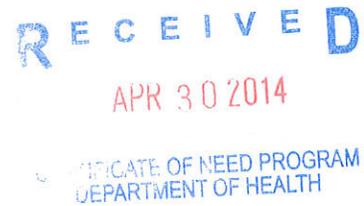


April 29, 2014

Janis Sigman, Manager  
Certificate of Need Program  
Department of Health  
111 Israel Road Southeast  
Tumwater, WA 98501-5447



Dear Ms. Sigman:

This Letter of Intent is for Northwest Kidney Centers to add 14 stations to its existing NKC Renton Kidney Center, located in the King 9 Dialysis Planning Area. In accordance with WAC 246-310-080, the following information is provided:

1. A Description of the Extent of Services Proposed:

NKC proposes to add 14 stations to NKC Renton Kidney Center.

2. Estimated Cost of the Proposed Project:

The expansion will be accomplished through a combination of use of existing built space and modest construction. The estimated new construction capital expense for the project is \$222,738. Per the request of Certificate of Need Program staff, we have included an allocation of the original building construction costs of \$287,392 based on the square footage associated with space within the 2011 relocation/construction in Renton WA. The capital expenditure for all 14 stations estimated at \$657,397, includes an allocation of historical construction costs as well as new construction costs and needed equipment.

3. Description of the Service Area:

Per WAC 246-310-280, the service area is the King 9 Dialysis Planning Area.

Sincerely,



Joyce Jackson,  
President & CEO