

**NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S DECISION  
APPROVAL OF A CERTIFICATE OF NEED  
THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

In accordance with 7 AAC 07.070, the Commissioner of the Department of Health has issued a decision on the Certificate of Need application described below.

**Project/Activity: Nuclear Medicine Department and Pharmacy and Oncology Infusion Colocation Project**

**Nuclear Medicine Department Addition**

The addition of a Nuclear Medicine Department will be located on the second floor of the main Hospital and will include a control room, a stress test room, an equipment room, a procedure (scan) room, a clean room (or hot lab), patient bathroom, and circulation requiring renovations to approximately 1,405 SF of existing space. Major equipment purchases include a Siemens SPECT/CT and an Ultrasound machine.

**Pharmacy Expansion and Upgrade**

The Pharmacy location will be expanded to 2,047 SF. Major equipment purchases for this expansion and upgrade include new compounding hoods, refrigerators, a freezer, and a Medication safe.

**Oncology Infusion Expansion and Relocation**

The new Oncology Infusion Department will be approximately 4,401 SF and located on the first floor. Major equipment purchases will include an Automatic medication distribution system, Exam tables, Warming cabinet, and five additional infusion chairs.

**Applicant's Name:** South Peninsula Hospital

**Total Cost of the Project:** \$10,686,825

**Estimated completion date:** All project components completed on or before June 2026

**Project/Activity Service Area:** Homer, Alaska

**Summary of Decision:** In accordance with AS 18.07 and 7 AAC 07, South Peninsula Hospital's request for a Certificate of Need for its proposed project has been approved, in its entirety.

Any member of the public who is substantially affected by activities authorized by this certificate of need may initiate an administrative hearing under 7 AAC 07.082. The request must be made in accordance with 7 AAC 07.082 and must be received by the department no later than 4:30 p.m., Monday, January 29, 2023. Please remit any request to:

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DATE: December 29, 2023  
Anchorage, Alaska