

April 14, 2008

Division of Practitioner Data Banks (DPDB) National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB) Parklawn Building, Room 8-103 5600 Fishers Lane Rockville, MD 20857

Re: Proactive Disclosure Service

Dear Sir or Madam:

We have had the opportunity to consider the effect of the Proactive Disclosure Service (PDS) on conformance with CARF standards. Please be advised that the PDS is one source of data that may be used by providers of medical rehabilitation services as part of a system to address modification or withdrawal of professional privileges.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or wish to discuss further.

Sincerely,

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