

PUBLIC NOTICE

HEALTH THE COMMISSIONER

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED CALL FOR DESIGNATION AS A TRAUMA CENTER

Take notice that, in compliance with N.J.S.A. 26:2H-1 et seq., Cathleen D. Bennett, Commissioner, New Jersey Department of Health, hereby publishes notice that the June 1, 2016 call for certificate of need applications for designation as a trauma center in accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 8:43G-12.14 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 26:2H-1 et seq. is hereby postponed. In accordance with departmental procedures as set forth at N.J.A.C. 8:33-4.1(a), the Department is unable to provide sufficient advance notice to potential certificate of need applicants and interested parties to either prepare their respective applications for designation as a trauma center or respond to these applications. Accordingly, it is necessary to delay the call for designation as a trauma center to allow potential applicants and affected parties sufficient time to respond appropriately to a certificate of need call notice in the event the Department determines that a call is appropriate. If the Department proceeds with the call, then a call for designation as a trauma center will be published in the New Jersey Register that will provide the necessary time for both potential applicants and interested parties to respond to the call notice. In the alternative, if the determination is made to cancel the call, then the Department will publish a cancellation notice in the New Jersey Register.