

Will the Department allow a medical licensee to submit more than one early approval secondary application at a time (i.e., if the applicant have multiple potential locations pending SUP approval with the Chicago ZBA, can it submit an application for each location even if it only has one medical license)?

Section 15-20(b) of the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act permits current medical cannabis dispensing organization licensees to apply to the Department “for *an* Early Approval Adult Use Dispensing Organization License to operate *a* dispensing organization to serve purchasers at *a* secondary site not within 1,500 feet of another medical cannabis dispensing organization or adult use dispensing organization” (emphasis added). As Section 15-20(b) specifies that eligible applicants may only apply for a single license at a single site, the Department will not accept multiple applications from a single medical cannabis dispensing organization or a single application that includes multiple locations. Please note, if, for any reason, an applicant would like to amend its Secondary Site application to request a different location, it may do so by sending an e-mail to the Deputy Director of the Medical Cannabis Unit to request the change and submitting any application materials that would need to be amended due to a change in the requested location.