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Via Overnight Delivery

Karen Senger, RN, BSN
Division Chief
Division of Health Care Facilities and Programs
Illinois Department of Public Health
525 West Jefferson St., 4th Flr
Springfield, IL 62761

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**HEALTH FACILITIES &
SERVICES REVIEW BOARD**

**Re: Discontinuation of MetroSouth Medical Center, Blue Island
Surrender of License #0005835**

Dear Ms. Senger,

On October 22, 2019, the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board ("Review Board") approved the discontinuation exemption application to discontinue MetroSouth Medical Center, Blue Island, Exemption #E-024-19. The hospital's last inpatient was discharged and all services temporarily suspended on September 26, 2019 with notice to the Review Board. By this letter we are surrendering the hospital's License #0005835, which is enclosed.

In accordance with Section 250.1510(e)(2) of the Hospital Licensing Code and Section 6.17 of the Hospital Licensing Act, MetroSouth has entered into a written Medical Records Custodial Agreement with Vista Medical Center East, Waukegan, which is also affiliated with Quorum Health Corporation, for the preservation of patient medical records. Pursuant to the Agreement, Vista Medical Center East will assume custody of all of the MetroSouth's hard copy and electronic patient medical records, and provide patient and physician access to the records. In accordance with Section 250.310 of the Hospital Licensing Code, MetroSouth has entered into a written agreement with the Federation of State Medical Boards for the preservation of medical staff credentialing files.

Please contact me if any additional information is needed in connection with the discontinuation of MetroSouth Medical Center.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Walsh".

John Walsh
CEO, MetroSouth Medical Center

Enclosure

cc: Courtney Avery, Administrator, IHFSRB



**Illinois Department of
PUBLIC HEALTH**

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LICENSE, PERMIT, CERTIFICATION, REGISTRATION

The person, firm or corporation whose name appears on this certificate has complied with the provisions of the Illinois statutes and/or rules and regulations and is hereby authorized to engage in the activity as indicated below.

Nirav D. Shah, M.D.,J.D.
Director

Issued under the authority of
the Illinois Department of
Public Health

EXPIRATION DATE	CATEGORY	I.D. NUMBER
2/28/2020		0005835
General Hospital		
Effective: 03/01/2019		

**Blue Island Hospital Company, LLC
dba MetroSouth Medical Center
12935 South Gregory Street**

Blue Island, IL 60406

