

**NOTICE OF AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
AND REQUEST FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

In accordance with the requirements of the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act, notice is given of the receipt of an application for exemption for discontinuation of the open-heart surgery category of service at Evanston Hospital, 1301 Central Avenue, Evanston, Illinois (#E-040-23). The Applicants are Endeavor Health and Endeavor Health Clinical Operations d/b/a Evanston Hospital. The licensee is Endeavor Health Clinical Operations d/b/a Evanston Hospital, and the owner of the site is Endeavor Health Clinical Operations. There is no cost to this transaction.

This exemption application was called substantially complete on **December 29, 2023**. Written requests (no emails or faxes will be accepted) for a public hearing must be received by the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board no later than **January 13, 2024**. The Application can be viewed at the offices of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board at the address below or at the State Board's website <https://hfsrb.illinois.gov/>

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
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