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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Shelli Brobst for Randy Snowden - Director
Health & Human Services
REPORT BY: Shelli Brobst, Contracts Analyst, 253-4720
SUBJECT: Actions regarding the Children's Behavioral Health/Child Welfare Services Agreements

RECOMMENDATION

Director of Health and Human Services requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign the following agreements to provide counseling services in the Children's Behavioral Health and Child Welfare Services Programs:

1. Amendments:
 - a. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 3749 with Ron Haimowitz, Ph.D.;
 - b. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4591 with Gregory Matsumoto, Psy.D.;
 - c. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4601 with Del Domezio, LCSW;
 - d. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4613 with Nancy Waldeck, MFT;
 - e. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4649 with Gerane Park, LCSW;
 - f. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4823 with Joni Yacoe, MFT;
 - g. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4934 with Bill Ruhs, MFT;
 - h. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 4936 with Judith Speed, Ph.D.;
 - i. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6337 with Cathy Hughes, MFT;
 - j. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6012 with Carol Nagle, LCSW;
 - k. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6094 with Maureen O'Shea, Ph.D.;
 - l. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6359 with Don Scully, MFT;
 - m. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6469 with Esther Trevino, MFT;
 - n. Amendment No. 1 to Agreement No. 6578 with Aldea, Inc.;
 - o. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4149 with Alternatives for Better Living, Inc.;
 - p. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4372 with Joann Hall, MFT;
 - q. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4710 with Robert Zemanek, MFT;
 - r. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4822 with Richard Cohan, Ph.D.;
 - s. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4849 with Mary Lou Carson, LCSW;
 - t. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4878 with Loretta Silvagni, LCSW;
 - u. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 4935 with Steven Boyd, LCSW;
 - v. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 6339 with Barrie Glen, Ph.D.; and
 - w. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 6360 with Doug Marum, Ph.D.

2. New Agreements:
 - a. Agreement (AUD No. 5819) with Matthew S. Smith, MFT; and
 - b. Agreement (AUD No. 5817) with Laurel Antonucci, MFT.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

These contractors provide mandatory psychotherapy and psychological services to children who are clients of the Child Welfare Services and Children's Behavioral Health programs. The Agency is requesting amendments to the existing agreements to add the following provisions to the Scope of Work for Fiscal Year 2006-2007: (1) performance measures; (2) language regarding nonpayment to providers for clients who fail to appear for appointments; and (3) language prohibiting providers from charging clients a co-payment.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

The contractors provide mandatory counseling services for children and families who are not in the County's Medi-Cal managed care program, either because they are not Medi-Cal eligible or because it is not practical for them to go through the managed care system. Children and families receiving services under these contracts generally come to HHS through one of two "doors" — the Child Welfare Services (CWS) "door" (through a court order) or the mental health "door" (through an Individualized Education Plan [IEP] from the local school system). Referrals may also come through the SB 163 Wraparound program, which allows for flexible funding to provide services to keep children out of residential placements.

The amendments to these agreements are being requested to add the following provisions to the Scope of Work for Fiscal Year 2006-2007: (1) performance measures; (2) language regarding nonpayment to providers for clients who fail to appear for appointments; and (3) language prohibiting providers from charging clients a co-payment in addition to billing HHS. The Agency has executed Business Associate Agreements on file for each of these providers.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Maiko Klieman