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Northeast Survey & Enforcement Division

July 30, 2020

Timothy Harkleroad, Administrator Conemaugh Miners Medical Center 290 Haida Avenue Hastings, PA 16646

Re: CMS Certification Number (CCN) 391317 (former CCN 390130)

Dear Mr. Harkleroad:

We are pleased to notify you that Conemaugh Miners Medical Center meets the requirements at 42 Code of Federal Regulation (CFR) Part 485 for participation in the Medicare program as a Critical Access Hospital (CAH). The effective date for conversion to a CAH is July 1, 2020.

Your former CCN, 390130, is terminated as of midnight on June 30, 2020. Your new CCN for CAH status is 391317. When you make general inquiries to your Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC), you will be prompted to give either your provider transaction access number (PTAN) or the CCN. These identification numbers are used as authentication elements when inquiring about beneficiary and claim specific information. When prompted for the PTAN, please give the CCN. Your MAC continues to be Novitas Solutions. All questions concerning billings and other fiscal matters should be directed to your MAC.

Conemaugh Miners Medical Center has also been approved to provide post-hospital skilled nursing facility care as specified in 42 C.F.R. § 409.30. Swing-bed CAHs are assigned an additional number, which contains an alpha-character in the third position. The third character, the letter Z, indicates that the CAH has been approved as a swing-bed CAH. The swing-bed certification number for Conemaugh Miners Medical Center is 39Z317 effective July 1, 2020. The former CCN, 39U130, is terminated as of midnight on June 30, 2020.

Please note that a CAH may operate no more than 25 beds total for either acute care or swing-bed services.

All acute hospital services furnished on or after July 1, 2020, should be billed under CCN 391317. All billings for services for Title XVIII SNF services are to be billed under 39Z317.

Should there be any questions, please contact me at (215) 861-4223 or via email to monica.goodwin@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Monica Goodwin

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Northeast Acute & Continuing Care Branch



July 16, 2020

Re: # 590108

CCN: Pending Program: Critical Access Hospital

Accreditation Expiration Date: May 29, 2023

Timothy Harclerode CEO DLP, Conemaugh Miners Medical Center, LLC 290 Haida Ave Hastings, Pennsylvania 16646-5610

Dear Mr. Harclerode:

This letter confirms that your May 27, 2020 - May 28, 2020 unannounced initial survey was conducted for the purposes of assessing compliance with the Medicare conditions for critical access hospitals through The Joint Commission's deemed status survey process.

Based upon the submission of your evidence of standards compliance on July 01, 2020, The Joint Commission is granting your organization an accreditation decision of Accredited with an effective date of July 01, 2020.

The Joint Commission is also recommending your organization for Medicare certification effective July 01, 2020. 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 responsible for notifying the State Survey Agency that a recommendation for Medicare certification has been made. Please provide your State agency with a copy of your accreditation report, accreditation award letter, and this Medicare recommendation letter.

In accordance with CMS directives, your organization will be required to undergo a full on-site survey once conditions are appropriate to resume on-site activity. This survey will include all applicable Conditions of Participation (CoPs).

This recommendation applies to the following location:

DLP, Conemaugh Miners Medical Center, LLC d/b/a Conemaugh Miners Medical Center 290 Haida Ave, Hastings, PA, 16646

This recommendation includes your critical access hospitals as providers of acute care and swing beds.

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

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Chief Operating Officer and Chief Nurse Executive Division of Accreditation and Certification Operations

cc: CMS/Central Office/Survey & Certification Group/Division of Acute Care Services CMS/Regional Office 3 /Survey and Certification Staff