

The Pavilion

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SYSTEM

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Re: Project #11-113 The Pavilion Foundation Hospital
Board Request for Clarification

Dear Mike:

This is in response to the Board's request for clarification regarding two numbers that appear in the application in reference to patients denied admissions due to beds not being available. As you stated, these two numbers are 1,087 and 1,151.

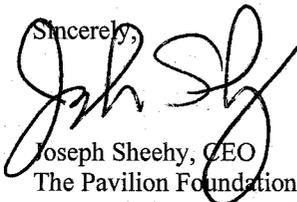
Both numbers are accurate. The difference in the numbers cited results from different time periods as stated in the application. The SAR did not reference the appropriate time periods.

- 1) The 1,087 patients denied admission is cited on page 168 of the application.
"There were 1,087 denied admissions *from January 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011* due to a lack of bed availability." [Emphasis added]
This is a 21 month time period.
- 2) The 1,151 denied admissions are referred to on page 172 and 191. On both pages the application states,
"*During 2010 and year to date 2011*, The Pavilion did not have bed availability for 1,151 patients, or over 52 patients per month." [Emphasis added]
Year to date was defined on page 171 as the 22 month period of January 1, 2010 through October 31, 2011.
- 3) On page 172 tables are provided with the monthly data for denied admissions from the hospital's records. While these were not tabulated in the application, you may note that the "2011 Year to Date" table includes one additional month of data, as it had become available. If these data are compiled, these tables indicate that the number of denied admissions from *January 1 2010 through November 30, 2011* – a 23 month time period -- has been a total 1,224, or an monthly average 53 patients.

I trust that this will help clarify the application.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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