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Janis Sigman, Manager  
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Dear Ms. Sigman,

This letter is written to notify the Department of Health that Proliance Surgeons, Inc PS dba Puget Sound Orthopaedics-Lakewood Surgery Center, intends to seek Certificate of Need approval for an ambulatory surgical facility to serve physicians and their patients in Pierce County, Washington. The facility will be located in the Department of Health's West Pierce County Planning Area for Ambulatory Surgical Facilities.

On receipt of a Certificate of Need, Proliance Surgeons, Inc PS, dba Puget Sound Orthopaedics-Lakewood Surgery Center, will serve Pierce County physicians in a broad range of specialties whose adult surgery patients can appropriately receive surgery in an outpatient setting.

Our current estimate of capital costs is \$315,000.

Will you please provide us with all criteria and standards by which you will evaluate our application as a multi-specialty surgical facility. You may send the information to our Administrator, April Gibson. Her contact information is: [a.gibson@proliancesurgeons.com](mailto:a.gibson@proliancesurgeons.com), 253.722.0481.

Thank you very much,

  
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