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Notice of Cancellation of Certificate of Need Call for Maternal and Child Health Services

Take notice that, in compliance with N.J.S.A. 26:2H-1 et seq., Judith M. Persichilli, RN, BSN, MA, Commissioner, New Jersey Department of Health (Department), hereby publishes notice that the January 1, 2022, call for certificate of need applications for regionalized perinatal services and maternal and child health consortia, in accordance with the provisions at N.J.A.C. 8:33 and N.J.S.A. 26:2H-1 et seq., is hereby cancelled.

On February 4, 2019, the Department issued a certificate of need call for additional Intermediate and Intensive Bassinets in certain counties at 51 N.J.R. 178(a). The Department is in the process of reviewing the applications that were submitted in response to the February 4, 2019 call. Accordingly, the Department finds it necessary to cancel the January 1, 2022 certificate of need call for regionalized perinatal services and maternal and child health consortia, in order to allow the Department sufficient time to complete the review of the applications submitted February 4, 2019 certificate of need call applications.

In accordance with N.J.A.C. 8:33-4.1(a), the next scheduled call for regionalized perinatal services and maternal and child health will be January 3, 2023. The Department will continue to monitor the utilization and availability of regionalized

perinatal services and maternal and child health pediatric and, should the need arise, issue a future call for these services prior to January 3, 2023.