

Center for Children

Children's Healthcare Center Crisis Nursery 6650 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago, IL 60634 773.205.3600 773.205.3639 Fax

Des Plaines Campus

Jen School
Maryville Administrative Offices
Maryville Golf Academy
Saint Dominic Savio Home
San Francisco Homes
San Juan Diego Homes
1150 N. River Road,
Des Plaines, IL 60016
847.294.1999
847.294.2700 Fax

Eisenberg Campus

Casa Esperanza Homes
Casa Imani Home
Casa Salama Home
Saint Teresa of Calcutta Home
951 W. Bartlett Road,
Bartlett, IL 60103
630.736.7450
630.736.7485 Fax

Family Behavioral Health Clinics

(Locations in Bartlett, Chicago and Des Plaines) Administrative Offices 701 Lee St., Suite 100, Des Plaines, IL 60016 847.390.3004 847.390.3016 Fax

John & Mary Madden Center

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Saint Monica Homes 1658 W. Grand Ave., Chicago, IL 60622 312.491.3500 312.491.3501 Fax

Saint Josephine Bakhita Homes

115 N. Parkside Ave., Chicago, IL 60644 872.250.9720 847.294.2788 Fax

Saint Mary of Celle Home

1431 Euclid Ave., Berwyn, IL 60402 847.294.1800 847.294.1829 Fax

Saint Rose of Lima Home

1456 W. Oakdale Ave., Chicago, IL 60657 224.733.0170 773.372.1999 Fax November 7, 2023

Mr. John Kniery Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board 535 West Jefferson Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Springfield, IL 62761

Dear Mr. Kniery,

Maryville is a member of the community served by Advocate Lutheran General. Advocate Lutheran General is known for their high standard of care and the modernization project planned for the Center for Advanced Care is an example of the hospital leadership looking at their current facilities and operations and seeing how they can improve the care for all users. Our neighbors in the Des Plaines area will receive the benefit of the changes, continuing to receive exceptional care in a convenient location.

When we are in the community at events and business meetings, representatives of Advocate are always there, sponsoring and giving back to the community. Youth in our programs have been educated by those presenting, often in their native tongue, which makes it even more welcoming. We hope our youth never need to realize the benefits of the Center for Advanced Care but many of our staff have. While the facility as is is very welcoming, the enhancements to centralize care so patients do not have to move between floors, especially when immunocompromised, are appreciated. To provide greater privacy for patients and improve functionality of the services offered will create a better patient experience for all who choose Advocate Lutheran General for their healthcare needs.

On behalf of Maryville and our staff, I encourage the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board to approve Advocate Lutheran General's Center for Advanced Care's modernization project.

Peace and all good,

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