



Re: Swedish American Hospital, PRRB Decision No. 2008-D45 (09/30/2008)

I recommend that the Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, decline to review the decision entered by the Provider Reimbursement Review Board in this case.

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APPROVED:

Date: 11/17/08

/s/
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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services