

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

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**FROM:** Human Resources Dept.

**SUBMITTAL DATE:** March 21, 2003

**SUBJECT:** Exclusive Care EPO – Individual provider contracts; Apple Medical Group Urgent Care

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** 1) Approve the addition of the following provider to the Exclusive Care Network: Apple Medical Group Urgent Care located in Hemet, effective April 1, 2003; 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:** On January 1, 1999, the County's new self-funded EPO health plan, Exclusive Care, commenced operations. Direct contracts have been negotiated between the County of Riverside and the listed health care providers in various geographical locations and specialty areas in instances where the contracted IPA (Mission Medical Group/Vantage Medical Group) was not able to recruit and credential these providers for the EPO.

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

**FINANCIAL DATA:**

<b>CURRENT YEAR COST:</b>	-0-	<b>ANNUAL COST:</b>	To be determined by claims
<b>NET COUNTY COST:</b>	-0-	<b>IN CURRENT YEAR BUDGET:</b>	N/A
<b>BUDGET ADJUSTMENT:</b>	NO	<b>FOR FY:</b>	
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b>	EPO Employee Contributions		

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE**

**COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER SIGNATURE**

Consent [X] Policy  
 Consent [4] Policy

Department Recommendation:  
Per Executive Office:

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