

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Olympia, Washington 98504

BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE Certificate of Need Applications

Applicants and Project Description:

<u>Puget Sound Gastroenterology, PS</u> d/b/a as Fremont Endoscopy Center is proposing to establish a three operating room ambulatory surgery center at 501 N 34th Street, Suite 101 in Seattle [98103] within the North King County Planning Area. This ambulatory surgery center is currently operating under a Certificate of Need exemption. If approved, there would be no change in the number of operating rooms or types of procedures performed at the surgery center.

<u>Puget Sound Gastroenterology, PS</u> d/b/a Seattle Endoscopy Center is proposing to establish a two operating room ambulatory surgery center at 11027 Meridian Avenue N., Suite 100 in Seattle [98133] within the North King County Planning Area. This ambulatory surgery center is currently operating under a Certificate of Need exemption. If approved, there would be no change in the number of operating rooms or types of procedures performed at the surgery center.

Estimated Costs:	Puget Sound Gastroenterology-Fremont: \$0
	Puget Sound Gastroenterology-Seattle: \$0

Public Hearing: No public hearing will be held unless requested. To request a hearing, the request must be in writing and include the name, address, and signature of the person making the request. Deadline for requesting a public hearing is 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 5, 2018. **Faxed requests will not be accepted**.

If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in the <u>Seattle Times</u> at least 15 days before the date of hearing.

Public Comment Period: If no public hearing is held, written comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Program by 5:00 p.m., <u>Monday, November 26, 2018</u>. **Faxed comments will not be accepted**. Send public hearing request or written comments to:

Mailing Address	Physical Address	
Department of Health	Department of Health	
Certificate of Need Program	Certificate of Need Program	
Mail Stop 47852	111 Israel Road SE	
Olympia, WA 98504-7852	Tumwater, WA 98501	

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Anticipated Decision Date: January 24, 2019

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call Janis Sigman with the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2956. For additional information or details log into our website: www.doh.wa.gov/hsqa/FSL/certneed