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Oklahoma State Department of Health

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## **RULE CHANGES EFFECTIVE JUNE 12, 1997**

The Health Resources Development Service's rule changes for Certificate of Need Facility Acquisitions and Certificate of Need Hearing Rules become effective June 12, 1997. Copies of the new rules will be available upon request at that time.

## **HEALTH RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT SERVICE REPORT**

Certificate of Need and Health Maintenance Organization matters considered by the Health Resources Development Service are reported in The Notice. Your comments, evidence, and requests regarding these projects should be sent to the Oklahoma State Department of Health, Special Health Services-0511, Health Resources Development Service, 1000 N. E. 10th, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1299. The telephone number is (405) 271-6868.

**I. Actions taken by the Oklahoma State Department of Health from April 24, 1997 to May 23, 1997 were as follows.**

### **Certificate of Need Applications Approved:**

Atoka Care Center, Atoka, #97-009. Contact Person: John Rich, 405/879-2277. Lease of this 96 bed licensed nursing facility by Ed Gage (50%) and John Rich (50%). Cost: \$155,808.00 for one (1) year. Approved: 05/09/97.

New Frontiers #1, Oklahoma City, #97-010. Contact Person: Cathy Nelson, 405/879-2277. New 6 bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$125,000.00. Approved: 05/16/97.

Shawnee Care Center, Shawnee, #97-024. Contact Person: Kelly Mitchell, 918/273-8043. Purchase of this 114 bed licensed nursing facility by Professional Long Term Care Services, L.L.C., which is owned by Bob G. Mitchell (37.5%), Gilbert F. Green (25%), Philip M. Green (25%), and Kelly O. Mitchell (12.5%) with a management agreement to Shawnee Care Center, L.L.C. with the same principals. Cost: \$2,650,000.00. Approved: 04/29/97.

Jan Frances Care Center, Ada, #97-025. Contact Person: Kelly Mitchell, 918/273-8043. Purchase of this 132 bed licensed nursing facility by Professional Long Term Care Services, L.L.C., which is owned by Bob G. Mitchell (37.5%), Gilbert F. Green (25%), Philip M. Green, (25%), and Kelly O. Mitchell (12.5%) with a management agreement to Jan Frances Care Center, L.L.C. with the same principals. Cost: \$3,050,000.00. Approved: 04/29/97.

Baptist Regional Health Center, Miami, #97-011. Contact Person: T. Pat Beaverson, 918/542-3391. Add four (4) gero/psychiatric beds for a total of 20 licensed gero/psychiatric beds. Cost: \$20,063.00. Approved 05/09/97.

Heritage Villa Nursing Home, Bartlesville, #97-014. Contact Person: Linda G. Scoggins, 405/235-7000. Acquisition of, this 100 bed licensed nursing facility, 50% of Bartlesville Nursing Home Partnership by Lenox Healthcare of Bartlesville, L.L.C., which is owned by Lenox Healthcare, Inc. (26%), Partnership Acquisition Trust VI (24%), and LIC-HHE Limited Partnership (50%). Cost: \$114,592.50. Approved: 05/16/97.

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**II. The following Certificate of Need applications are complete and ready for review under the Long Term Care Certificate of Need Act, the Psychiatric and Chemical Dependency Facility Certificate of Need Act, and the Certificate of Need Hearing Rules. The short reviews below utilize submission of written evidence and argument instead of public hearings. Short reviews are completed no more than five days after the public comment period ends. Acquisitions, facility relocations, and expansions of ten beds or ten percent of capacity may qualify for short reviews. All other types of projects require standard reviews, with formal public hearings and a longer decision-making process. This list was prepared on May 23, 1997.**

Choctaw Living Center No. 2, Choctaw, #94-083. Contact Person: Mr. Ralston B. Daily, 405/840-2628. New 16 bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$280,000. Approval date: 11/23/94. Reconsideration of the approval was ordered by the Commissioner on 12/9/94. Hearing has been deferred to a date to be announced.

Choctaw Living Center No. 3, Choctaw, #94-084. Contact Person: Mr. Ralston B. Daily, 405/840-2628. New 16 bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$280,000. Approval date: 11/23/94. Reconsideration of the approval was ordered by the Commissioner on 12/9/94. Hearing has been deferred to a date to be announced.

Tulsa Boys' Home, Sand Springs, #97-017. Contact Person: Mieke Epps, 918/245-0231. Establish a ten (10) bed drug and alcohol treatment center for adolescents. Cost: \$6,000.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/02/97.

St. Simeon's Alzheimer's, Tulsa, #97-023. Contact Person: Elise Dunitz Brennan, 918/582-1211. Add ten beds for a total of 54 licensed nursing facility beds for alzheimer patients. Cost: \$345,632.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the short review process is 05/05/97, and a final decision is due by 06/19/97.

Stillwater Medical Center, Stillwater, #96-081. Contact Person: Patricia Lawson, 405/742-5705. Add 14 skilled beds for a total of 32 skilled nursing facility beds. Cost: \$468,000.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/23/97.

Gatesway Residential Alternatives, Inc. #1, Tulsa, #97-019. Contact Person: Nita R. Giles, 405/741-3902. New six bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$294,781.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/16/97.

Gatesway Residential Alternatives, Inc. #2, Tulsa, #97-020. Contact Person: Nita R. Giles, 405/741-3902. New six bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$290,465.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/16/97.

Gatesway Residential Alternatives, Inc., #3, Tulsa, #97-021. Contact Person: Nita R. Giles, 405/741-3902. New six bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$300,966.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/16/97.

Gatesway Residential Alternatives, Inc., #4, Tulsa, #97-022. Contact Person: Nita R. Giles, 405/741-3902. New six bed specialized nursing facility for mentally retarded persons. Cost: \$283,541.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate under the standard review process is 05/16/97.

Columbia Seminole Hospital, Seminole, #97-018. Contact Person: Denis Harriet, 405/879-0999. Establish a 12 bed skilled nursing unit. Cost: \$1,944,772.00. Deadline for filing notices of intent to participate is 06/02/97, and a final decision is due 07/28/97.

**III. Applications filed with the State Department of Health under the Certificate of Need Program but not determined complete as of May 23, 1997, and which may be scheduled for reviews at later dates are:**

Holdenville General Hospital, Holdenville, #97-026. Contact Person: Gregg B. Eichner, 405/235-9621. Establish a ten bed gero-psychiatric unit. Cost: \$350,000.00.

Second Shamrock Nursing Home, Kingfisher, #97-027. Contact Person: John Higgins, 817/283-2838. Replacement of this 48 bed nursing facility. \$500,000.00

**IV. The following applications have been accepted under the Health Maintenance Organization Rules or the Rules for Certified Workplace Medical Plans.**

Prime Advantage Health Plan, Lawton, HMO-96-002. Contact Person: Tanya Case, 405/357-6684. License amendment to include products to serve commercial and medicare members. Approved 01/08/97. Reconsideration request denied 04/25/97.

PROklahoma Care, Inc., HMO-97-002. Contact Person: Michael Harrah, 405/290-5600. Annual license renewal. Deadline for comments is 05/26/97, and a final decision is due by 06/23/97.

PruCare of Oklahoma City, HMO-97-003. Contact Person: Cheryl Chambers 405/858-1350. Annual license renewal. Deadline for comments is 05/26/97, and a final decision is due by 06/23/97..

Prime Advantage Health Plan, HMO-97-004. Contact Person: Tanya Case 405/357-6684. Annual license renewal. Deadline for comments is 05/12/97, and a final decision is due by 06/09/97.

Cigna Healthcare of Oklahoma, HMO-97-005. Contact Person: Sharron Merry, 405/943-7711. Annual license renewal. Found incomplete 05/15/97, additional information due 06/13/97.

MetraComp, Inc., San Antonio, TX, WMP-96-017. Contact Person: Ms. Pat Townsend, 210/617-6861. Initial application to operate a workplace medical plan.

WorkCare Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, WMP-96-018. Contact Person: Loretta Copeland, 405/951-5000. Application to expand service area. Application was withdrawn 05/14/97.

National CompCare, Inc., Springdale, AR, WMP-96-019. Contact Person: Loretta Copeland, 405/951-5000. Application to expand service area. Application was withdrawn 05/14/97.

Travelers Medical Management Services, Inc., Hartford, CT, WMP-97-001. Contact Person: Robin R. Kearns, 860/954-6144. Initial application to operate a workplace medical plan.

Health Benefit Management Cost Containment Corp., dba Forte, Inc., Austin, TX, WMP-97-002. Contact Person: Ron Luke, 512/371-8100. Initial application to operate a workplace medical plan.

**NURSING AND SPECIALIZED FACILITY LICENSURE ACTION REPORT**

Enforcement actions initiated against facilities licensed under the Nursing Home Care Act, the Residential Care Act, or Title 63 O.S. Article 7 (hospitals and related institutions) are reported below. This list does not include certification sanctions under the Medicare or Medicaid programs. Your questions regarding the status of enforcement actions, or scheduling of upcoming hearings, should be sent to this address: Oklahoma State Department of Health, Special Health Services-0511, Enforcement Hearing Clerk, 1000 Northeast Tenth, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1299. The telephone number is (405) 271-6868. This list was prepared on May 23, 1997.

Debbie Hanigan dba DH & Associates, (SHS-HRI-97-01). The action against this home health care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 03/05/97. Decision pending.

Physicians Choice Home Care Providers, Inc., (SHS-HRI-97-02) The action against this home health care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 03/05/97. Decision pending.

Barbara Lackey, (SHS-HRI-97-03). The action against this home health care facility arose out of the Oklahoma Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 04/25/97. Hearing is set for 06/18/97.

Norman Homemaker Service Council, Inc., (SHS-HRI-97-04). The action against this home health care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 05/01/97. Health is set for 06/10/97.

Passion Home HealthCare, Inc., (SHS-HRI-97-05). The action against this home health care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 05/08/97. Hearing is set for 06/16/97.

Sunset Acres Retirement Center, (SHS-LTC-97-03). The action against this long term care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Order to cease and desist was dated 04/28/97. Hearing is set for 05/29/97.

Skyline Terrace Nursing Center, (SHS-LTC-97-04). The action against this long term care facility arose out of the Oklahoma State Department of Health's charges of failure to meet minimum standards. Petition dated 05/02/97. Decision pending.

**The State Department of Health has a Web page, which may be accessed at <http://www.health.state.ok.us>. Selected Certificate of Need laws, rules, forms and reports may be reviewed and copied from the department's Web pages.**

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