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NRC License No.: 06-01060-01
Docket No.: 030-01247

May 30, 2013

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region 1
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region 1
2100 Renaissance Boulevard, Suite 100
King of Prussia, PA 19406

RE: Bridgeport Hospital Amendment Request to Add a New Authorized User to License No.: 06-01060-01.

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Gentlemen & Women of the NRC:

Bridgeport Hospital would like to amend its license to add Terence W. Hughes, M.D. as an Authorized User for Y-90 SirSpheres, under the NRC June 2012 training and experience guidance (A.3. & B.) on Microsphere Brachytherapy Sources and Devices (ML12179A353).

Attached to this letter you will find a completed preceptor statement signed by Dr. Scott Williams, who is an Authorized User for Y-90 SirSpheres under the Bridgeport Hospital license and copies of Dr. Hughes ABR Certifications in Vascular and Interventional Radiology (2012) and in Diagnostic Radiology (2000).

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Bohan at (203) 688-2950, or mike.bohan@yale.edu.

Regards,

Michael R. Tatta
Director, Imaging, Laboratory & Radiation Oncology

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Attachments: Preceptor Statement for Dr. Hughes
Dr. Hughes ABR Certificate VIR (2012)
Dr. Hughes ABR Certificate DR (2000)

**AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE
AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION**
(for uses defined under 35.300)
[10 CFR 35.390, 35.392, 35.394, and 35.396]

APPROVED BY OMB: NO. 3150-0120
EXPIRES: (05/31/2015)

Name of Proposed Authorized User

Terence W. Hughes, M.D.

State or Territory Where Licensed

Connecticut

Requested Authorization(s) (check all that apply):

35.300 Use of unsealed byproduct material for which a written directive is required

OR

35.300 Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)

35.300 Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)

35.300 Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or 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

PART I -- TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE
(Select one of the three 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 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. For 35.390, provide documentation on supervised clinical case experience. The table in section 3.c. may be used to document this experience.

c. For 35.396, provide documentation on classroom and laboratory training, supervised work experience, and supervised clinical case experience. The tables in sections 3.a., 3.b., and 3.c. may be used to document this experience.

d. Skip to and complete Part II Preceptor Attestation.

2. Current 35.300, 35.400, or 35.600 Authorized User Seeking Additional Authorization

a. Authorized User on Materials License _____ under the requirements below or equivalent Agreement State requirements (check all that apply):

35.390 35.392 35.394 35.490 35.690

b. If currently authorized for a subset of clinical uses under 35.300, provide documentation on additional required supervised case experience. The table in section 3.c. may be used to document this experience. Also provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.

c. If currently authorized under 35.490 or 35.690 and requesting authorization for 35.396, provide documentation on classroom and laboratory training, supervised work experience, and supervised clinical case experience. The tables in sections 3.a., 3.b., and 3.c. may be used to document this experience. Also provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.

AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User

a. Classroom and Laboratory Training 35.390 35.392 35.394 35.396

Description of Training	Location of Training	Clock Hours	Dates of Training*
Radiation physics and instrumentation	Bridgeport Hospital, 267 Grant Street, Bridgeport, CT 06610, NRC Lic.: 06-01060-01	20	May 2011 - May 2013
Radiation protection	Same as above	20	May 2011 - May 2013
Mathematics pertaining to the use and measurement of radioactivity	Same as above	20	May 2011 - May 2013
Chemistry of byproduct material for medical use	Same as above	20	May 2011 - May 2013
Radiation biology	Same as above	20	May 2011 - May 2013
Total Hours of Training:		<input type="text" value="100"/>	

b. Supervised Work Experience 35.390 35.392 35.394 35.396

If more than one supervising individual is necessary to document supervised training, provide multiple copies of this page.

Supervised Work Experience		Total Hours of Experience:	
Description of Experience Must Include:	Location of Experience/License or Permit Number of Facility	Confirm	Dates of Experience*
Ordering, receiving, and unpacking radioactive materials safely and performing the related radiation surveys	Bridgeport Hospital, 267 Grant Street, Bridgeport, CT 06610, NRC Lic.: 06-01060-01	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	May 2011 - May 2013
Performing quality control procedures on instruments used to determine the activity of dosages and performing checks for proper operation of survey meters	Same as above	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	May 2011 - May 2013
Calculating, measuring, and safely preparing patient or human research subject dosages	Same as above	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	May 2011 - May 2013
Using administrative controls to prevent a medical event involving the use of unsealed byproduct material	Same as above	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	May 2011 - May 2013
Using procedures to contain spilled byproduct material safely and using proper decontamination procedures	Same as above	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	May 2011 - May 2013

AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User (continued)

b. Supervised Work Experience (continued)

Supervising Individual Scott Williams, M.D.	License/Permit Number listing supervising individual as an authorized user 06-01060-01
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Supervising individual meets the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements (*check all that apply*)**:

- 35.390 With experience administering dosages of:
- 35.392 Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
 - 35.394 Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
 - 35.396 Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
 - Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

** Supervising Authorized User must have experience in administering dosages in the same dosage category or categories as the individual requesting authorized user status.

c. Supervised Clinical Case Experience

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

Description of Experience	Number of Cases Involving Personal Participation	Location of Experience/License or Permit Number of Facility	Dates of Experience*
Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)			
Oral administration of sodium iodide I-131 requiring a written directive in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)			
Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required	> 15 Cases Y-90 SirSpheres	Bridgeport Hospital, 267 Grant Street, Bridgeport, CT 06610, NRC Lic.: 06-01060-01	May 2011 - May 2013
Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 150px; margin: 5px 0;"></div> (List radionuclides)			

AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

3. Training and Experience for Proposed Authorized User (continued)

c. Supervised Clinical Case Experience (continued)

Supervising Individual	License/Permit Number listing supervising individual as an authorized user
Scott Williams, M.D.	06-01060-01

Supervising individual meets the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements (*check all that apply*)**;

- 35.3p0 With experience administering dosages of:
 - 35.3p2 Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
 - 35.3p4 Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
 - 35.3p6 Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
 - Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

** Supervising Authorized User must have experience in administering dosages in the same dosage category or categories as the individual requesting authorized user status.

d. Provide completed Part II Preceptor Attestation.

PART II – PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION

Note: This part must be completed by the individual's preceptor. The preceptor does not have to be the supervising individual as long as the preceptor provides, directs, or verifies training and experience required. If more than one preceptor is necessary to document experience, obtain a separate preceptor statement from each.

By checking the boxes below, the preceptor is attesting that the individual has knowledge to fulfill the duties of the position sought and not attesting to the individual's "general clinical competency."

First Section

Check one of the following for each requested authorization:

For 35.390:

Board Certification

I attest that Terence W. Hughes, M.D. has satisfactorily completed the training and experience requirements in 35.390(a)(1).
Name of Proposed Authorized User

OR

Training and Experience

I attest that _____ has satisfactorily completed the 700 hours of training and experience, including a minimum of 200 hours of classroom and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.390 (b)(1).
Name of Proposed Authorized User

AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

Preceptor Attestation (continued)

First Section (continued)

For 35.392 (Identical Attestation Statement Regardless of Training and Experience Pathway):

I attest that _____ has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom
Name of Proposed Authorized User
and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.392(c)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case
experience required in 35.392(c)(2).

For 35.394 (Identical Attestation Statement Regardless of Training and Experience Pathway):

I attest that _____ has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom
Name of Proposed Authorized User
and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.394 (c)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case
experience required in 35.394(c)(2).

Second Section

I attest that Terence W. Hughes, M.D. has satisfactorily completed the required clinical case
Name of Proposed Authorized User

experience required in 35.390(b)(1)(ii)G listed below:

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

Third Section

I attest that Terence W. Hughes, M.D. has satisfactorily achieved a level of competency to
Name of Proposed Authorized User

function independently as an authorized user for:

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

AUTHORIZED USER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE AND PRECEPTOR ATTESTATION (continued)

Fourth Section

For 35.396:

Current 35.490 or 35.690 authorized user:

I attest that _____ is an authorized user under 10 CFR 35.490 or 35.690
Name of Proposed Authorized User

or equivalent Agreement State requirements, has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom and laboratory training, as required by 10 CFR 35.396 (d)(1), and the supervised work and clinical case experience required by 35.396(d)(2), and has achieved a level of competency sufficient to function independently as an authorized user for:

- Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required

OR

Board Certification:

I attest that Terence W. Hughes, M.D. has satisfactorily completed the board certification
Name of Proposed Authorized User

requirements of 35.396(c), has satisfactorily completed the 80 hours of classroom and laboratory training required by 10 CFR 35.396 (d)(1) and the supervised work and clinical case experience required by 35.396(d)(2), and has achieved a level of competency sufficient to function independently as an authorized user for:

- Parenteral administration of any beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV for which a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide for which a written directive is required

Fifth Section

Complete the following for preceptor attestation and signature:

I meet the requirements below, or equivalent Agreement State requirements, as an authorized user for:

- 35.390 35.392 35.394 35.396

I have experience administering dosages in the following categories for which the proposed Authorized User is requesting authorization.

- Oral NaI-131 requiring a written directive in quantities less than or equal to 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Oral NaI-131 in quantities greater than 1.22 gigabecquerels (33 millicuries)
- Parenteral administration of beta-emitter, or photon-emitting radionuclide with a photon energy less than 150 keV requiring a written directive is required
- Parenteral administration of any other radionuclide requiring a written directive

Name of Preceptor	Signature	Telephone Number	Date
Scott Williams, M.D.		203-389-3739	5/25/13
License/Permit Number/Facility Name			
Bridgeport Hospital, 267 Grant Street, Bridgeport, CT 06610, NRC Lic.: 06-01060-01			

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University Radiologists, and the American Association of Physicists in Medicine,
the American Board of Radiology declares that*

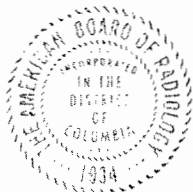
Terence William Hughes, MD

*has fulfilled the requirements of this Board's Maintenance of Certification
Program and is certified as a diplomate of the American Board of Radiology in*

Vascular and Interventional Radiology
a Subspecialty of
Diagnostic Radiology

*Ongoing validity of this certificate is contingent upon
meeting the requirements of Maintenance of Certification.*

*This diplomate of the American Board of Radiology
is permitted to use the **DAWR** mark to signify this certification.*



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the American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology, the Association of
University Radiologists, and American Association of Physicists in Medicine*

Hereby certifies that

Terence William Hughes, 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 seventeenth day of May, 2000

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

Diagnostic Radiology

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This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated

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Amendment (06-01060-01)
There were no administrative omissions. Your application was assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.



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