

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR

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TO <i>Roberts/Day/FOIA</i>	DATE <i>9-30-14</i>
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DIRECTOR'S USE ONLY	ACTION REQUESTED
1. LOG NUMBER <i>000070</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature DATE DUE _____
2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR <i>CC: Coy, Mullis cleared 10/7/14, letter attached</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for appropriate signature DATE DUE _____
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOIA DATE DUE <i>10-14-14</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action

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Department of Health & Human Services
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

September 24, 2014

FOIA Coordinator
Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202

Re: Request for Cost Reports

To Whom It May Concern:

I am making a request for information pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act S.C. Code §§ 30-4-10 through 30-4-165, and the applicable federal statutes and regulations, see, e.g., 5 U.S.C.A. §552 and 29 C.F.R. §1610.7.

In making this request, we hereby certify that we assume financial liability for the direct costs of the search for the requested records and their duplication as set forth in the applicable regulations. Please provide the following information within ten (10) working days after receipt of this request, or sooner, if possible.

We are requesting the following signed Cost Reports for:

1. NHC – North Augusta located at 350 Austin Graybill Road, North Augusta, SC for the years 2012-2014; and
2. UniHealth Post-Acute Care – Moncks Corner located at 505 South Live Oak Drive, Moncks Corner, SC for the years 2009-2012.

I greatly appreciate your attention to this request. Please confirm receipt of this request, and let me know if you need anything further.

Kind regards,
CONNOR & CONNOR, LLC



Rhiannon Brown
Paralegal



TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT: Cost of Processing Request for Information #

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services has received and processed your request for information. 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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Nikki Haley GOVERNOR
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October 7, 2014

VIA EMAIL ONLY: rhiannon@theconnorfirm.com

Ms. Rhiannon Brown, Paralegal
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Dear Ms. Brown,

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 September 24, 2014 and received by DHHS on September 30, 2014. Enclosed are the electronic copies of the SC Nursing Homes that you requested. We are unable to send you NHC - North Augusta's 2014 cost report as it has not been submitted to SC DHHS.

Our expense for extracting this information is 10 and 00/100 dollars (\$10.00). Please make the check payable to the Department of Health and Human Services and send it to:

Department of Health and Human Services
Department of Receivables
Post Office Box 8297
Columbia, SC 29202-8297

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

Sincerely,

Constance Holloway
Assistant General Counsel

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Enclosures