

November 3, 2016

Re: # 2397 CCN: #390267 Program: Hospital Accreditation Expiration Date: August 27, 2019

Mark A. Rubino President West Penn Allegheny Health System, Inc. 2570 Haymaker Road Monroeville, Pennsylvania 15146

Dear Dr. Rubino:

This letter confirms that your August 23, 2016 - August 26, 2016 unannounced full resurvey was conducted for the purposes of assessing compliance with the Medicare conditions for hospitals through The Joint Commission's deemed status survey process.

Based upon the submission of your evidence of standards compliance on October 13, 2016 and October 28, 2016, The Joint Commission is granting your organization an accreditation decision of Accredited with an effective date of August 27, 2016.

The Joint Commission is also recommending your organization for continued Medicare certification effective August 27, 2016. Please note that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Regional Office (RO) makes the final determination regarding your Medicare participation and the effective date of participation in accordance with the regulations at 42 CFR 489.13. Your organization is encouraged to share a copy of this Medicare recommendation letter with your State Survey Agency.

This recommendation applies to the following locations:

Murrysville Commons d/b/a Murrysville Commons 4262 Old William Penn Highway, Suite 210, Murrysville, PA, 15668

West Penn Allegheny Health System d/b/a Forbes Hospital 2570 Haymaker Road, Monroeville, PA, 15146

Please be assured that The Joint Commission will keep the report confidential, except as required by law or court order. To ensure that The Joint Commission's information about your organization is always accurate and current, our policy requires that you inform us of any changes in the name or ownership of your organization or the health care services you provide.

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Sincerely,

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