

PUBLIC NOTICE

October 26, 2017

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 26, 2017 TULARE DISTRICT HOSPITAL IS VOLUNTARILY SUSPENDING ITS LICENSE WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO OPERATE TULARE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER HOSPITAL AND ALL HEALTHCARE RELATED ENTITIES INCLUDING CLINICS AND OUT PATIENT FACILITIES. DUE TO PATIENT SAFETY AND REORGANIZATION NEEDS, THE DISTRICT BOARD MUST TAKE THIS PRESENT ACTION. AS A RESULT, THE HOSPITAL AND RELATED FACILITIES AND CLINICS SHALL SUSPEND ALL OPERATIONS AND SERVICES EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 29, 2017 AT 12:00 A.M.

THE TULARE LOCAL HEALTHCARE DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS PLANNING THROUGH REORGANIZATION TO REOPEN THE HOSPITAL AND RELATED HEALTHCARE CLINICS AND FACILITIES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ONCE A NEW MANAGEMENT TEAM IS IN PLACE AND THE DISTRICT IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS AND GUIDELINES.

LISTING OF AREA HOSPITALS - the 3 nearest hospitals are:

***Kaweah Delta Medical Center
400 W. Mineral King Ave.
Visalia, CA 93291
559-624-2000***

***Adventist Medical Center Reedley
372 W. Cypress Ave.
Reedley, CA 93654
559-638-8155***

***Sierra View Medical Center
465 W. Putnam Ave.
Porterville, CA 93257
559-784-1110***

If you have any questions, please contact the District's crisis manager WIPFLI/HFS Consultants, Rich Gianello (510) 768-0066, rgianello@wipfli.com or Larry Blitz (408) 293-3446, lblitz@wipfli.com