



RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

ELIZABETH DUDEK
SECRETARY

December 6, 2013

Mr. Michael Houston, Vice President
Authorized Representative for
East Florida Healthcare, LLC
450 East Las Olas Boulevard, Suite 1100
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

RE: CON Action Number 10202

Dear Mr. Houston:

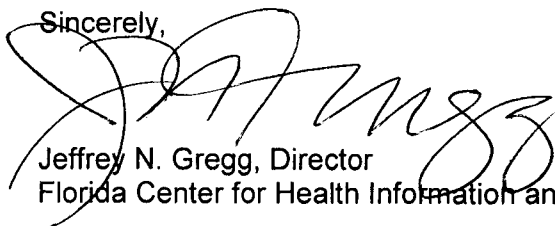
Effective December 6, 2013, pursuant to the decision of the Agency for Health Care Administration, I am advising you of the intent of this office to deny Certificate of Need Number 10202 to establish a 100-bed acute care hospital in District 10, Broward County.

Reasons and explanations for this intent are found in the attached State Agency Action Report.

You have the right to challenge this decision by requesting an administrative hearing under the provisions of Florida's Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and under Rule 59C-1.010, Florida Administrative Code. If this Notice of Intent is not challenged within 21 days after the publication in the Florida Administrative Register pursuant to the provisions of Subsections 408.039(4) and (5), Florida Statutes, the Notice of Intent shall become the Final Order of the Agency. A request for hearing must be in writing and must be actually received by this Agency within 21 days after the publication in the Florida Administrative Register.

A request for hearing must contain the information required in Rule 28-106.201, Florida Administrative Code, and must make reference to the "CON Action Number" mentioned in this letter. In addition, a request for hearing must indicate whether your proposal was reviewed comparatively with any other proposals and, if so, make reference to the names and CON Action Numbers of those proposals. The original and one copy of each request for hearing must be filed with or mailed to the following location: Agency Clerk, Agency for Health Care Administration, Fort Knox Executive Center, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Mail Stop #3, Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey N. Gregg, Director
Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis

cc: Broward Regional Health Planning Council, Inc.



AUTHORIZATION FOR AGENCY ACTION

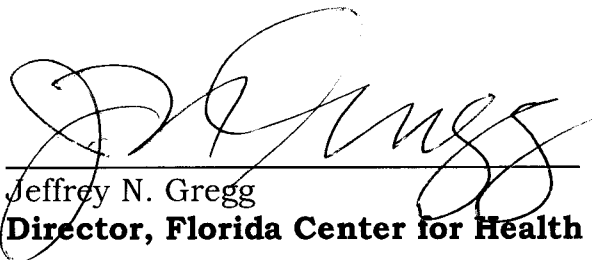
Authorized representatives of the Agency for Health Care Administration adopted the recommendation contained herein and released the State Agency Action Report.

DATE: 12/6/13



James B. McLemore

**Health Services and Facilities Consultant Supervisor
Certificate of Need**



Jeffrey N. Gregg

Director, Florida Center for Health Information and Policy Analysis