

December 27, 2023

Via Email: FSLCON@DOH.WA.GOV

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

RE: **Letter of Intent of Bristol Hospice - Pierce County, LLC to establish a new hospice program in Hospice Service area (Pierce County)**

To Whom it may concern:

I am the Executive Vice President of Mergers/Acquisitions of Bristol Hospice. I am authorized to submit this letter of intent on behalf of Bristol Hospice - Pierce County, LLC.

Bristol Hospice - Pierce County, LLC ("Bristol Hospice" or the "Applicant") intends to submit a certificate of need application to establish a new hospice program in Pierce County, in accordance with WAC 246-310. Bristol Hospice - Pierce County, LLC will file the application before the filing deadline of January 31, 2024.

The legal name of the Applicant is Bristol Hospice - Pierce County, LLC. The Applicant's mailing address is 206 North 2100 West, STE 202, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116. The Applicant's telephone number is (801) 325-0147.

In accordance with WAC 246-310-080 and WAC 246-310-290, the following information is provided:

1. **Description of Services proposed:** Bristol Hospice will propose to establish, license and operate a new Medicare and Medicaid eligible Hospice agency.
2. **Estimated Cost:** Total \$ 40,000.00
3. **Service Area:** The proposed service area will be Pierce County.

All future correspondence regarding this project and application should be directed to the undersigned, the Applicant's authorized representative, at:

206 North 2100 West, STE 202 Salt Lake City, UT 84116
Phone: (801) 325-0149
Email: troy.backus@bristolhospice.com; carolina.green@bristolhospice.com

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Troy Backus

Executive VP Mergers/Acquisitions Bristol Hospice
Applicant's Authorized Representative