



## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES

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The Hospital Survey Program in the Center for Health Statistics, Texas Department of State Health Services (department), has completed its analysis of hospital data for the purpose of certifying nonprofit hospitals or hospital systems for limited liability in accordance with the Health and Safety Code, §311.0456. We received requests for certification from 11 hospitals. We will notify each hospital by mail that is certified in accordance with §311.0456. Therefore, if you have any comments or questions about the following certification results, please contact Mr. Dwayne Collins or Ms. JaNell Jenkins of the department's Center for Health Statistics.

Certified: 1 non-profit hospital system (6 hospitals) and 3 non-profit hospitals were determined to be eligible for certification based on information that they provided i.e., charity care in an amount equal to or greater than 8 percent of their net patient revenue and that they provided 40 percent or more of the charity care in their counties. The certification issued under Health and Safety Code §311.0456 to a nonprofit hospital or hospital system takes effect on December 31, 2010, and expires on the anniversary of that date.

### **Seton Healthcare System -Travis County only (6 hospitals)**

1. Dell Children's Medical Center in Travis County;
2. Seton Medical Center Austin in Travis County;
3. Seton Northwest Hospital in Travis County;
4. Seton Shoal Creek Hospital in Travis County;
5. Seton Southwest Hospital in Travis County;
6. University Medical Center at Brackenridge Hospital in Travis County
  
7. Seton Edgar B. Davis in Caldwell County;
8. Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital in Tom Green County;
9. Seton Medical Center Williamson in Williamson County

Not Certified: 2 non-profit hospitals were not certified because, based on their survey data, they did not provide charity care in an amount equal to or greater than 8 percent of their net patient revenue nor did they provide 40 percent of the charity care in their counties:

1. Seton Highland Lakes in Burnet County;
2. Seton Medical Center Hays in Hays County

For further information about this report, please contact Mr. Dwayne Collins or Ms. JaNell Jenkins in the Center for Health Statistics at 512-458-7261.

Sincerely,

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