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Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board  
525 West Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor  
Springfield, Illinois 62761

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Re: Cicero Dialysis (Project 18-037)

Dear Mrs. Avery,

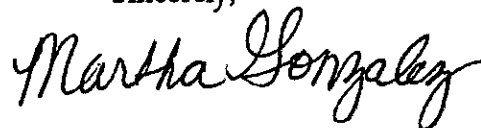
Please approve Cicero Dialysis. People in the area need this service and when you need dialysis it is a matter of life or death.

Me and some of my family have kidney disease or other sickness that hurt the kidneys like diabetes and high blood pressure. It is terrible to be affected by them and with them life is never the same. But I have to work to take care of myself so I must stay as healthy as I can.

We need more dialysis options in the area. Kidney disease is very hard on families who are poor and who work and have kids. And some people have to go to the clinic late at night if there is not enough options. It is more difficult when the times for treatment are not good.

Kidney disease is a very big problem in around Cicero. Poor people are most at risk. Please approve Cicero Dialysis so DaVita may open this clinic.

Sincerely,



Martha Orduña Gonzalez  
2218 N. Mobile Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois