

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR

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DIRECTOR'S USE ONLY	ACTION REQUESTED
1. LOG NUMBER 000147	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature DATE DUE _____
2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR cc: Brooks, Mullis Cleared 1/5/15, letter attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for appropriate signature DATE DUE _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOIA DATE DUE 1-5-15 <input type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action

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December 16, 2014

Brandy Putnam
SC Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202

**RE: Ark Hospice
101 Grace Drive
Greenville, SC 29640
Our File: 13-760-MC, Mason**

Dear Ms. Putnam:

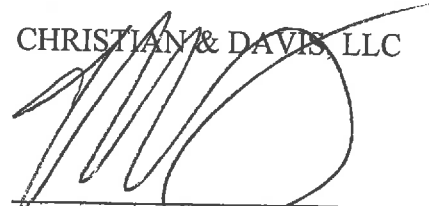
Pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting that you provide this office with any as filed Cost Reports and home office Cost Reports submitted by the above named provider for any contract periods between January 1, 2011- January 1, 2013 and the Desk Audit package for same.

I would appreciate if you would respond to this request within the next fifteen days. If the processing of this request will exceed \$50.00, please enclose an explanation of all reasonable business costs associated with the copying and production of these items prior to processing. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,

CHRISTIAN & DAVIS, LLC


Matthew W. Christian
Attorney at Law

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TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Cost of Processing FOIA Request #

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services has received and processed your FOIA request. The cost for processing this information is as follows:

Staff processing time at \$10.00 per hour	_____ Hours	\$_____
Pages copied at \$.10 per page	_____ Pages	\$_____
Pages faxed at \$.20 per page	_____ Pages	\$_____
Shipping and Handling Costs		\$_____
Other costs associated with the FOIA request:	_____	\$_____
Total Amount Due SCDHHS:		\$_____

Please remit the above amount to the following address:

Bureau of Fiscal Affairs
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8297
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8297

Please contact _____ should you have any questions.

Signature_____
Date:

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January 5, 2015

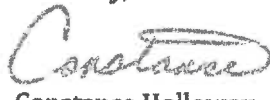
Mr. Matthew W. Christian, Attorney at Law
Christian & Davis, LLC
1007 E. Washington Street
Greenville, South Carolina 29601

Dear Mr. Christian,

This is in response to your request for information from the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) dated December 16, 2014 and received by DHHS on December 22, 2014. We do not require nor receive Medicaid cost reports for Hospice facilities. We do not have any cost report information for Ark Hospice.

Thank you for your request. If you have any questions, please feel to contact me at (803)898-0062.

Sincerely,


Constance Holloway
Attorney II
General Counsel

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