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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE FOR THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION FROM HUDSON HOSPITAL OPCO, LLC. FOR THE CLOSURE OF HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

The State Health Planning Board (the Board) will be holding a public hearing concerning the Certificate of Need application for the closure of Heights University Hospital submitted to the Department of Health by **HUDSON HOSPITAL OPCO, LLC**. Currently, this public hearing will proceed in-person only, without a virtual option. If a virtual option becomes available, a link and instructions will be linked on the Board's website (below). The public hearing will take place on:

**Thursday, August 27, 2026
from 5-7 p.m. at
Hudson County Community College's
Culinary Institute Conference Center's Banquet Room
located at 161 Newkirk Street, Jersey City, NJ 07306**

Copies of the application will be available for review at the Jersey City Public Library – Heights Branch, New Jersey State Library, and at the New Jersey Department of Health.

The Board invites the public to comment on the application and will accept comments from 5-7 p.m., or the closing of testimony. Comments will be limited to two minutes per person. Written comments may also be submitted at that time. Individuals who wish to attend or speak at the public hearing are encouraged to register in advance using the online form. Registration is optional but appreciated. Please use this link <https://forms.cloud.microsoft/q/HYaiNi15re> to register.

Comments may also be submitted in writing after the hearing. All comments must be received by the Board no later than **September 3, 2026**. Commenters are encouraged to keep their comments concise. Comments can be submitted via email to boards-councils@doh.nj.gov, with "Heights Public Comment" in the subject line. To submit comments by mail, please send them to the following address:

New Jersey Department of Health
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Attention: Carrie Camp and/or Michelle Saupe

Please note that the details included in this public notice, including, but not limited to, the date, time, and location, are subject to change. Please visit our website for the most up-to-date information at: <https://www.nj.gov/health/bc/state-health-planning-board/> or you may call the Department at 609-376-0960. Thank you.