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April 14, 2008

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Radioisotopes Licensing Division
Region III
2443 Warrenville Road, Suite 210
Lisle, Illinois 60532-4352

Re: NRC Radioactive Materials License #13-16680-01, Hammond Clinic, Munster, Indiana

Dear Sir or Madam:

We wish to amend the above referenced license to reflect the following:

Please change the Radiation Safety Officer from Dr. Barbara Carr to Dr. Kimberly Chaney. Dr. Chaney is currently an authorized user on our license.

Please refer to the attached copy of NRC form 313A (RSO), Dr. Chaney's American Board of Radiology certificate and the Delegation of Authority form.

We hope this is sufficient to grant our request. For further information, contact Nancy Boilek, Nuclear Medicine Department, at 219-836-5800, ext. 61019.

Sincerely,

Armin Pigula
Radiology Manager

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Medical Director
Cynthia J. Sanders, M.D., F.C.C.P.

Administrator
Beverly DeLao

**RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE
AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION
[10 CFR 35.50]**

APPROVED BY OMB: NO. 3150-0120
EXPIRES: 10/31/2008

Name of Proposed Radiation Safety Officer

KIMBERLY CHANEY, MD

Requested Authorization(s) *The license authorizes the following medical uses (check all that apply):*

- 35.100
 35.200
 35.300
 35.400
 35.500
 35.600 (remote afterloader)
 35.600 (teletherapy)
 35.600 (gamma stereotactic radiosurgery)
 35.1000 ()

PART I – TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE
(Select one of the four methods below)

*Training and Experience, including board certification, must have been obtained within the 7 years preceding the date of application or the individual must have obtained related continuing education and experience since the required training and experience was completed. Provide dates, duration, and description of continuing education and experience related to the uses checked above.

1. Board Certification

- a. Provide a copy of the board certification.
- b. Use Table 3.c. to describe training in radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for all types of medical use on the license.
- c. Skip to and complete Part II Preceptor Attestation.

OR

2. Current Radiation Safety Officer Seeking Authorization to Be Recognized as a Radiation Safety Officer for the Additional Medical Uses Checked Above

- a. Use the table in section 3.c. to describe training in radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for the additional types of medical use for which recognition as RSO is sought.
- b. Skip to and complete Part II Preceptor Attestation.

OR

3. Structured Educational Program for Proposed Radiation Safety Officer

a. Classroom and Laboratory Training

Description of Training	Location of Training	Clock Hours	Dates of Training*
Radiation physics and instrumentation			
Radiation protection			
Mathematics pertaining to the use and measurement of radioactivity			
Radiation biology			
Radiation dosimetry			

Total Hours of Training:

RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

3. Structured Educational Program for Proposed Radiation Safety Officer (continued)

b. Supervised Radiation Safety Experience

(If more than one supervising individual is necessary to document supervised work experience, provide multiple copies of this section.)

Description of Experience	Location of Training/ License or Permit Number of Facility	Dates of Training*
Shipping, receiving, and performing related radiation surveys		
Using and performing checks for proper operation of instruments used to determine the activity of dosages, survey meters, and instruments used to measure radionuclides		
Securing and controlling byproduct material		
Using administrative controls to avoid mistakes in administration of byproduct material		
Using procedures to prevent or minimize radioactive contamination and using proper decontamination procedures		
Using emergency procedures to control byproduct material		
Disposing of byproduct material		
Licensed Material Used (e.g., 35.100, 35.200, etc.)+		

+ Choose all applicable sections of 10 CFR Part 35 to describe radioisotopes and quantities used: 35.100, 35.200, 35.300, 35.400, 35.500, 35.600 remote afterloader units, 35.600 teletherapy units, 35.600 gamma stereotactic radiosurgery units, emerging technologies (provide list of devices).

RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

3. Structured Educational Program for Proposed Radiation Safety Officer (continued)

b. Supervised Radiation Safety Experience (continued)

(If more than one supervising individual is necessary to document supervised work experience, provide multiple copies of this section.)

Supervising Individual	License/Permit Number listing supervising individual as a Radiation Safety Officer
This license authorizes the following medical uses:	
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.100	<input type="checkbox"/> 35.200
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.300	<input type="checkbox"/> 35.400
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.500	<input type="checkbox"/> 35.600 (remote afterloader)
<input type="checkbox"/> 35.600 (gamma stereotactic radiosurgery)	<input type="checkbox"/> 35.600 (teletherapy)
	<input type="checkbox"/> 35.1000 ()

c. Describe training in radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for all types of medical use on the license.

Description of Training	Training Provided By	Dates of Training*
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.100, 35.200, and 35.500 uses	HAMMOND CLINIC, LLC	07/07-03/08
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.300 uses	HAMMOND CLINIC, LLC	07/07-03/08
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.400 uses		
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.600 - teletherapy uses		
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.600 - remote afterloader uses		
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.600 - gamma stereotactic radiosurgery uses		
Radiation safety, regulatory issues, and emergency procedures for 35.1000, specify use(s):		

RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

Preceptor Attestation (continued)

First Section (continued)

Check one of the following:

3. Additional Authorization as Radiation Safety Officer

I attest that _____ is an
Name of Proposed Radiation Safety Officer

- Authorized User Authorized Nuclear Pharmacist
 Authorized Medical Physicist

identified on the Licensees license and has experience with the radiation safety aspects of similar type of use of byproduct material for which the individual has Radiation Safety Officer responsibilities

AND

Second Section

Complete for all (check all that apply):

I attest that **KIMBERLY CHANEY, MD** has training in the radiation safety, regulatory issues, and
Name of Proposed Radiation Safety Officer

emergency procedures for the following types of use:

- 35.100
 35.200
 35.300 oral administration of less than or equal to 33 millicuries of sodium iodide I-131, for which a written directive is required
 35.300 oral administration of greater than 33 millicuries of sodium iodide I-131
 35.300 parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or a photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required
 35.300 parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required
 35.400
 35.500
 35.600 remote afterloader units
 35.600 teletherapy units
 35.600 gamma stereotactic radiosurgery units
 35.1000 emerging technologies, including:

RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

AND

**Third Section
Complete for ALL**

I attest that **KIMBERLY CHANEY, MD** has achieved a level of radiation safety knowledge
Name of Proposed Radiation Safety Officer
sufficient to function independently as a Radiation Safety Officer for a medical use licensee.

**Fourth Section
Complete the following for Preceptor Attestation and signature**

I am the Radiation Safety Officer for **HAMMOND CLINIC, LLC**
Name of Facility

License/Permit Number: **13-16680-01**

Name of Preceptor	Signature	Telephone Number	Date
Barbara E. Carr, M.D.	<i>Barbara E. Carr, MD</i>	(219) 836-4647	3/12/08


DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

DATE: 04/11/2008
TO: THE RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER
FROM: ADMINISTRATOR
SUBJECT: DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

You, Kimberly Chaney, M.D., have been appointed Radiation Safety Officer and are responsible for ensuring the safe use of radiation. You are responsible for managing the radiation protection program; identifying radiation protection problems; initiating, recommending, or providing corrective actions; verifying implementation of corrective actions; stopping unsafe activities; and ensuring compliance with the rules. You are hereby delegated the authority necessary to meet those responsibilities, including prohibiting the use of radioactive material by employees who do not meet the necessary requirements and shutting down operations where justified by radiation safety. You are required to notify management if staff do not cooperate and do not address radiation safety issues. In addition, you are free to raise issues with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission at any time.


Beverly DeLao (Administrator)

I accept the above responsibilities,


Kimberly Chaney, M.D.

The American Board of Radiology

*Organized through the cooperation of the
American College of Radiology, the American Roentgen Ray Society,
the American Radium Society, the Radiological Society of North America,
the Section on Radiology of the American Medical Association,
the American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology, the Association of
University Radiologists, and American Association of Physicists in Medicine
Hereby certifies that*

Kimberly Ann Chaney, MD

*Has pursued an accepted course of graduate study
and clinical work, has met certain standards and qualifications and
has passed the examinations conducted under the authority of
The American Board of Radiology*

On this fifth day of November, 2007

*Thereby demonstrating to the satisfaction of the Board
that she is qualified to practice the specialty of*

Diagnostic Radiology

AM Eligible



Certificate No. 55296

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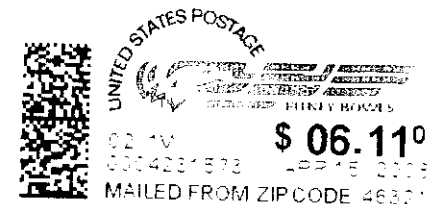
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