

August 25, 2025

Ms. Debra Savage
Chairwoman
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 W. Jefferson Street
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Letter of Support
CON Project 25-026
Discontinuation of Select Services
OSF Heart of Mary Medical Center, Urbana

Dear Chairwoman Savage:

As a referring provider and community health partner in the region, I am writing in support of OSF HealthCare's proposed restructuring, which would align services between OSF HealthCare Heart of Mary Medical Center in Urbana and OSF HealthCare Sacred Heart Medical Center in Danville into one hospital with two campuses.

We understand the restructuring includes the discontinuation of select clinical services at the Urbana campus. We remain confident in the ability of nearby hospitals, including ours, to help absorb the transition in service volume while maintaining access and quality of care.

We also support OSF's significant expansion of behavioral health services as part of this realignment. Access to comprehensive mental health care remains a pressing and growing need throughout our region, and this plan reflects a responsible, patient-centered approach to addressing those gaps.

Sincerely,



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