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Submitted on Wednesday, March 22, 2017 - 3:28pm Submitted by anonymous user: [172.30.78.110] Submitted values are:

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Topic: Certificate of Need

Comment: Surgical Center: I believe a new surgical center is a must for patients in need. Not only will it reduce wait times dramatically but will lower costs to insurances and patients. A monopoly is never a good idea. My PCP is a UVM doctor. I just found out when trying to make an appointment with uvm dermatology for suspicious growths that I could not be seen until NOVEMBER unless my doctor does an "urgent" referral. I can't see her until May 12th. Today is 3/22/17. Unacceptable! Approve the surgical center so others do not have to wait for what the center will provide. It doesn't help me at this point and for my problem but hopefully it will be a big asset to other patients.

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