

## STATE OF ILLINOIS HEALTH FACILITIES AND SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

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November 21, 2017

Timothy J. Brosan, V.P. Planning And Community Relations Palos Community Hospital 12251 S. 80th Avenue Palos Heights, Illinois 60463

RE:

Discontinue Categories of Service

Exemption:

E-047-17, Palos Community Hospital, Palos Heights - Discontinue Pediatric

Category of Service

Exemption Holder:

Palos Community Hospital - The St. George Corporation

Owner of Physical Plant:

Palos Community Hospital

Licensee:

Palos Community Hospital

Dear Timothy J. Brosan:

On November 21, 2017, the Chairwoman of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board (State Board) approved your request to Discontinue 15 bed Pediatric category of service. This approval was based on the application's compliance with applicable provisions of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act (20 ILCS 3960) and 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1130.

No later than 90 days after the discontinuation, the applicant must submit a written report to the State Board certifying that the discontinuation is complete. Please consider this letter our formal request for the report.

Please be advised that the State Board's approval does not exempt the project from any other regulatory, certification or licensure requirements that may be applicable. Should the facility for which the exemption was granted cease to be an existing health care facility as defined in 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1130.140, this exemption will be invalid.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Jeannie Mitchell at <u>Jeannie.Mitchell@illinois.gov</u> or 312.814.6226.

Sincerely,

Kathy Olson, Board Chair

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board