



December 21, 2016

Re: # 6172
CCN: #390102
Program: Hospital
Accreditation Expiration Date: October 29, 2019

David J. Patton
President
UPMC St. Margaret
815 Freeport Road
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15215

Dear Mr. Patton:

This letter confirms that your October 25, 2016 - October 28, 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 December 14, 2016 and December 21, 2016 and the successful on-site unannounced Medicare Deficiency Follow-up event conducted on December 09, 2016, the areas of deficiency listed below have been removed. The Joint Commission is granting your organization an accreditation decision of Accredited with an effective date of October 29, 2016. We congratulate you on your effective resolution of these deficiencies.

§482.12 Governing Body
§482.41 Physical Environment

The Joint Commission is also recommending your organization for continued Medicare certification effective October 29, 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:

UPMC St. Margaret Harnar Outpatient Center
3 Mariner Court, Pittsburgh, PA, 15238

UPMC St. Margaret
815 Freeport Road, Pittsburgh, PA, 15215

UPMC St. Margaret Cardiology Services
1800 Union Avenue, Natrona Heights, PA, 15065



UPMC St. Margaret Dermatology
2585 Freeport Road, Pittsburgh, PA, 15238

UPMC St. Margaret Geriatric Care Center
1215 Hulton Road, Oakmont, PA, 15139

UPMC St. Margaret Medical Imaging
1604 Burtner Road Suite 109, Natrona Heights, PA, 15065

UPMC St. Margaret Thoracic Surgery Center
200 Delafield Road, Suite 4050, Pittsburgh, PA, 15215

UPMC St. Margaret Vascular Surgery and Vein Center
200 Delafield Road, Suite 4050, Pittsburgh, PA, 15215

UPP Division of General Surgery -St. Margaret
100 Delafield Road, Pittsburgh, PA, 15215

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.

Sincerely,

Mark G. Pelletier, RN, MS
Chief Operating Officer
Division of Accreditation and Certification Operations

cc: CMS/Central Office/Survey & Certification Group/Division of Acute Care Services
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