



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Olympia, Washington 98504

BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE

Applicant, Project Description, Estimated Cost:

Franciscan Health System proposes to permanently add 10 acute care beds to St. Francis Hospital located at 34515 9th Avenue South in Federal Way [98003]. There is no capital cost associated with the project.

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 on or before **Tuesday, May 23, 2023**. If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in the Seattle Times 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 on or before **Monday, June 12, 2023**. Email the public hearing request or written comments to: Jennifer.Kido@doh.wa.gov and FSLCON@doh.wa.gov.

Anticipated Decision Date: August 11, 2023

If you have any questions or would like more information, email Jeni Kido or check out our website at www.doh.wa.gov/cn.