



DIALYSIS CLINIC, INC.

A Non-Profit Corporation

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**Larry Carbonneau
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Dear Mr. Carbonneau,

Please accept this correspondence as a Letter of Intent for DCI Belfast to begin a Home Program within our current location at 125 Northport Avenue, Suite 101, Belfast, Maine.

Our Home Program would offer Peritoneal (CAPD and CCPD) and Home Hemodialysis modalities for patients in the Belfast area. Being a dialysis provider we are required by CMS to educate our patients on all modalities. Patients in the Belfast area currently have to travel to Waterville or Bangor for training and support for such treatment options.

DCI does not anticipate any increase to capital costs because, although the modalities are different, the dialysis service is not. The clinic was built with a training and exam room anticipating offering these services to our area in the future. The third year incremental costs are not expected to increase per treatment costs to the State or any other payor source.

If you should require any additional information or have any questions please call me at 207-612-8711. I may also be reached via email at betty.shaw@dcinc.org . We are eager to provide home dialysis services and await your guidance for the next step.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

**Betty Jo Shaw RN
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