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August 15, 2017

Carol Schneider  
President and CEO  
Mercy Hospital & Medical Center  
2525 South Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60616-2477

**Re: Annual Hospital Survey**

Dear Ms. Schneider:

For Calendar Year 2014 thru 2016 the hospital reported utilization information for a fifteen (15) bed Neonatal Intensive Care Unit – Level III that was not approved for that level of care. The State Board needs your authorization to remove that data from the Hospital profiles for those three (3) years. Please provide written authorization to the State Board to remove that information from the profiles. Below is the utilization reported for those three (3) years by the hospital.

Neonatal Intensive Care (Level III)						
Year	Admissions	Inpatient Days	Observation Days	Peak Beds Set Up	Peak Census	Beds Set Up October 1
2014	460	3536	0	12	12	12
2015	744	4089	0	14	14	14
2016	881	3964	0	14	14	14

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Courtney Avery of my staff at [Courtney.Avery@illinois.gov](mailto:Courtney.Avery@illinois.gov) or 312.814.4825.

Sincerely,

Kathy Olson, Board Chair  
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board