

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Olympia, Washington 98504

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RE: Determination of Reviewability #23-23 – Department's Decision

Dear Dr. Amadi,

The Department of Health has completed its review of the determination of reviewability request submitted by Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC. The request proposes exemption from Certificate of Need review for the establishment of an ambulatory surgery center (ASC) in Mercer Island, within King County.

BACKGROUND AND FACTS

The following information was considered during the review process, and is recorded here for historical purposes:

- Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC is a Washington professional service corporation with the unified business identifier [UBI] 604 182 773.
- Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC is currently owned and governed by the following member¹: Arash J. Amadi, MD, Medical Director
- Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC will own and operate both the clinical practice and surgery center at the following location: 7800 SE 27th St., CU100, Mercer Island, WA 98040, within King County.
- The use of the ASC will be limited to member or employee-physicians of Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC. Revenues or visits used to determine primary purpose have been limited to those members.
- Clinical and surgical services to be provided at Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC will be limited to plastic surgery.

¹ Washington Secretary of State website

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• The surgery center will have two operating rooms.²

RELEVANT CRITERIA

The department reviews requests for compliance with the following:

- Applicable sections of both <u>chapter 70.38 RCW</u> and <u>chapter 246-310 WAC</u>; and
- The <u>Washington State Department of Health's Interpretive Statement CN 01-18</u>³

THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE FACILITY

- The anticipated revenue from surgical services provided at the surgery center will be approximately 47.05% of the total revenue generated by the facility.
- The anticipated patient visits for surgical services provided at the surgery center will be approximately 5.16% of the total patient visits to the facility.

CONCLUSION

Based on the totality of information in the request for determination of reviewability and resulting research, the department concludes that the operation of Amadi Aesthetics Plastic Surgery PLLC, to be located at 7800 SE 27th St., CU100, Mercer Island, WA 98040, within King County does not require a Certificate of Need at this time.

CHANGES THAT MAY AFFECT THIS DECISION

A facility can make changes that may impact the primary purpose of the facility, such as if the revenues or patient visits related to surgical services begin to regularly exceed half of the facility's operations. Changes, including but not limited to the following, will likely either prompt Certificate of Need review or necessitate a new determination of reviewability:

- A change of ownership;
- Operational changes;
- Expansion of services;
- The addition of operating rooms;
- A change in location; or
- If the physicians or the use of the facility changes which results in different total revenues or visits.

APPEAL OPTION

This decision may be appealed. You or any person with standing may request an adjudicative proceeding to contest this decision within 28 calendar days from the date of this letter. The notice of appeal must be filed according to the provisions of chapter 34.05 RCW and WAC 246-310-610. A request for an adjudicative proceeding must be received within the 28 days at one of the following addresses.

 $^{^{2}}$ For certificate of need purposes, operating and procedure rooms are both defined as operating rooms.

³ Approved by the Washington State Secretary of Health, John Wiesman, DrPH, MPH, effective January 19, 2018.

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If you have any questions or would like to arrange for a meeting to discuss this determination, please call (360) 236-2955.

Sincerely,

Eric Hernandez, Program Manager Office of Community Health Systems