



June 28, 2018 Georgia Update

The Georgia Department of Community Health released its Batching Review Cycle Notifications on June 28, 2018. The batching notices can be found at <http://dch.georgia.gov/need-projections> and <http://dch.georgia.gov/public-notices>. The following chart summarizes the various healthcare services and the established need.

Georgia Summer 2018 Batching Cycle Notices--Assessments of Need

Beds or Service	Accepting for New or Expanded	Accepting Pursuant to Exception	Need Calculation
Adult Open Heart	No	NA	NA
Freestanding Birthing Center	Yes	NA	NA
Non-Special Purpose MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy	No	Yes	No Need
Special Purpose MegaVoltage Radiation Therapy	Yes	NA	NA
Pediatric Catheterization and Open Heart	No	NA	NA
PET Services	No	Yes	No Need
Psych and Substance Abuse	Yes	NA	NA

****Letters of Intent for Applications in this batching cycle are due no later than 5 pm on Monday July 30, 2018 (rollover date from Saturday July 28, 2018).**

****Complete applications for this batching cycle are due no later than Noon (12 pm) on Monday, August 27, 2018.**

****The next assessment of need for these service lines and beds will occur by December 31, 2018.**

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