

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

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FROM: Community Health Agency

SUBMITTAL DATE: April 15, 2003

SUBJECT: Ratify the Second Amendment to the Agreement No. DPH02K.080 between Valley Health System and Riverside County Community Health Agency, Department of Public Health

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors: 1) Ratify the Second Amendment to the Agreement between Valley Health Systems and the Riverside County Community Health Agency (CHA), Department of Public Health for an increase in funding of \$20,111; 2) Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign four (4) original copies of the Amendment; 3) Direct the Clerk of the Board to file one (1) copy, and return three (3) copies of the Amendment to the Community Health Agency Contracts Administrator for further processing.

BACKGROUND: Continued on page 2.

FORM APPROVED
COUNTY COUNSEL

MAY 06 2003

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Gary M. Feldman, M.D.
Director

FINANCIAL DATA:

CURRENT YEAR COST: \$ 20,111
NET COUNTY COST: \$ 0

ANNUAL COST: \$ - 0 -
IN CURRENT BUDGET: Yes
BUDGET ADJUSTMENT: No

SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Grant Funding (Riverside County Children & Families Commission)

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o Consent
o Consent

Department Recommendation: o Consent
Per Executive Office: o Consent

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATIONS:

APPROVE

County Executive Officer Signature: *[Handwritten signature: Dan Marting]*

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April 9, 2002, Agenda Item 3.8; Oct. 8, 2002, Agenda Item 3.4

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AGENDA NO.

3.14

FORM 11(Rev 1/99)

**ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD**

SUBJECT: Ratify the Second Amendment to the Agreement No. DPH02K.080 between Valley Health Systems and Riverside County Community Health Agency, Department of Public Health

BACKGROUND: Riverside County Department of Public Health Disease Control Branch, in collaboration with Catholic Charities, Jurupa Unified School District, and Valley Health System developed the Healthy Children Connection (HCC) Program with the goal of promoting early entry into prenatal care and timely immunizations of children. Catholic Charities offers services to clients in Supervisorial District 4, Jurupa Unified School District in District 2, and Valley Health System in Districts 1, 3 and 5. The contract was renegotiated for FY 02/03 due to program expansion in districts 1 and 5, and an additional amount of \$20,111 for Valley Health System was awarded by RCCFC for an increase from \$274,708 to \$294,819.

The subcontractors recruit, train, and utilize community volunteers as peer counselors to provide door-to-door outreach to families regarding early prenatal care and timely childhood immunizations. The project involves a coordinated media outreach effort, close coordination with the immunization project, and the development of a Referral Triage Guide to ensure clients are referred to the most appropriate service providers.

Although the Riverside County Department of Public Health is the lead Agency, collaborative partners are needed to ensure effective implementation of the program at a local level.

This amendment has been approved as to form by County Counsel.

JUSTIFICATION FOR DELAY: The delay in processing this amendment is due to the Health Department not receiving this Amendment from the contractor until July 21, 2003.