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- 1) Heading of the Part: Narrative and Planning Policies
- 2) Code Citation: 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1100
- 3) Section Numbers: Adopted Action: 1100.220 Amendment 1100.800 New
- 4) <u>Statutory Authority</u>: Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act [20 ILCS 3960]
- 5) Effective Date of Rulemaking: July 18, 2008
- 6) <u>Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date?</u> No
- 7) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- A copy of the adopted amendments, including any material incorporated by reference, is on file in the agency's principal office and is available for public inspection.
- 9) <u>Notice of Proposed Amendments Published in Illinois Register</u>: 32 Ill. Reg. 1039; January 25, 2008
- 10) <u>Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objection to this rulemaking?</u> No
- 11) <u>Differences between proposal and final version</u>: The following changes were made in response to comments received during the first notice or public comment period:
 - 1. In Section 1100.220, after the definition of "Planning Area", add the following:

"Resource Hospital" means the hospital that is responsible for an Emergency Medical Services System (EMS) in a specific geographic region. Responsibilities include education for EMS personnel and recommendations for their re-licensure, and development of standard medical protocols for the EMS system for which it takes the lead. Resource hospitals deal with pre-hospital and Emergency Department issues only, unlike the Trauma Center. The Resource Hospital functions with the Associate and Participating Hospitals within the specific EMS system. There are 62 EMS systems within 11 EMS Regions in Illinois."

The following change were made in response to comments and suggestions of JCAR:

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1. In Section 1100.200, in the definition of "Freestanding Emergency Center", change "Systems (EMS)" to "(EMS) Systems".

In addition, various typographical, grammatical, and form changes were made in response to the comments from JCAR.

- Have all the changes agreed upon by the agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the agreements issued by JCAR? Yes
- 13) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any amendments pending on this Part? No
- 15) <u>Summary and Purpose of Rulemaking</u>: In Section 1100.220, the amendments include new definitions for Freestanding Emergency Center and Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services (FECMS), a new category of service.

Section 1100.800 provides planning policies for the FECMS category of service. The policies concern: planning areas, age groups, utilization standards, and need determination.

16) <u>Information and questions regarding these adopted amendments shall be directed to:</u>

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1100.APPENDIX A Applicable Codes and Standards Utilized in 77 Ill. Adm. Code: Chapter II, Subchapter a

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act [20 ILCS 3960].

SOURCE: Fourth Edition adopted at 3 Ill. Reg. 30, p. 194, effective July 28, 1979; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 4, p. 129, effective January 11, 1980; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 4895, effective April 22, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 10297, effective September 30, 1981; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 3079, effective March 8, 1982; emergency amendments at 6 Ill. Reg. 6895, effective May 20, 1982, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 11574, effective September 9, 1982; Fifth Edition adopted at 7 Ill. Reg. 5441, effective April 15, 1983; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 1633, effective January 31, 1984; codified at 8 Ill. Reg. 15476; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 3344, effective March 6, 1985; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 7311, effective April 1, 1987; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 16079, effective September 21, 1988; amended at 13 III. Reg. 16055, effective September 29, 1989; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 16074, effective October 2, 1992; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 2986, effective February 10, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 8448, effective July 1, 1994; emergency amendment at 19 Ill. Reg. 1941, effective January 31, 1995, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 2985, effective March 1, 1995; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 10143, effective June 30, 1995; recodified from the Department of Public Health to the Health Facilities Planning Board at 20 Ill. Reg. 2594; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 14778, effective November 15, 1996; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 6220, effective May 30, 1997; expedited correction at 21 Ill. Reg. 17201, effective May 30, 1997; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 2960, effective March 15, 1999; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 6070, effective April 7, 2000; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 10796, effective August 24, 2001; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 2904, effective February 21, 2003; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 15255, effective November 1, 2007; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 4743, effective March 18, 2008; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 12321, effective July 18, 2008.

SUBPART B: GENERAL DEFINITIONS

Section 1100.220 Definitions

"Act" means the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act [20 ILCS 3960].

"Admissions" means the number of patients accepted for inpatient service during a 12-month period; the newborn are not included.

"Applicable Codes and/or Current Recognized Standards" means the current

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official codes of governmental bodies applicable under law or regulation to Illinois health facilities and/or standards of health facility design, construction and equipment promulgated on a regular or permanent basis by an authority, public or private. A listing of the applicable codes utilized in the application review process may be found in Appendix A of this Part.

"Authorized Hospital Bed Capacity" means the number of beds recognized for planning purposes at a hospital facility, as determined by HFPB. The operational status of authorized hospital beds is identified as physically available, reserve, or transitional, as follows:

"Physically Available Beds" means beds that are physically set up, meet hospital licensure requirements, and are available for use. These are beds maintained in the hospital for the use of inpatients and that furnish accommodations with supporting services (such as food, laundry, and housekeeping). These beds may or may not be staffed, but are physically available.

"Reserve Beds" means beds that are not set up for inpatients, but could be made physically available for inpatient use within 72 hours.

"Transitional Beds" means beds for which a Certificate of Need (CON) has been issued, but that are not yet physically available, and beds that are temporarily unavailable due to modernization projects that do not require a CON.

"Authorized Long-Term Care Bed Capacity" means the number of beds by category of service, recognized and licensed by IDPH for long-term care.

"Average Daily Census" or "ADC" means over a 12-month period the average number of inpatients receiving service on any given day.

"Average Length of Stay" or "ALOS" means over a 12-month period the average duration of inpatient stay expressed in days as determined by dividing total inpatient days by total admissions.

"Category of Service" means a grouping by generic class of various types or levels of support functions, equipment, care or treatment provided to patient/residents. Examples include but are not limited to medical-surgical,

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pediatrics, cardiac catheterization, etc. A category of service may include subcategories or levels of care that identify a particular degree or type of care within the category of service.

"Emergency Medical Services System" or "EMS System" means an organization of hospitals, vehicle service providers and personnel approved by IDPH in a specific geographic area, which coordinates and provides pre-hospital and interhospital emergency care and non-emergency medical transports at a BLS, ILS, and/or ALS level pursuant to a System program plan submitted to and approved by IDPH, and pursuant to the EMS Region Plan adopted for the EMS Region in which the System is located. [210 ILCS 50/3.20]

"Emergent Care" means medical or surgical procedures and care provided to those patients treated in an emergency department (ED) of a hospital or freestanding emergency center who have traumatic conditions or illnesses with an acuity level that is classified as level one or level two based upon the Emergency Severity Index (ESI) as defined in the "Emergency Severity Index Version 4: Implementation Handbook" published by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville MD (Gilboy N, Tanabe P, Travers DA, Rosenau AM, Eitel DR; AHRQ Publication No. 05-0046-2; May 2005, no later amendments or editions included).

"Executive Secretary or Secretary" means the chief executive officer of the State Board, responsible to the Chairman and, through the Chairman, responsible to the State Board for the execution of its policies and procedures.

"Freestanding Emergency Center" or "FEC" means a facility subject to licensure under Section 32.5 of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act [210 ILCS 50/32.5] that provides emergency medical and related services.

"Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services" or "FECMS" means a category of service pertaining to the provision of emergency medical and related services provided in a freestanding emergency center.

"Health Service Area" or "HSA" means the following geographic areas:

HSA I – Illinois Counties of Boone, Carroll, DeKalb, Jo Daviess, Lee, Ogle, Stephenson, Whiteside, and Winnebago

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HSA II – Illinois Counties of Bureau, Fulton, Henderson, Knox, LaSalle, Marshall, McDonough, Peoria, Putnam, Stark, Tazewell, Warren, and Woodford

HSA III – Illinois Counties of Adams, Brown, Calhoun, Cass, Christian, Greene, Hancock, Jersey, Logan, Macoupin, Mason, Menard, Montgomery, Morgan, Pike, Sangamon, Schuyler, and Scott

HSA IV – Illinois Counties of Champaign, Clark, Coles, Cumberland, DeWitt, Douglas, Edgar, Ford, Iroquois, Livingston, Macon, McLean, Moultrie, Piatt, Shelby, and Vermilion

HSA V – Illinois Counties of Alexander, Bond, Clay, Crawford, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Franklin, Gallatin, Hamilton, Hardin, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Johnson, Lawrence, Marion, Massac, Perry, Pope, Pulaski, Randolph, Richland, Saline, Union, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, and Williamson

HSA VI – City of Chicago

HSA VII – DuPage County and Suburban Cook County

HSA VIII – Illinois Counties of Kane, Lake, and McHenry

HSA IX – Illinois Counties of Grundy, Kankakee, Kendall, and Will

HSA X – Illinois Counties of Henry, Mercer, and Rock Island

HSA XI – Illinois Counties of Clinton, Madison, Monroe, and St. Clair

"Hospital" means a facility, institution, place or building licensed pursuant to or operated in accordance with the Hospital Licensing Act [210 ILCS 45] or a State-operated facility that is utilized for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of physical and mental ills. For purposes of this Subchapter, two basic types of hospitals are recognized:

General Hospital – a facility that offers an integrated variety of categories of service and that offers and performs scheduled surgical procedures on an inpatient basis.

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Special or Specialized Hospital – a facility that offers, primarily, a special or particular category of service.

"Illinois Department of Public Health" or "Agency" or "IDPH" means the Department of Public Health of the State of Illinois. [20 ILCS 3960/3]

"Modernization" means modification of an existing health care facility by means of building, alteration, reconstruction, remodeling, replacement, the erection of new buildings, or the acquisition, alteration or replacement of equipment. Modification does not include a substantial change in either the bed count or scope of the facility.

"Non-emergent Care" means medical or surgical procedures and care provided to those patients treated in an emergency department (ED) of a hospital or freestanding emergency center who have conditions or illnesses that are not classified as level one or level two based upon the Emergency Severity Index.

"Observation Days" means the number of days of service provided to outpatients for the purpose of determining whether a patient requires admission as an inpatient or other treatment. The observation period shall not exceed 48 hours.

"Occupancy Rate" means a measure of inpatient health facility use, determined by dividing average daily census by the calculated capacity. It measures the average percentage of a facility's beds occupied and may be institution-wide or specific for one department or service.

"Occupancy Target" means a minimum utilization level established by IDPH for a facility or service, reflecting adequate access as well as operational efficiency.

"Patient Days" means the total number of days of service provided to inpatients of a facility over a 12-month period. This figure includes observation days if the observation patient occupies a bed that is included in the State Agency's Inventory of Health Care Facilities and Services as described in Section 1100.70.

"Population" or "Population Projections" means the latest estimates available as determined by IDPH.

"Planning Area" means a defined geographic area within the State established by

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the State Board as a basis for the collection, organization, and analysis of information to determine health care resources and needs and to serve as a basis for planning.

"Resource Hospital" means the hospital that is responsible for an Emergency Medical Services (EMS) System in a specific geographic region. Responsibilities include education for EMS personnel and recommendations for their re-licensure, and development of standard medical protocols for the EMS system for which it takes the lead. Resource hospitals deal with pre-hospital and Emergency Department issues only, unlike the Trauma Center. The Resource Hospital functions with the Associate and Participating Hospitals within the specific EMS system. There are 62 EMS systems within 11 EMS Regions in Illinois.

"Site" means the location of an existing or proposed facility. An existing facility site is determined by street address. In a proposed facility the legal property description or the street address can be used to identify the site.

"State Board" means the Health Facilities Planning Board established by the Act. [20 ILCS 3960/3]

"Unit" means the grouping of beds to provide a category of service. Units are physically identifiable areas that are staffed to provide all care required for particular service.

"Use Rate" means the ratio of inpatient days per 1,000 population over a 12-month period (Inpatient Days/Population in Thousands = Use Rate).

"Use Rate or Utilization Maximum" means a ceiling placed on an area's use or utilization rate in order to reduce the projected need for beds or services. Use rate maximums are designed to prevent the overestimation of needed beds in formulas which utilize historical demand. Maximums are used in planning areas where historical demand is inflated due to an immigration of patients from other planning areas.

"Use Rate or Utilization Minimum" means a lower limit placed on an area's use or utilization rate in order to inflate the projected need for beds or services. Use rate minimums are designed to promote the development of beds in areas where historical utilization is too low to create a formula bed need. Low utilization is caused by a lack of services in the area or by an out migration of area residents to

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other areas for care

"Utilization" means patterns or rates of use of a single service or type of service, within a given facility or also in combinations of facilities. Use is expressed in rates per unit of population at risk for a given period.

"Variance" means an exception to computed need based upon criteria or conditions for particular categories of service.

(Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 12321, effective July 18, 2008)

SUBPART D: NEED FORMULAS/UTILIZATION TARGETS

Section 1100.800 Freestanding Emergency Center Medical Services Category of Service

- <u>a)</u> <u>Planning Areas</u> <u>Planning areas are the same as those for medical-surgical and pediatric care.</u>
- b) Age Groups
 For freestanding emergency center medical services, all ages.
- <u>C)</u> <u>Utilization</u>
 <u>The minimum operational capacity for each treatment station in an FEC is 5.5</u>
 patients per day (2000 patient visits per year) based upon 24-hour availability.
- d) Need Determination
 No formula need determination for the establishment of a freestanding emergency center medical service category of service or the number of treatment stations has been established. Need shall be established pursuant to the applicable review criteria of 77 Ill. Adm. Code 1110.

(Source: Added at 32 Ill. Reg. 12321, effective July 18, 2008)