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**Subject:** Request for additional information for NRC License No. 13-02128-03  
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Dear Dr. Salmon:

This refers to the license amendment request for NRC Materials License No. 13-02128-03 for Franciscan Health: Indianapolis, Mooresville, and Carmel ("licensee"). Based on the review of the application, we will need additional information.

The licensee requests to add Dennis Churchill, M.D. as an authorized user (AU) for 10 CFR 35.1000 (limited to yttrium-90 as SIR-Spheres and TheraSpheres). The licensee provided that Dr. Churchill is a current ABR certified in Diagnostic Radiology and is a current AU for 10 CFR 35.1000 (limited to yttrium-90 as TheraSpheres) in NRC License No. 13-06009-01. However, the licensee did not provide information related to the authorization of Y-90 SIR-Sphere microsphere. Please provide information that Dr. Churchill is qualified to use Y-90 SIR-Spheres microsphere, such as a copy of the NRC or Agreement State license which named Dr. Churchill as an AU for Y-90 SIR-Spheres microsphere permitted by 10 CFR 35.1000 or information as discussed in the Yttrium-90 Microsphere Brachytherapy Sources and Devices TheraSphere® and SIR-Spheres® Licensing Guidance, Revision 10.2, dated April 20, 2021.

The licensee requests to add Craig Steven Schneider, M.D., Ph.D. as an AU for 10 CFR 35.300, 35.400 and 35.600 (limited to the HDR). The licensee provided NRC Form 313 (AUT) for Dr. Schneider. However, in Part II, "Preceptor Attestation" of the form, the residency program director only attested for the use of sodium iodine I-131 less than or equal to 33 mCi. In addition, the total hours of experience for Section 3.b, "Supervised Work Experience", was not provided. Please provide a complete NRC Form 313 (AUT) for Dr. Schneider. Additionally, please fill in the correct Radioactive Materials License number which was issued to the University of Alabama at Birmingham by the State of Alabama, for the field "License/Permit Number" on the form.

To continue the review of your application, we request that you submit your response under a dated and signed cover letter by October 9, 2023. In the cover letter, please reference the license number and Mail Control No. 636815. If you have questions, require additional time to respond, or require clarification on any of the information stated above, please contact me at 630-829-9623 or reply to this email.

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Best regards,

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References:

NRC Regulations: <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/cfr/index.html>

NUREG-1556 Series: <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/sr1556/index.html>

NRC Forms: <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/index.html>

NRC License Fees: <https://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/licensing/fees.html>