



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Olympia, Washington 98504

BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE
Certificate of Need Applications

Applicants, Project Descriptions, Estimated Costs:

The following six applicants are proposing to provide Medicare and Medicaid-certified hospice services the residents of Pierce County.

- The Pennant Group / Puget Sound Hospice: providing services from an office in Tacoma, with estimated capital costs of \$5,000.
- AccentCare/Seasons Hospice & Palliative Care: providing services from an office in Tacoma, with estimated capital costs of \$96,828.
- Providence Health & Services-Washington: providing services from an office in King County, with estimated capital costs of zero.
- Bristol Hospice-Pierce: providing services from an office in Thurston County, with estimated capital costs of \$30,000.
- Continuum Care of Snohomish County: providing services from an office in Snohomish County, with estimated capital costs of zero.
- Wesley Homes Hospice, LLC: providing services from an office in King County, with estimated capital costs of zero.

Public Hearing: No public hearing will be held unless requested. Requests must be in writing and include the name, address, and signature of the person making the request. The deadline for requesting a public hearing is Tuesday, May 3, 2022. If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in The News Tribune at least 15 days before the date of hearing. And a hearing may be in a format other than in-person due to safety concerns related to COVID-19.

Public Comment Period: If no public hearing is held, written comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Program on or before **Thursday, June 2, 2022**. Hearing requests and comments are not accepted by fax. Email them to: FSLCON@doh.wa.gov

Anticipated Decision Date: September 19, 2022

If you have any questions or would like additional information, call the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2955 or log on to our website: <https://doh.wa.gov/cn>