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Collin Anderson

Re: #20-017 - Request for Information

Collin:

We are reviewing this application for permit and had a couple of more questions. Please respond to the following:

1. Please provide a table with the 5-highest volume procedures to be performed at this surgery center.

	# of Procedures	Procedure Code	Description	ASTC Fee	HOPD Fee
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

- 2. HSHS is telling us that Dr. Ungacta performed no surgeries at St. Joseph Highland in FY2019 (June 2018-July 2019). From the end of FY 2019 through May 2020, Dr. Ungacta performed no surgeries at Highland, and only in the last few weeks has Dr. Ungacta started performing surgeries there. Dr. Ungacta states in the CON application that 200 surgeries will be taken from Highland. St. Joseph Breese, Dr. Ungacta performed 8 surgeries at Breese in FY 2019 (June 2018-July 2019) and 11 surgeries at Breese in FY20 through April 2020. Dr. Ungacta states in the CON application that he will redirect 20 surgeries a year from St. Joseph Breese. It is unclear how many procedures Dr. Ungacta will be referring to the Surgery Center. It appears that the referral letter submitted is incorrect. We are going to an explanation or a new referral letter.
- 3. Please explain whether Dr. Ungacta continuously accepts new Medicaid patients, has a quota on the number of Medicaid patients in his/her practice at a given time or does not see any Medicaid patients and how many Medicaid patient will be referred to the surgery center.