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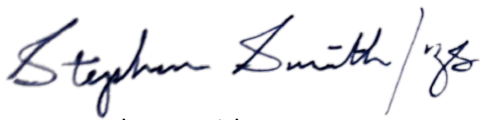
The Honorable Jim Bryson  
Commissioner  
Department of Finance & Administration  
State Capitol  
Nashville, TN 37219

Dear Commissioner Bryson:

In accordance with the provisions of T.C.A. 68-11-1613, please find attached a summary report of the hospital and nursing home bed approvals by the Tennessee Health Facilities Commission for the month of March 2026.

Please feel free to call me if you would like any further information.

Sincerely,



Stephen Smith  
Director

Attachment

CC: Representative Gary Hicks, Chair – House Finance, Ways and Means Committee  
Senator Bo Watson, Chair – Senate Finance, Ways and Means Committee  
Bojan Savic, Executive Director – Fiscal Review Committee

**PROJECTED FISCAL IMPACT FOR BED APPROVALS**

March 2026

<b>I. BED TYPE</b>	<b>INPATIENT BEDS</b>	<b>MENTAL HEALTH BEDS</b>	<b>NURSING FACILITY BED TYPES</b> Level I - Medicaid Only Level II - Medicare Only Level II - Dually Certified (Medicaid and Medicare) Non-Certified (Private Pay)	<b>NURSING FACILITY BEDS</b>	<b>HOSPICE BEDS</b>	<b>REHABILITATION BEDS</b>
Beds Approved	0	0	Total	0	0	0
Beds Delicensed	0	0		0	0	0
Beds Denied	0	0		0	0	0
Per Diem Cost	\$ -	\$ -		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Estimated Potential New TennCare Beds:	-	-		-	-	-

**II. BED TYPE FISCAL IMPACT**

Estimated State(33.64%):	0.3364			
Estimated Federal(66.36%):	0.6636			
		<b>STATE</b>	<b>FEDERAL</b>	
Annual Fiscal Impact to TennCare for Inpatient Hospital Beds		\$ -	\$ -	-
Estimated Potential Annual Fiscal Impact to TennCare for MH Hospital Beds		\$ -	\$ -	-
1) Annual Fiscal Impact to TennCare for NF Beds		\$ -	\$ -	-
2) Estimated Potential Annual Fiscal Impact to TennCare for Hospice Beds		\$ -	\$ -	-
3) Estimated Potential Annual Fiscal Impact to TennCare for Rehabilitation Beds		\$ -	\$ -	-

This annual fiscal impact projection assumes the current reimbursement rates as indicated below, 70% utilization by Medicaid patients unless otherwise known, and no patient income component. Because dually certified beds may be used for either Medicaid or Medicare reimbursement, a range of the fiscal impact is shown.

Current Reimbursement Rate:

**III. NURSING HOME BEDS ADDED WITHOUT CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW**

<b>Fiscal Impact: Medicaid Reimbursement</b>		<u>Level I</u>		<u>Level II</u>
	\$	-	\$	-
	\$	-	\$	-
	\$	-	\$	-
		<u>State</u>		<u>Federal</u>
<b>Total Part III:</b>	\$	-	\$	-
		<u>Total State</u>		<u>Total Federal</u>
<b>Grand Total:</b>	\$	-	\$	-