



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Olympia, Washington 98504

September 10, 2020

Chris Walsh
Delta Rehabilitation Center, Inc.
311 Avenue J
Snohomish, WA 98290

Re: 21-02 Approval Letter Full Facility Closure Bed Banking

Dear Mr. Walsh:

Thank you for your Nursing Home Full Facility Closure Bed Banking application requesting to bank 125 beds at Delta Rehabilitation Center under Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 70.38.115(13)(b).

RCW 70.38.115(13)(b) requires bed banking requests to be received in the Certificate of Need Program office no later than 30 days following a facility's closure. Documentation provided by the Department of Social and Health Services confirms that Delta Rehabilitation Center voluntarily ceased operation on July 2, 2020¹. Your application to bank beds was received on July 31, 2020, and it was deemed complete on September 8, 2020.

RCW 70.38.115(1)(b) allows the licensee or any other party who has secured an interest in the beds to bank the beds under full facility closure for eight years from the date of the original bed banking. The Department has confirmed that Delta Rehabilitation Center was the licensee at the time of full facility closure.

The eight-year bed banking of the 125 beds at Delta Rehabilitation Center is effective on July 2, 2020, and will expire on July 2, 2028, or until a Certificate of Need is issued.

If you have any questions, or would like to arrange for a meeting to discuss our decision, please contact the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2955.

Sincerely,

Eric Hernandez, Program Manager
Certificate of Need
Community Health Systems

cc: Jennifer Brascher –DSHS/ALTSA/MS

¹ Washington Administrative Code 246-310-010(17).