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On behalf of PB Health, attached is the Minimum Services Table with the referenced information from the Response brought into this document.

Regards, Howard

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**Table : COMAR.10.24.13.05C: Minimum Services**

<b>COMAR 10.24.13.05C. MINIMUM SERVICES</b>			
<b>(1) An applicant shall provide the following services directly:</b>			
<b>Service</b>	<b>Provided directly by agency employees? (Y/N)</b>		
(a) Skilled nursing care	Y		
(b) Medical social services	Y		
(c) Counseling (including bereavement and nutrition counseling)	Y		
<b>(2) An applicant shall provide the following services, either directly or through contractual arrangements</b>			
<b>Service</b>	<b>Provided directly by employees of the hospice? (Y/N)</b>	<b>Provided via contract? (Y/N)</b>	<b>If by contract, with whom?</b>
(a) Physician services and medical direction	N	Y	Martina Callum, MD
(b) Hospice aide and homemaker services	Y	N	
(c) Spiritual services	N	Y	Ted Payton, residing Pastor of Grace Through Faith Worship Center of Bowie, MD and iLife Alliance Pastoral Care Providers
(d) On-call nursing response	Y	N	
(e) Short-term inpatient care (including both respite care and procedures necessary for pain control and acute and chronic symptom management)	N	Y	Seasons Hospice
(f) Personal care	Y	N	
(g) Volunteer services	N	Y	Called to Care Program, Liberty Grace -Church of God, Southern Baptist Church, Hubert Memorial, Zeta Center for Healthy and Active Aging Adults, Langston Hughes Community Business Resource Center, Nu Day Nu Season Ministries, Volunteer Match
(h) Bereavement services	Y	N	

(i) Pharmacy services	N	Y	Enclara
(j) Laboratory, radiology, and chemotherapy services as needed for palliative care	N	Y	Quest Diagnostics, Lab Corp, Dynamic Mobile Imaging, Nation's Home Infusion, LLC
(k) Medical supplies and equipment	Y	Y	Medline and Austin Durable Medical Supplies
(l) Special therapies, such as physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, and dietary services	Y	Speech Therapy	Mr. Stuart Trippe