

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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FROM: Human Resources Dept.

SUBMITTAL DATE: March 7, 2003

SUBJECT: Exclusive Care EPO – First Amendment to Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: 1) Approve and ratify the First Amendment to the Exclusive Care – EPO contract; 2) Authorize the chairperson to sign four (4) copies of the agreement; and 3) retain one (1) copy and return three (3) copies of the executed Agreement to Human Resources for distribution.

BACKGROUND: Exclusive Care entered into an agreement with Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc. effective March 1, 2003, (February 11, 2003 Agenda Item 3.12). This amendment is a name change to the contract. Each and every reference to "Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc." shall be changed to "Arrowhead Community Surgical Services Medical Group." Exclusive Care has contracted with a number of individual health care providers enabling Exclusive Care to provide certain specialty services to members.

Ronald W. Komers
Asst. County Executive Officer/
Human Resources Director

FINANCIAL DATA:

CURRENT YEAR COST: -0-

ANNUAL COST: To be determined by claims

NET COUNTY COST: -0-

IN CURRENT YEAR BUDGET: N/A

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT: NO

FOR FY:

SOURCE OF FUNDS: EPO Employee Contributions

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER SIGNATURE

Consent Policy
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Department Recommendation:
Per Executive Office:

Prev. Agn. Ref.

Dist.

AGENDA NO.

3.19

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE
RIVERSIDE COUNTY – HUMAN RESOURCES – EXCLUSIVE CARE
EXCLUSIVE PROVIDER ORGANIZATION**

**by and between
the County of Riverside, State of California
and
Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc.**

THIS AMENDMENT ("Amendment") to the Contractor Agreement ("Agreement") between the County of Riverside, State of California ("County") and Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc. ("Contractor") is made and becomes effective as of March 1, 2003.

WHEREAS, County has developed an Exclusive Provider Organization ("EPO") to provide health care services to the employees of Riverside County; and,

WHEREAS, Contractor is providing services for the EPO; and,

WHEREAS, County and Contractor entered into an Agreement dated March 1, 2003 whereby County contracted with Contractor to provide services for the EPO;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of their mutual promises and covenants, the parties agree to the following:

A. Each and every reference to "Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc." shall be changed to "Arrowhead Community Surgical Services Medical Group."

B. All other provisions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

C. Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc. which has now become Arrowhead Community Surgical Services Medical Group, certifies that the individual herein has authority to execute this First Amendment on behalf of Arrowhead Neurosurgical Medical Group, Inc. and may legally bind Arrowhead Community Surgical Service Medical Group to the terms and conditions of this First Amendment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused their duly appointed representatives to execute this Service Contractor Agreement for EPO Services for Riverside County.

ATTEST:

Clerk to the Board
Nancy Romero

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE:

By _____
Deputy

By _____
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

Date _____

Date _____

Approved as to form and content:

WILLIAM C. KATZENSTEIN
County Counsel

By: *Lucy Ferrara*
Deputy County Counsel

CONTRACTOR:

By: *Javed Siddiqui*

Printed Name: JAVED SIDDIQUI

Title: PRESIDENT

Date: 3/3/03