

Asante – Surgery Center of Southern Oregon

The [Health Care Market Oversight](#) (HCMO) program reviews health care business deals to make sure they support Oregon’s goals of health equity, lower costs, increased access, and better care. On October 27, 2025, Oregon Health Authority (OHA) accepted a complete [notice of material change transaction](#) describing plans for the Asante (“Asante”) to acquire Surgery Center of Southern Oregon, LLC (“SCSO”).

Who’s involved?

Asante is a locally owned non-profit health care provider based in Medford that is governed by a board of directors. Asante has three hospitals, a physician group, and multiple primary and specialty care clinics throughout southern Oregon, serving patients in Jackson, Josephine, Curry, Douglas, Klamath and Lake counties.

Surgery Center of Southern Oregon (SCSO) is an ambulatory surgery center (ASC) located in Medford that performs outpatient procedures. SCSO serves patients residing throughout southern Oregon, including Jackson, Josephine, Curry, Douglas, Klamath and Lake counties. The facility provides surgery, endoscopy and interventional pain medicine services.

About the deal

Asante intends to acquire SCSO’s assets, including the underlying real estate. Post-transaction, the ASC will be wholly owned and managed by Asante. Asante states it plans to update the facility and equipment and anticipates offering the same types of services once renovations are completed post-transaction.

What’s next?

OHA is reviewing this deal to understand how it could affect communities in Oregon. During the review, OHA will use health care data, news and media reports, information from the entities, and public input to decide whether the deal should be approved. After completing a review, OHA will issue a decision about whether the deal may proceed as planned.

We want to hear from you!

Public input helps us understand how this deal could affect people in your community. To share your thoughts about this deal, please email hcmo.info@oha.oregon.gov, leave a voicemail at 503-945-6161, or fill out the [public comment form](#). In your comment, mention “Asante”, what you think, and whether you support or oppose the deal.

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