



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

June 13, 2012

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Jason Bosh, Regional Operations Director  
DaVita, Inc. – North Star Division  
1301 A Street, #400  
Tacoma, Washington 98402

RE: CN12-20

Dear Mr. Bosh:

Enclosed is Certificate of Need #1477 issued to DaVita, Inc. approving the addition of two dialysis stations at DaVita's Ellensburg Dialysis Center in Kittitas County.

The certificate is not approval for any other local, federal, or state statutes, rules, or regulations. Such a project may also need Department of Health approval for a construction plan and facility licensing or certification, as well as other federal or local jurisdiction permits.

The Certificate of Need is valid for two years. The project must begin during this time. If there is substantial and continuing progress, we may extend the certificate for one six month period. For an extension, you must submit an extension request at least 120 days before the expiration. You cannot begin a project after the expiration date.

This decision may be appealed. Any affected person with standing may request an adjudicative proceeding to contest this decision within 28 calendar days from the date of this letter. The notice of appeal must be filed according to the provisions of Revised Code of Washington 34.05 and Washington Administrative Code 246-310-610. A request for an adjudicative proceeding must be received within the 28 days at one of the following addresses:

Mailing Address:  
Adjudicative Service Unit  
Mail Stop 47879  
Olympia, WA 98504-7879

Other Than By Mail  
Department of Health  
Adjudicative Service Unit  
111 Israel Road SE  
Tumwater, WA 98501



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We monitor projects until completed or the expiration date, whichever occurs last. We do this with quarterly progress reports. At least 30 days before the report's due date, you will receive a form to complete and return.

If you have any question, please contact Janis Sigman, Manager of the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2955.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steven M. Saxe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "S" and "M".

Steven M. Saxe, FACHE  
Director, Health Professions and Facilities

Enclosure

cc: Linda Foss, Department of Health, Investigations and Inspections Office  
Karen Stricklett, Department of Health, Customer Service Office



This Certificate is granted under the authority of RCW 70.38. Issuance of this Certificate does not constitute approval under any other local, federal or state statute, implementing rules and regulations. Examples where additional approval may be necessary include, but are not limited to, construction plan approval through the Construction Review Unit of the Department of Health, facility licensing/certification through the Department of Social and Health Services or Department of Health, and other federal or local jurisdiction permits.

**Certificate of Need #1477 is issued to:**

**Legal Name of Applicant:** DaVita, Inc.  
**Address of Applicant:** DaVita, Inc., 1551 Wewatta Street, Denver, Colorado 80202  
**Type of Service:** End Stage Renal Disease Facility  
**Facility Name:** DaVita Ellensburg Dialysis Center  
**Facility Address:** 2101 West Dolarway Road, Suite #1, Ellensburg, WA 98373

**ISSUANCE OF THIS CERTIFICATE OF NEED IS BASED ON THE DEPARTMENT'S RECORD AND EVALUATION DATED May 18, 2012, (CN App #12-20)**

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:**

DaVita Ellensburg Dialysis Center is approved to certify and operate seven dialysis stations. Services provided at the DaVita Ellensburg Dialysis Center include hemodialysis patients who dialyze in the chronic setting. The seven dialysis station breakdown at the facility are listed below:

Private Isolation Room	0
Permanent Bed Station	0
Home Training Station	0
Other In-Center Stations	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>

**Service Area**  
Kittitas County

**Condition:**

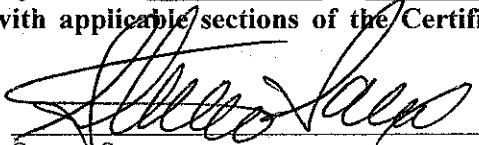
1. Approved project description as described above.

**Approved Capital Expenditure**

The approved capital expenditure associated with this project is \$195,760.

This Certificate authorizes commencement of the project from June 13, 2012 to June 13, 2014, unless extended, withdrawn, suspended, or revoked in accordance with applicable sections of the Certificate of Need law and regulations.

**Date Certificate Issued:** June 13, 2012

  
Steven Saxe  
Director, Health Professions and Facilities

**This Certificate is not transferable.**