



October 29, 2024

Joseph P Ierardi
CEO
Hospital Authority of Wayne County
865 South First Street ,
Jesup, GA 31545

Joint Commission ID #: 6704
Program: Hospital Accreditation
Accreditation Activity: Evidence of Standards Compliance
Accreditation Activity Completed : 10/28/2024

Dear Mr. Ierardi:

The Joint Commission is pleased to grant your organization an accreditation decision of Accredited for all services surveyed under the applicable manual(s) noted below:

Comprehensive Accreditation Manual for Hospitals

This accreditation cycle is effective beginning August 2, 2024 and is customarily valid for up to 36 months. Please note, The Joint Commission reserves the right to shorten the duration of the cycle.

Should you wish to promote your accreditation decision, please view the information listed under the 'Publicity Kit' link located on your secure extranet site, The Joint Commission Connect.

The Joint Commission will update your accreditation decision on the Find Accredited Organizations page of our website.

Congratulations on your achievement.

Sincerely,

Ken Grubbs, DNP, MBA, RN
Executive Vice President and Chief Nursing Officer
Division of Accreditation and Certification Operations

Hospital Authority of Wayne County Wayne Memorial Hospital

Jesup, GA

has been Accredited by




The Joint Commission

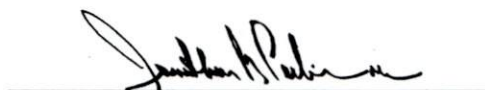
Which has surveyed this organization and found it to meet the requirements for the
Hospital Accreditation Program

August 2, 2024

Accreditation is customarily valid for up to 36 months.


Jane Englebright, PhD, RN, CENP, FAAN
Chair, Board of Commissioners

ID #6704
Print/Reprint Date: 10/30/2024


Jonathan B. Perlin, MD, PhD, MSHA, MACP, FACMI
President and Chief Executive Officer

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Re: # 6704
CCN: # 110124
Deemed Program: Hospital
Accreditation Expiration Date: August 2, 2027

Dear Mr. Ierardi:

This letter confirms that your July 30, 2024 - August 1, 2024 unannounced full resurvey was conducted for the purposes of assessing compliance with the Medicare conditions for hospitals, including swing beds through The Joint Commission's deemed status survey process.

Based upon the submission of your evidence of standards compliance on October 23, 2024 and October 28, 2024, The Joint Commission is granting your organization an accreditation decision of Accredited with an effective date of August 2, 2024.

The Joint Commission is also recommending your organization for continued Medicare certification effective August 2, 2024. Please note that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) makes the final determination regarding your Medicare participation and the effective date of participation in accordance with the regulations at 42 CFR 489.13. Your organization is encouraged to share a copy of this Medicare recommendation letter with your State Survey Agency.

This recommendation applies to the following locations:

Hospital Authority of Wayne County- Wayne Memorial Hospital
d/b/a Wayne Memorial Hospital
865 South First Street, Jesup, GA, 31545

Hospital Authority of Wayne County
d/b/a Long County Health Center
84 S. McDonald Street, Ludowici, GA, 31316

Hospital Authority of Wayne County
d/b/a wayne memorial hospital- Wayne Oncology
861 South First Street, Jesup, GA, 31545

Please be assured that The Joint Commission will keep the report confidential, except as required by law or court order. To ensure that The Joint Commission's information about your organization is always accurate and



current, our policy requires that you inform us of any changes in the name or ownership of your organization or the health care services you provide.

Sincerely,

Ken Grubbs, DNP, MBA, RN
Executive Vice President and Chief Nursing Officer
Division of Accreditation and Certification Operations

cc: CMS/Baltimore Office/Quality, Safety & Oversight Group/Division of Continuing and Acute Care Providers
CMS/SOG Location 4 /Survey and Certification Staff