



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE
Certificate of Need Applications

Description of Proposal: Adding 3-stations to the existing St. Joseph Dialysis Center Gig Harbor in Pierce County Planning Area #3

Estimated Cost: \$788,980

Applicant: Franciscan Health System

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 hearing is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 22, 2012. Faxed requests will not be accepted.

If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in The News Tribune at least 15 days before the date of the hearing.

Public Comment Period: If no public hearing is held, written comments must be received by the CON Program by 5:00 pm, Tuesday, November 13, 2012. Faxed comments will not be accepted.

Send public hearing request or written comments to:

Mailing Address

Department of Health
Certificate of Need Program
Mail Stop 47852
Olympia, WA 98504-7852

Other Than By Mail

Department of Health
Certificate of Need Program
111 Israel Road SE
Tumwater, WA 98501

Anticipated Decision Date: January 15, 2013

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call Peter Agabi with the CON Program at (360) 236-2959. For additional information or details, log into the CON website: www.doh.wa.gov/hsqa/FSL/certneed/.

