
D. FTEs										
E. VOLUME STATISTICS <sup>c</sup>										
1	Inpatient Discharges	61,958	-	61,958	80,503	-	80,503	78,315	-	78,315
2	Outpatient Visits	774,085	6,906	767,179	1,085,738	8,539	1,077,199	1,175,388	9,722	1,165,666
	TOTAL VOLUME	836,043	6,906	829,137	3 1,166,241	8,539	1,157,702	1,253,703	9,722	1,243,981

## Greer, Leslie

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**From:** Lazarus, Steven  
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Please add this Closure Letter I emailed to Nancy in the record.

Thank you,  
Steve

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Good Afternoon Ms. Rosenthal,

Please see the attached correspondence, closing the public hearing, held under Docket Number: 15-32011-CON. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you,  
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# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

*Office of Health Care Access*

October 16, 2015

VIA EMAIL ONLY

Nancy Rosenthal  
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RE: Certificate of Need Application, Docket Number 15-32011-CON  
Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Termination of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon  
Closure of Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Rosenthal:

Please be advised, by way of this letter, the public hearing held on September 28, 2015, in the above referenced matter is hereby closed as of October 16, 2015. OHCA will receive no additional public comments or filings.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact Alla Veyberman at (860) 418-7007 or Steven W. Lazarus at (860) 418-7012.

Sincerely,



Kevin T. Hansted  
Hearing Officer

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Ms. Rosenthal,  
Attached is the CON decision for the termination of services at Yale-New Haven Hospital's urgent care at Foxon in East Haven, CT.

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**Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access  
Certificate of Need Application**

**Final Decision**

**Applicant:** Yale-New Haven Hospital  
20 York Street, New Haven, CT 06510

**Docket Number:** 15-32011-CON

**Project Title:** Termination of Services at Yale-New Haven Hospital  
Urgent Care at Foxon in East Haven, CT

**Project Description:** Yale-New Haven Hospital ("Hospital" or "Applicant") seeks authorization to terminate its urgent care services provided at Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon located at 317 Foxon Road in East Haven with no associated capital expenditure.

**Procedural History:** The Hospital published notice of its intent to file a Certificate of Need ("CON") application in the *New Haven Register* (New Haven) on June 6, 7 and 8, 2015. On July 6, 2015, the Office of Health Care Access ("OHCA") received the CON application from the Hospital for the above-referenced project. OHCA deemed the application complete on August 5, 2015.

On September 10, 2015, the Hospital was notified of the date, time, and place of the public hearing. On September 11, 2015, a notice to the public announcing the hearing was published in the *New Haven Register*. Thereafter, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes ("Conn. Gen. Stat.") § 19a-639a(e), a public hearing regarding the CON application was held on September 28, 2015.

Commissioner Jewel Mullen designated Attorney Kevin T. Hansted as the hearing officer in this matter. The hearing was conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act (Chapter 54 of the Conn. Gen. Stat.) and Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639a(e). The public hearing record was closed on October 16, 2015. Deputy Commissioner Brancifort considered the entire record in this matter.

## Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

1. Yale-New Haven Hospital ("Hospital" or "Applicant") is a 1,541 bed (including bassinets) non-profit, acute care teaching hospital with two integrated campuses located in New Haven, Connecticut. The Hospital is a corporate member of Yale-New Haven Health Services Corporation ("YNHHS"). Ex. B, pp. 14, 41, 71
2. The Hospital has operated Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon ("Foxon Center"), located at 317 Foxon Road in East Haven, since May 1, 2011. The Foxon Center offers urgent care services on an episodic, walk-in basis for non-life threatening, low acuity conditions such as sore throat, cough, sinusitis and upper respiratory infection. Ex. B, pp. 13-15, 38
3. The Hospital proposes to terminate its urgent care services at the Foxon Center. Ex. B, p. 13
4. The proposal is the result of the Hospital's assessment of its outpatient program locations to determine duplicative offerings in contiguous communities and to identify excess capacity that leads to inefficiencies and increased costs. The Foxon Center was identified as an underperforming site in an area that has become saturated with urgent care and walk-in clinics. Ex. B, p. 13
5. Table 1 illustrates that more than 75 percent of the patients who received services at the Foxon Center in fiscal year ("FY") 2014 were from the towns of New Haven, East Haven and North Branford.

**TABLE 1**  
**FOXON CENTER'S SERVICE AREA TOWNS**

Town	Percentage Utilization by Town
New Haven	40.35%
East Haven	31.52%
North Branford	6.54%

Ex. B, pp. 14, 33

6. There are 13 urgent care centers, 6 walk-in clinics (which include two that are specific to orthopedic services) and 1 community health center primary care site, not affiliated with YNHHS and located within 11 miles of the Foxon Center, as illustrated by Table 2 below. These sites offer similar services to the Foxon Center.

**TABLE 2**  
**LOCATION OF EXISTING PROVIDERS**

Service	Count	Program Name	Town	Distance from the Foxon Center in Miles
Urgent Care	1	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	New Haven	6.5
	2	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	New Haven	5.8
	3	Cornell Scott Hill Health Center Urgent Care*	New Haven	4.5
	4	ASAP Urgent Care	North Haven	6.5
	5	ASAP Urgent Care	Hamden	8.0
	6	203 - Urgent Care	North Haven	4.3
	7	203 - Urgent Care	Orange	10.4
	8	203 - Urgent Care	West Haven	8.7
	9	203 - Urgent Care**	Hamden	7.2
	10	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Branford	6.1
	11	Stony Creek Urgent Care	Orange	10.9
	12	Express Care Urgent Care	Hamden	7.2
	13	Concentra Urgent Care	New Haven	4.0
Walk-in Care	1	OrthoNow Walk-in Center	Hamden	9.6
	2	OrthoNow Walk-in Center	Branford	4.6
	3	New Haven Walk-in Medical Center	New Haven	3.4
	4	CVS Minute Clinic	North Haven	6.9
	5	CVS Minute Clinic	Hamden	9.5
	6	CVS Minute Clinic	Guilford	9.3
Primary Care	1	Fair Haven Community Health Center*	New Haven	4.0

Notes: \* Sites are operated by Federally Qualified Health Centers.

\*\* Opened in the summer of 2015.

Ex. H, p.12

7. Nearly half of urgent care and walk-in sites in the area served by the Foxon Center commenced operation after the Foxon Center's start of operations in May of 2011. Ex. B, p. 16, Testimony of Christopher O'Connor, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, pp. 6-7
8. The Hospital provides emergent care and fast track services within its Emergency Departments ("ED") on its York Street and Chapel Street campuses in New Haven and at its Shoreline Medical Center in Guilford. The distance between the York Street ED, Chapel Street ED and the Shoreline Medical Center from the Foxon Center are 6.4 miles, 7.4 miles and 10.3 mile, respectively. Ex. B, p. 15; Ex. H, p.11

9. YNHHS's affiliated medical foundation, Northeast Medical Group (NEMG), is a non-profit multi-specialty medical group that provides professional services at the Foxon Center, as well as other YNHHS affiliated sites throughout the greater New Haven area and the region. Ex. B, pp. 13-14
10. NEMG offers walk-in services at clinics it operates in North Haven and West Haven, 7 miles and 10.5 miles from the Foxon Center, respectively. Both clinics are accessible via public transportation. Ex. B, pp. 15, 22
11. NEMG offers similar low acuity services by appointment at several of its primary care offices in the immediate area of the Foxon Center with over 35 NEMG primary care physicians. Ex. B, pp. 15-16
12. NEMG's North Haven walk-in clinic has the capacity to accommodate nearly all of the Foxon Center's urgent care visits. As a result of this proposed termination, the days and hours of the North Haven and West Haven walk-in clinics may be expanded based on patient demand. Ex. B, p. 16
13. Two other Urgent Care providers have confirmed they have the capacity and ability to accommodate Foxon Center patients: ASAP Urgent Care and 203 - Urgent Care. Ex. H, pp.19-22
14. Table 3 shows the Foxon Center's historical volumes for FYs 2012 through 2015 and the percentage change between years. The table demonstrates that, while the Foxon Center did experience continuing increases in volume, the percentage of volume growth has significantly slowed each year.

**TABLE 3**  
**FOXON CENTER'S HISTORICAL UTILIZATION**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2012-2015**

Service	Actual Volume*						
	FY 2012	FY 2013	% change FY12-13	FY 2014	% change FY13-14	FY 2015**	% change FY14-15
Visits	6,968	8,284	18.9%	9,361	13.0%	10,042	7.3%

Notes: \* The Center is open 362 days a year.

\*\* Annualized, October 2014-May 2015

Ex. B, pp. 16, 31

15. The Applicant indicates that the leveling off of volume is due to the proliferation of urgent care centers that have opened up within a ten mile radius of the Foxon Center. Testimony of Deborah Borisjuk, Project Manager of the Foxon Center, p.18
16. Table 4 illustrates that the Foxon Center's revenue increases are not keeping pace with its expense increases, resulting in increasing operating losses over the last three fiscal years, 2012 through 2014.

**TABLE 4**  
**FOXON CENTER'S ACTUAL REVENUES AND EXPENSES**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2012-2014**

Description	FY 2012	FY 2013	% change FY12-13	FY 2014	% change FY13-14
Revenue from Operations	\$329,300	\$354,700	7.7%	\$391,200	10.3%
Total Operating Expenses	\$806,700	\$922,200	14.3%	\$1,198,500	30.0%
Gain/(Loss) from Operations	(\$477,400)	(\$567,500)	Increasing Loss of 18.9%	(\$807,300)	Increasing Loss of 42.2%

Ex. M, p. 2

17. The Hospital projects overall gains in operations in each of the first three full fiscal years, FY 2016 through FY 2018, following the proposed termination.

**TABLE 5**  
**HOSPITAL'S PROJECTED REVENUES AND EXPENSES**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2016-2018\***

Description	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018
Revenue from Operations	\$2,464,876	\$2,514,901	\$2,564,876
Total Operating Expenses	\$2,375,792	\$2,424,005	\$2,472,172
Gain/(Loss) from Operations	\$89,084	\$90,895	\$92,703

Ex. M, p. 3

\*in thousands

18. The Foxon Center's current payer mix for FY 2014 and projected payer mix for FY2015 are as follows:

**TABLE 6**  
**FOXON CENTER'S CURRENT & PROJECTED PAYER MIX**  
**FISCAL YEARS 2014 & 2015**

Payer	FY 2014*		FY 2015*	
	Visits	%	Visits	%
Medicare**	1,357	14.5%	1,344	13.4%
Medicaid**	3,458	36.9%	3,690	39.4%
CHAMPUS & TriCare	32	0.3%	46	0.5%
<b>Total Government</b>	<b>4,847</b>	<b>51.87%</b>	<b>5,350</b>	<b>53.3%</b>
Commercial Insurers	4,009	42.8%	4,386	43.7%
Uninsured	503	5.4%	292	2.9%
Workers Compensation	2	0.02%	14	0.01%
<b>Total Non-Government</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>48.2%</b>	<b>4,692</b>	<b>46.7%</b>
<b>Total Payer Mix</b>	<b>9,361</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10,042</b>	<b>100%</b>

Notes: \* Numbers and percentages may reflect rounding

\*\*Includes managed care activity

Ex. B, p. 32



19. There is no capital expenditure associated with termination of urgent care services at the Foxon Center. Ex. B, pp. 23, 30
20. This proposal will not negatively impact care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons. YNHHS and NEMG provide services for any patient in the region, regardless of their ability to pay and all but three of the non-YNHHS sites in the area (i.e. Concentra Urgent Care in New Haven and the OrthoNow Walk-in Centers in Hamden & Branford) accept Medicaid patients. Ex. B, pp. 15, 22, Ex. H, p. 14
21. The cost effectiveness of care in the region will be improved by ensuring that patients receive these low acuity services in the least intensive, yet clinically appropriate setting and by reducing duplicative service. Ex. B, p. 21
22. Foxon Center patients will be notified about the closure of the Center and provided information on the existing alternative sites both within the YNHHS ambulatory network, including emergency department locations, walk-in clinics and appointment-based primary care settings operated by NEMG, as well as other non-YNHHS urgent care and walk-in sites in the service area. Ex. B, pp. 16-17
23. Center patients choosing to stay within the YNHHS network will have their records available via the network's electronic medical record system which will insure continuity of care. Ex. B, p. 17, Testimony of Amit Rastogi, interim Chief Executive Officer of NEMG, p.12
24. OHCA is currently in the process of establishing its policies and standards as regulations. Therefore, OHCA has not made any findings as to this proposal's relationship to any regulations not yet adopted by OHCA. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(1))
25. The CON application is consistent with the Statewide Health Care Facilities and Services Plan. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(2))
26. The Hospital has established that there is a clear public need for its proposal. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(3))
27. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that its proposal is financially feasible. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(4))
28. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that access to services, cost effectiveness and the quality of health care delivery will be maintained. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(5))
29. The Hospital has shown that there will be no adverse change in the provision of health care services to the relevant populations and payer mix, including Medicaid patients and indigent persons. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(6))
30. The Hospital has satisfactorily identified the population to be affected by this proposal. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(7))

31. The Applicant has sufficiently demonstrated that there are other providers in the area being utilized by the public and that can continue to be utilized by the public. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(8))
32. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that the proposal will not result in an unnecessary duplication of existing services in the area. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(9))
33. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that access to services for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons will be maintained. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(10))
34. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that the proposal will not negatively impact the diversity of health care providers and patient choice in the geographic region. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(11))
35. The Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that its proposal will not result in any consolidation that would affect health care costs or accessibility to care. (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a)(12))

## Discussion

CON applications are decided on a case by case basis and do not lend themselves to general applicability due to the uniqueness of the facts in each case. In rendering its decision, OHCA considers the factors set forth in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-639(a). The Hospital bears the burden of proof in this matter by a preponderance of the evidence. *Jones v. Connecticut Medical Examining Board*, 309 Conn. 727 (2013).

Yale-New Haven Hospital (“Hospital” or “Applicant”) is a non-profit acute care teaching hospital located in New Haven, Connecticut and is a corporate member of Yale-New Haven Health Services Corporation (“YNHHS”). *FF1* Since May 1, 2011, the Hospital has operated Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon (“Foxon Center”) in East Haven. *FF2* The Foxon Center offers urgent care services on an episodic, walk-in basis for non-life threatening, low-acuity conditions. *FF2* Professional services are provided by the Northeast Medical Group (“NEMG”), YNHHS’s affiliated medical foundation. *FF9* The Foxon Center has primarily served the towns of East Haven, New Haven, and North Branford. *FF5*

The Hospital proposes to terminate its urgent care services at the Foxon Center. *FF3* The proposal is the result of the Hospital’s assessment of its outpatient services to determine duplicative offering in contiguous communities. The rate of volume increases at the Foxon Center has been steadily declining each year since FY 2012 and the Center has realized a loss from operations for each year since FY 2012. *FF14, 16* The Foxon Center was identified as an underperforming outpatient services site in a market that has become saturated with urgent care and walk-in clinics providers. *FF4*

Access to services will be maintained by the proposal, as alternative urgent care and walk-in providers and sites are available for patient choice. Within the YNHHS network, the Hospital provides emergent care and fast track services within its two Emergency Departments in New Haven and one in Guilford, 6, 7.4 and 10.3 miles from the Foxon Center, respectively and NEMG operates walk-in clinics in North Haven and West Haven, 7 and 10.5 miles from the Foxon Center, respectively. *FF8, 10* NEMG’s North Haven walk-in clinic currently has the capacity to accommodate nearly all of the Foxon Center urgent care visits. *FF12* In addition, NEMG offers appointment-based visits at several of its primary care offices located within the immediate area of the Foxon Center. *FF10* Further, there are 13 urgent care centers, 6 walk-in clinics and 1 community health center primary care site, not affiliated with YNHHS and offering similar services to the Foxon Center. All are located within 11 miles from the Foxon site. *FF6* Two urgent care providers, ASAP Urgent Care and 203 - Urgent Care, indicated that they also have the capacity and the ability to accommodate urgent care patients that may have previously utilized the Foxon Center. *FF13* Therefore, the Hospital has satisfactorily demonstrated that the closing of Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon will not result in a reduction in the access to urgent care services available to patients in this area.

The Hospital’s proposal will not negatively impact care for Medicaid recipients and indigent persons as the majority of the providers that offer this level of care in the area, including those both within and outside of YNHHS, accept Medicaid patients. *FF20*

There is no capital expenditure associated with terminating the Foxon Center. *FF19* The Hospital projects overall gains from operations in each of the first three years following the proposed termination. *FF17* Therefore, the Hospital has demonstrated that the proposal is financially feasible.

Access to urgent care services for residents of this area in need of episodic, walk-in services for non-life threatening low acuity conditions will continue despite the proposed closing of Yale-New Haven Urgent Care at Foxon. Further, the majority of urgent care and walk-in care sites remaining in the area provide services to Medicaid and indigent patients. The Hospital has demonstrated that the proposal is consistent with the Statewide Health Care Facilities and Services Plan by reducing unnecessary duplication of services.

## Order

Based upon the foregoing Findings and Discussion, the Certificate of Need application of Yale-New Haven Hospital for the termination of urgent care services at Yale-New Haven Hospital Urgent Care at Foxon Road in East Haven is hereby **APPROVED**.

All of the foregoing constitutes the final order of the Office of Health Care Access in this matter.

By Order of the  
Department of Public Health  
Office of Health Care Access

November 18, 2015  
Date

Janet M. Brancifort  
Janet M. Brancifort, MPH, RRT  
Deputy Commissioner



**Huber, Jack**

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**From:** Huber, Jack  
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**Subject:** Notice of CON Expiration Date for the Decision Rendered under Docket Number:  
15-32011-CON

Dear Ms. Rosenthal:

On November 18, 2015, in a final decision under Docket Number: 15-32011-CON, the Office of Health Care Access authorized a Certificate of Need ("CON") to Yale-New Haven Hospital for terminating the operation of the Hospital's urgent care center at Foxon Road in East Haven, Connecticut. Pursuant to Section 19a-639b of the Connecticut General Statutes ("C.G.S."), *"a certificate of need shall be valid for two years from the date of issuance by this office."*

With this letter, please be advised that pursuant to Section 19a-639b, C.G.S., the current CON authorization issued under Docket Number: 15-32011-CON will expire on November 18, 2017. Please contact me at (860) 418-7069 or Karen Roberts, Principal Health Care Analyst at (860) 418-7041, if you have any questions regarding this notification.

Sincerely,

*Jack A. Huber*

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