

**STATE OF NEW YORK**  
**PUBLIC HEALTH AND HEALTH PLANNING COUNCIL**

**AD HOC COMMITTEE ON NURSING HOME CERTIFICATE OF NEED**

**AGENDA**

*September 18, 2025*

*Immediately following the Full Council and Committee on Codes, Regulations and  
Legislation Meeting  
(Codes scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m.)*

*New York State Department of Health  
NYC – 90 Church Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor CR 4 A/B*

- I. **Welcome/Introductions** (Scott LaRue)
- II. **Committee Goal and Objectives (PPT)** (Scott LaRue and Val Deetz)
  - To examine current policies and practices governing the review of nursing home Certificate of Need (CON) applications and develop recommendations for the Department of Health (DOH) that could be applied uniformly across all nursing home reviews and utilized in developing project recommendations.
- III. **Focus Area for Discussion- Qualifications of proposed operator(s) or operating entity.** (Committee Members)
  - **Purpose-** to ensure that such individual(s) have adequate and relevant experience to serve in the capacity of an operator if such individuals have no prior experience operating a residential health care facility (RHCF).
  - **Objective–** to create an agreed upon standard for defining “adequate” and “relevant” experience during nursing home CON reviews.
  - **Factors for Consideration-**
    - Minimum number of years in a leadership role,
    - Continuous employment in a leadership position at a health care facility or licensed health care agency (pool of applicants),
    - Compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements over a specified period of time and other factors deemed pertinent to nursing home CON application reviews, and
    - Any additional information or authorization requested by the Department. (Refer to *10 NYCRR § 600.2*)
- IV. **Wrap Up and Next Steps** (Scott LaRue)