EMERGENCY ORDER REISSUING TEMPORARY BLANKET WAIVERS FOR HOSPITALS AND AMBULATORY OUTPATIENT SURGICAL CENTERS

As authorized by IC 16-21-1-9, the State Health Commissioner hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. The “Covid-19 National/State Emergency Hospital Blanket Waiver: Conversion of Standard Patient Rooms to Negative Pressure Isolation Rooms” originally issued March 21, 2020, as amended March 23, 2020 and revised April 8, 2020 and subsequently extended, is hereby reissued as a new emergency order.

2. The “Second Covid-19 National/State Emergency Hospital Blanket Waiver: Patient Rooms” originally issued March 24, 2020 and subsequently extended is hereby reissued as a new emergency order.

3. The “Third Emergency Order Granting Temporary Blanket Waivers for Hospitals” originally issued March 27, 2020 and subsequently extended is hereby reissued as a new emergency order effective as of September 23, 2020.

4. The “Emergency Order Granting Temporary Blanket Waivers for Ambulatory Outpatient Surgical Centers” originally issued April 14, 2020 and subsequently extended is hereby reissued as a new emergency order.

5. This Order and the waivers granted herein are effective March 16, 2022 and shall expire on July 1, 2022, unless otherwise revoked by the Indiana Department of Health.

6. The Department has affirmatively determined that granting the waivers herein will not adversely affect the health, safety and welfare of any affected patients or residents.

SO ORDERED as of the date set forth below.

Kristina Box, MD, FACOG
State Health Commissioner

To promote, protect, and improve the health and safety of all Hoosiers.
Consumer Services and Health Care Regulation

Date: March 16, 2022