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



FROM: Economic Development Agency & Department of Mental Health

SUBMITTAL DATE: February 18, 2010

SUBJECT: New Skilled Nursing Facility Agreements - Indio and Moreno Valley

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve and execute the Skilled Nursing Facility Agreements for Indio and Moreno Valley: and
- documents including but not limited to future ministerial amendments and to administer all actions necessary to complete the Indio and Moreno Valley Skilled Nursing Facility transaction.

2. Authorize the Assistant County Executive Officer/EDA, or his designee, to execute other BACKGROUND: (Commences on Page 2) **OUNTY COUNSE** Jerry Wertoerd Director, Department of Mental Health Robert Field Assistant County Executive Officer/EDA **Current F.Y. Total Cost:** In Current Year Budget: Yes FINANCIAL **Current F.Y. Net County Cost:** \$ -0-**Budget Adjustment:** No DATA **Annual Net County Cost:** (\$7,665,000) For Fiscal Year: 10/11 SOURCE OF FUNDS: Realignment 100% Positions To Be П Deleted Per A-30 Requires 4/5 Vote \boxtimes C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Reviewed by APPROVE Policy Christopher Hans Sargent County Executive Office Signature, MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS On motion of Supervisor Stone, seconded by Supervisor Benoit and duly carried, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended. Ayes: Buster, Stone, Benoit and Ashley Nays: None Kecia Harper-Ihem Absent: **Tavaglione** Clerk of the Board April 6, 2010 Date: EDA, Mental Health, CIP, Auditor XC:

X Consent Dep't Recomm.: Exec. Ofc.

Prev. Agn. Ref.:

District: 4 & 5

Agenda Number

ATTACHMENTS FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD Economic Development Agency - Department of Mental Health Skilled Nursing Facility Agreements - Indio and Moreno Valley February 18, 2010 Page 2

BACKGROUND:

The Department of Mental Health formerly operated the Mental Health Rehabilitation Center in Indio also known as the Oasis Treatment Center for psychiatric patients, which had a capacity of approximately 35 beds. Unfortunately, due to budget constraints, the Rehabilitation Center was closed in April of 2008. The Mental Health consumers who previously occupied the facility were transferred to other facilities in outlying areas and adjacent counties in order to continue to receive care. Subsequently, the demand for overall mental health services in locked facilities in the county continues to increase, and it is projected that the current facilities owned and operated by various locked mental health facility Operators will be insufficient to meet demand. The Department currently provides services to approximately 40,000 unique individuals per year and this number continues to increase. Therefore, the Director of the Department of Mental Health has followed through on a previous verbal directive given by the Board of Supervisors to continue such mental health services by engaging the Economic Development Agency to plan and coordinate the development of two locked facilities located in Indio and Moreno Valley.

The Economic Development Agency issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) in November of 2008 for the development of Skilled Nursing Facilities in Indio and Moreno Valley. The RFP process closed on January 15, 2009, and responses were received. Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, of Montebello, California was selected and awarded the two projects. The developer is planning a 204 bed Skilled Nursing Facility in the city of Indio on 3.82 acres just west of the John F. Kennedy Hospital and a 308 bed Skilled Nursing Facility on approximately 4 acres just east of Nason Street east of the Riverside County Regional Medical Center in Moreno Valley. These facilities are privately owned and operated, there is no lease agreement between the County and Developer, and the County does not own the realty or the improvements. In exchange for the Developer's obligations to plan, construct, and operate these Skilled Nursing Facilities the County will refer psychiatric patients to the Developer's Operator for Special Treatment Program (STP) services to these Serious and Persistent Mental Illness (SPMI) consumers. In return, the Developer will be compensated from State/Federal Medi-Cal funds based on the per diem rate set forth by the State and Federal government for Special Treatment Program services. The Skilled Nursing Facilities will be comprised of approximately 49% psychiatric patients and 51% medical nursing home patients.

Currently, the Riverside County Department of Mental Health is paying the state mandated per diem rate of \$165 per patient/day to provide STP services. The Skilled Nursing Facilities Agreement reduces this obligation to \$25 per patient/day resulting in significant savings to the County. The Developer will be compensated by State/Federal Medi-Cal based upon established Medi-Cal rates.

Current Annual Cost to Provide Psychiatric Services: (150 patients) \$9,033,750

Costs per New Skilled Nursing Agreements: (150 patients) \$1,368,750

Annual Savings to County: (and each year thereafter) (\$7,665,000)

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BACKGROUND:

Summary of Skilled Nursing Facility Agreements and Facilities Features:

INDIO

Agreement:

Term:

Ten (10) Years, commencing upon certification of occupancy

Options:

Two, ten (10) year options to renew

Facility/Beds:

Developer to plan, construct and deliver a Skilled Nursing Facility consisting of 204 beds including 49% psychiatric and 51% medical beds

County's Obligation: County to pay \$25 per patient/day per psychiatric patient

County's Guarantee: County to guarantee referral of psychiatric patients to occupy 50 beds.

Completion Date:

First quarter 2011

Building Features:

Location:

81-550 JFK Court, Indio

Assessors Parcel Number 616-160-039, on cul-de-sac

Patient Beds:

204 beds total, consisting of 49% psychiatric and 51% medical patients

Square Footage:

92,054 square feet

Parking:

80 spaces required, 104 spaces to be provided

Construction:

Type VA, 2 level building

Leed Rating:

Some Leed Components

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BACKGROUND:

Summary of Skilled Nursing Facility Agreements and Facilities Features:

MORENO VALLEY

Agreement:

Term:

Ten (10) Years, commencing upon certification of occupancy

Options:

Two, ten (10) year options to renew

Facility/Beds:

Developer to plan, construct and deliver a Skilled Nursing Facility consisting of 308 beds including 49% psychiatric and 51% medical beds

County's Obligation: County to pay \$25 per patient/day per psychiatric patient

County's Guarantee: County to guarantee referral of psychiatric patients to occupy 100 beds

Completion Date:

End of second quarter or beginning of third quarter 2011

Building Features:

Location:

East of Nason Street, North of Cactus Avenue, East of RCRMC Assessors Parcel Numbers 486-290-001 and 486-290-002

Patient Beds:

308 beds total, consisting of 49% psychiatric and 51% medical patients

Square Footage:

128,749 square feet

Parking:

100 spaces

Construction:

Type VA - 2 level building

Leed Rating:

Some Leed Components

This Form 11 has been reviewed and approved by County Counsel as to legal form.

SKILLED NURSING FACILITY AGREEMENT - MORENO VALLEY

This Skilled Nursing Facility Agreement ("Agreement"), entered into on APR 10.6.2010, by and between the County of Riverside, on behalf of the Department of Mental Health, a political subdivision of the State of California ("County"), and Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, ("Optiflex"). County and Optiflex are hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Parties" or individually as a "Party."

RECITALS

- A. The County of Riverside desires to provide referrals of psychiatric patients for the occupancy of Special Treatment Programs ("STP") in Skilled Nursing Facilities ("SNF"), one of which is located on real property known as Assessor's Parcel Numbers 486-290-001 and 486-290-002 in the City of Moreno Valley, County of Riverside.
- B. The County of Riverside desires to contract with a Skilled Nursing Facility Developer/Operator that would provide facilities which are safe and free from hazards, and in full compliance with all applicable laws.
- C. Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company has formed a joint venture with a property owner to develop a Skilled Nursing Facility east of Nason Street north of Cactus Avenue in the City of Moreno Valley.
- D. The Skilled Nursing Facility will provide facilities for three hundred eight (308) patients. Up to forty nine (49) percent of the beds in the SNF or a maximum of one-hundred fifty (150) beds will be located in the STP ("STP Psychiatric Beds").
- E. Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, will contract with a company for the operations of the Skilled Nursing Facility.
 - F. Parties enter into this agreement for a great public benefit.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

- 1. Term. The Original Term of this Agreement shall be for a period of ten (10) years commencing upon the date which Optiflex completes and receives a Certificate of Occupancy ("Commencement Date") on the SNF, unless terminated pursuant to the provisions hereunder. The Original Term of this agreement shall expire at midnight on the last day of the ten (10) year term. In the event the Parties do not extend the Agreement as set forth in Paragraph Two (2) below, upon expiration of the Original Term or any subsequent extensions, this Agreement shall become a month to month agreement which may be terminated with thirty (30) days advance written notice by either party. All indemnification provisions in this Agreement shall remain in effect following the termination of this Agreement.
- 2. Options to Extend the Agreement. The County shall have the option to extend this Agreement for two (2) additional terms of ten (10) years each. County shall provide written notice to Optiflex at least ninety (90) days before the expiration of this Agreement.
- 3. County's Consideration. Contingent upon the completion and issuance of certificate of occupancy for the SNF, County agrees to refer to the SNF for the STP psychiatric patients for occupancy of one hundred (100) of the one hundred fifty (150) STP Psychiatric Beds. County will guarantee filling one hundred (100) of the one hundred fifty (150) STP Psychiatric Beds ("1-100 STPPB"). County shall refer patients for the one hundred (100) STP Psychiatric Beds within ninety (90) days of issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy referenced in Paragraph One above. In the event that any of the one hundred (100) Psychiatric Beds become vacant during the term of this Agreement, County shall reimburse Optiflex for any such vacant beds, based upon the State of California Medi-Cal standard bed

hold rates then in effect at the time. County will also reimburse Optiflex at the Medi-Cal standard rate for any of the one hundred (100) patients who are indigent. The County will submit to the Operator a referral letter for all indigent (non-funded) patients that are referred for admittance, as shown in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein. In addition, County will pay twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day for every psychiatric patent placed in an STP bed for Medicare/Medi-Cal and indigent patients. This fee will not be due on vacant or bed holds. The County's sole responsibilities are to provide referrals of psychiatric patients and reimburse Optiflex for any of the one hundred (100) vacant beds or indigent patients in those beds. If County does not need all one hundred (100) beds, County has the right to make these excess beds available to other counties to meet its guarantee obligations. Optiflex will be responsible for finding other Counties/Entities or sources to fill the remaining fifty (50) STP Psychiatric Beds ("101-150 STPPB"). Optiflex will be solely responsible for all of the remaining SNF beds that are not a part of the STP Psychiatric Beds.

4. Obligations by Optiflex.

- a. The responsibility of constructing, operating, including but not limited to the operations carried out by the services of an Operator as described below, and maintaining of the SNF is and will be the sole responsibility of Optiflex. The SNF shall provide skilled nursing services in this facility provides psychiatric patients]
- b. Optiflex shall contract separately with a Skilled Nursing Facility Operator ("Operator") for the Special Treatment Program at the SNF ("STP/SNF") to provide skilled nursing services ("Services") for patients in the STP/SNF during the term and any extensions of this Agreement. Optiflex shall warrant that the Services of Operator shall be the highest degree of nursing care in accordance with nursing best business practices in the nursing industry. Optiflex shall ensure that Operator is in full compliance with all Medi-Cal regulations and requirements, including, but not limited to, regulations provided within www.medi-

cal.ca.gov, California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 3, Sections 51516.1, 51341.1, and 51490.1, and California Alcohol and Drug Program Letters 98-18, 98-30, 98-42, 98-49, 98-50, 98-58, 99-17, and 99-27. Optiflex shall ensure that the Operator provides the Services and operates in compliance with all applicable law including but not limited to laws, rules, regulations and codes of the State of California including the California Department of Public Health, and all Federal and local laws, rules, ordinances and codes.

- c. Optiflex shall contract with an Operator that represents and maintains that it is skilled in the professional calling necessary to perform all services, duties and obligations required by this Agreement to fully and adequately provide the services for the SNF. Optiflex shall require that Operator perform the services and duties in conformance to and consistent with the standards generally recognized as being employed by professionals in the same discipline in the State of California. Optiflex shall ensure, represent and warrant to the County that the Operator has all licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature are legally required to practice its profession and/or provide the services and that Operator shall keep all such licenses and approvals in effect during the term of this Agreement.
- d. Optiflex shall be responsible for billing, or obligate its contracted Operator to bill, Medi-Cal retroactive to the date of admission for psychiatric patients who have been referred by the Riverside County Department of Mental admitted with a Medi-cal pending status. In the event that County has submitted payment for an indigent patient who later qualified for Medi-cal, reimbursement is due to the County within 30 days of Optiflex or its Operator receiving payment from Medi-Cal.
- e. Optiflex shall impose indemnification and insurance obligations in favor of the County exactly as provided in Paragraphs 10 and 11 on Operator.

- f. Optiflex shall be responsible for maintaining the grounds of the SNF, including among other things, outside and inside fixtures, walls, landscaping, and general housekeeping.
- 5. County's Right of First Refusal for Vacant Beds. At any time during the term of this Agreement any of the 150 STPPB become vacant, County shall have the first right of refusal to refer patients for occupancy of those beds. Operator shall send written notice of the number of vacant beds available to County. County shall provide written notice within five (5) working days of receipt of the notice to indicate whether County will refer patients to fill the vacancies. If vacancies for any of the 101-150 STPPB are filled by County referrals, County is not responsible for reimbursing Optiflex whether the patient is indigent or not. At no time will the County's obligations for the 1-100 STPPB attach to the 101-150 STPPB. In the event County does not respond within the five day period, the first right of refusal shall lapse and Operator may fill said beds through other means.
- 6. **Termination by County.** In addition, the County has the right to terminate this Agreement in any of the following:
 - a. In the event Optiflex does not complete the SNF.
- b. Without cause upon 30 days written notice at the discretion of the County of Riverside, Director of Mental Health, or designee, served upon Optiflex stating the extent and effective date of termination.
- c. In the event that Optiflex and/or its Operator has been accused and/or found to be in violation of any County, State, of Federal laws or regulations.
- d. Notwithstanding any advanced notice provisions herein, if in the opinion of the County of Riverside, Director of Mental Health, or designee, Optiflex and/or its Operator has failed or is failing to provide for the health and safety of the patients served under this Agreement, the County may terminate this Agreement immediately by written notice.

e. In the event that Optiflex fails to perform any of the terms, conditions, or obligations under this Agreement.

- f. Anytime during the term of this Agreement or extensions, County reserves the right to direct Optiflex to terminate the contract between Optiflex and the Operator, for any reason, with sixty (60) days advanced written notice. In so directed, Optiflex shall terminate the contract with the Operator accordingly. In the event of termination of this Agreement between County and Optiflex as set forth herein, the Agreement with Operator shall automatically terminate on the same date and time. Any agreements between Optiflex and Operator shall have this language incorporated into their contract.
- 7. Compliance. Optiflex warrants that the SNF and improvements on and in the SNF shall comply with all applicable law, including State and Federal Laws, covenants or restrictions of record, building codes, regulations and ordinances, including all State of California Department of Public Health and OSHPOD laws, regulations, in effect on the Commencement Date and during the term of this Agreement. If the SNF does not comply with this warranty, Optiflex shall promptly after receipt of written notice from County or any governmental agency having jurisdiction over such matters setting forth the nature and extent of such non-compliance; rectify the same at Optiflex's sole cost and expense.
- 8. Exculpation. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Optiflex, singularly and collectively to Optiflex and the partners, venturers, trustees, and ancillary trustees of Optiflex and the Operator with whom Optiflex contract with to operate the SNF, its respective officers, directors, shareholders, members, parents, subsidiaries, and any other affiliated entities, personal representatives, executors, heirs, assigns, licensees, invites, beneficiaries, agents, servants, employees, and independent contractors of these persons or entities ("Optiflex Parties"), on its behalf and on behalf of County, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective Directors, Officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed

officials, employees, agents and representatives ("County Parties"), waives all claims (in law, equity, or otherwise) against County Parties, arising out of, knowingly and voluntarily assumes the risk of, and agrees that County Parties shall not be liable to Optiflex Parties for any of the following: 1) injury to or death of any person; or 2) loss of, injury or damage to, or destruction of any tangible or intangible property, including the resulting loss of use, economic losses, and consequential or resulting damage of any kind from any cause. County Parties shall not be liable under this section regardless of whether the liability results from any active or passive act, error, or negligence of any of County Parties; or is based on claims in which liability without fault or strict liability is imposed or sought to be imposed on any of County Parties.

- a. Survival of Exculpation. The paragraphs of this Paragraph 8 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement until all claims within the scope of this Paragraph 8 are fully, finally, and absolutely barred by the applicable statutes of limitations.
- b. Optiflex's Acknowledgment of Fairness. Optiflex acknowledges that this Paragraph 8 was negotiated with County, that the consideration for it is fair and adequate, and that Optiflex had a fair opportunity to negotiate, accept, reject, modify, or alter it.
- 9. Waiver of Civil Code Section 1542. With respect to the exculpation provided in Paragraph 8, Optiflex waives the benefits of Civil Code Section 1542, which provides:

"A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS WHICH THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM MUST HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR."

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10. Indemnification. Optiflex shall indemnify and hold harmless the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors,

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officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives from any liability, claim, damage or action whatsoever, based or asserted upon any negligent act or omission of Optiflex, its officers, employees, subcontractors, agents or representatives arising out of or in any way relating to this Agreement, including but not limited to property damage, bodily injury, or death. Optiflex shall defend, at its sole cost and expense, including but not limited to attorney fees, cost of investigation, defense and settlements or awards, the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives in any such action or claim. With respect to any action or claim subject to indemnification herein by Optiflex, Optiflex shall, at its sole cost, have the right to use counsel of its own choice and shall have the right to adjust, settle, or compromise any such action or claim without the prior consent of County; provided, however, that any such adjustment, settlement or compromise in no manner whatsoever limits or circumscribes Optiflex's indemnification of County. Optiflex's obligations hereunder shall be satisfied when Optiflex has provided to County the appropriate form of dismissal (or similar document) relieving the County from any liability for the action or claim involved. The specified insurance limits required in this Agreement shall in no way limit or circumscribe Optiflex's obligations to indemnify and hold harmless the County.

- a. In the event there is conflict between this clause and California Civil Code Section 2782, this clause shall be interpreted to comply with Civil Code 2782. Such interpretation shall not relieve the Optiflex from indemnifying the County to the fullest extent allowed by law.
- b. Optiflex's indemnification obligations shall also apply to any action or claim regarding actual or alleged intellectual property infringement related to any material or product provided to County pursuant to this Agreement. In the event of any such action or

 claim, Optiflex shall provide immediate notice to County of the action or claim. Optiflex may defend or settle the action or claim as Optiflex deems appropriate; however, Optiflex shall be required to obtain for County the right to continue to use the material or product (or a similar non-infringing material or product with the same function) on terms identical to those stated in this Agreement.

- c. All applicable indemnification provisions in this Agreement shall remain in effect following the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 11. Insurance. Without limiting or diminishing the Optiflex's obligation to indemnify or hold the County harmless, Optiflex shall procure and maintain or cause to be procured and maintained, at no cost to the County, the following insurance coverage during the term of this Agreement:
- a. Workers' Compensation. If the Optiflex has employees as defined by the State of California, the Optiflex shall maintain statutory Workers' Compensation Insurance (Coverage A) as prescribed by the laws of the State of California. Policy shall include Employers' Liability (Coverage B) including Occupational Disease with limits not less than \$1,000,000 per person per accident. The policy shall be endorsed to waive subrogation in favor of the County of Riverside, and, if applicable, to provide a Borrowed Servant/Alternate Employer Endorsement.
- b. Commercial General Liability. Commercial General Liability insurance coverage, including but not limited to, premises liability, contractual liability, products and completed operations liability, personal and advertising injury covering claims which may arise from or out of Optiflex's performance of its obligations hereunder. Policy shall name all Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments of the County of Riverside, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives as Additional Insureds. Policy's limit of liability shall not be less than

 \$1,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit.

- c. Vehicle Liability. If Optiflex's vehicles or mobile equipment are used in the performance of the obligations under this Agreement, then Optiflex shall maintain liability insurance for all owned, non-owned or hired vehicles so used in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit. Policy shall name all Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments of the County of Riverside, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives as Additional Insureds.
- d. Professional Liability Insurance. Professional Liability Insurance providing coverage for the Optiflex's performance of work included within this Agreement, with a limit of liability of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. If Optiflex's Professional Liability Insurance is written on a claims made basis rather than an occurrence basis, such insurance shall continue through the term of this Agreement and Optiflex shall purchase at his sole expense either 1) an Extended Reporting Endorsement (also known as Tail Coverage); or 2) Prior Dates Coverage from new insurer with a retroactive date back to the date of, or prior to, the inception of this Agreement; or 3) demonstrate through Certificates of Insurance that Optiflex has Maintained continuous coverage with the same or original insurer. Coverage provided under items; 1), 2) or 3) will continue for a period of five (5) years beyond the termination of this Agreement.

e. General Insurance Provisions - All lines

 i) Any insurance carrier providing insurance coverage hereunder shall be admitted to the State of California and have an A M BEST rating of not less than A:

VIII (A:8) unless such requirements are waived, in writing, by the County Risk Manager. If the County's Risk Manager waives a requirement for a particular insurer such waiver is only valid for that specific insurer and only for one policy term.

ii) The Optiflex's insurance carrier(s) must declare its insurance deductibles or self-insured retentions. If such deductibles or self-insured retentions exceed \$500,000 per occurrence such deductibles and/or retentions shall have the prior written consent of the County Risk Manager before the commencement of operations under this Agreement. Upon notification of deductibles or self-insured retention's unacceptable to the County, and at the election of the Country's Risk Manager, Optiflex'S carriers shall either; 1) reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retention's as respects this Agreement with the County, or 2) procure a bond which guarantees payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration, and defense costs and expenses.

Optiflex shall cause Optiflex's insurance carrier(s) to furnish the County of Riverside with either 1) a properly executed original Certificate(s) of Insurance and certified original copies of Endorsements effecting coverage as required herein, or 2) if requested to do so orally or in writing by the County Risk Manager, provide original Certified copies of policies including all Endorsements and all attachments thereto, showing such insurance is in full force and effect. Further, said Certificate(s) and policies of insurance shall contain the covenant of the insurance carrier(s) that thirty (30) days written notice shall be given to the County of Riverside prior to any material modification, cancellation, expiration or reduction in coverage of such insurance. In the event of a material modification, cancellation, expiration, or reduction in coverage, this Agreement shall terminate forthwith, unless the County of Riverside receives, prior to such effective date, another properly executed original Certificate of Insurance and original copies of endorsements or certified original policies, including all endorsements and attachments thereto evidencing coverage's set forth herein

and the insurance required herein is in full force and effect. Optiflex shall not commence operations until the County has been furnished original Certificate (s) of Insurance and certified original copies of endorsements or policies of insurance including all endorsements and any and all other attachments as required in this Section. An individual authorized by the insurance carrier to do so on its behalf shall sign the original endorsements for each policy and the Certificate of Insurance.

- iv) It is understood and agreed to by the parties hereto and the insurance company(s), that the Certificate(s) of Insurance and policies shall so covenant and shall be construed as primary insurance, and the County's insurance and/or deductibles and/or self-insured retention's or self-insured programs shall not be construed as contributory.
- this Agreement or any extension thereof, there is a material change in the scope of services; or, there is a material change in the equipment to be used in the performance of the scope of work (such as the use of aircraft or watercraft) the County reserves the right to adjust the types of insurance required under this Agreement and the monetary limits of liability for the insurance coverage's currently required herein, if; in the County Risk Manager's reasonable judgment, the amount or type of insurance carried by the Optiflex has become inadequate.
- vi) Optiflex shall pass down the insurance obligations contained herein to all tiers that Optiflex contracts with or working under this Agreement.
- vii) The insurance requirements contained in this Agreement may be met with a program(s) of self-insurance acceptable to the County.
- 12. Americans with Disabilities. Optiflex warrants and represents the SNF shall be accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities in compliance with Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and California Title 24, as amended from time to

time and regulations issued pursuant thereto and in effect from time to time. Any cost incurred to cause the SNF to comply with said Act shall be borne by Optiflex.

- 13. Non-Discrimination. Optiflex shall not be discriminate in the provision of services, allocation of benefits, accommodation in facilities, or employment of personnel on the basis of ethnic group identification, race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, medical condition, marital status or sex in the performance of this Agreement; and, to the extent they shall be found to be applicable hereto, shall comply with the provisions of the California Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code 12900 et. seq), the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. S1210 et seq.) and all other applicable laws or regulations.
- 14. Confidentiality. The Optiflex shall not use for personal gain or make other improper use of privileged or confidential information which is acquired in connection with this Agreement. The term "privileged or confidential information" includes but is not limited to: unpublished or sensitive technological or scientific information; medical, personnel, or security records; County information or data which is not subject to public disclosure.
- a. The Optiflex shall protect from unauthorized disclosure names and other identifying information concerning persons receiving services pursuant to this Agreement, except for general statistical information not identifying any person. The Optiflex shall not use such information for any purpose other than carrying out the Optiflex's obligations under this Agreement. The Optiflex shall promptly transmit to the County all third party requests for disclosure of such information. The Optiflex shall not disclose, except as otherwise specifically permitted by this Agreement or authorized in advance in writing by the County, any such information to anyone other than the County. For purposes of this paragraph, identity shall include, but not be limited to, name, identifying number, symbol, or other identifying particular assigned to the individual, such as finger or voice print or a photograph.

- b. The Optiflex is subject to and shall operate in compliance with all relevant requirements contained in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), Public Law 104-191, enacted August 21, 1996, and the related laws and regulations promulgated subsequent thereto.
- 15. Sick Building Syndrome. Optiflex warrants and represents the SNF shall be constructed, operated and maintained free of certain hazards, including, but not limited to: spores, fungus, molds, bacteria, chemicals or fumes or other causes of any hazardous microenvironments, sometimes known as "Sick Building Syndrome," emanating from or within the SNF that may potentially cause discomfort, bodily injury, sickness or death. Should it be determined that remediation is necessary based on a report by a trained investigator, Optiflex will promptly contract with a qualified and experienced company to safely remove the microenvironments using remediation guidelines recommended or required by the appropriate governmental agency. Any cost incurred to cause the SNF to be free of such hazard shall be borne by Optiflex.
- 16. Hazardous Substance. It is the intent of the Parties to construe the term "Hazardous Substances" in its broadest sense. Hazardous Substances shall be defined as any product, substance, or waste whose presence, use, manufacture, disposal, transportation, or release, either by itself or in combination with other materials, is either: (a) potentially injurious to the public health, safety or welfare, the environment or the Premises; (b) regulated or monitored by any governmental authority; or (c) a basis for potential liability of County to any governmental agency or third party under any applicable statute or common law theory.
- a. Optifiex acknowledges that Optifiex's use or the Operator's use of the premises may from time to time require the presence of Hazardous Substances at the Premises. All such Hazardous Substances located in, at, or on the SNF shall be used, stored, handled, treated, transported, and disposed of in compliance with all applicable laws.

b. If any claim is ever made against County relating to Hazardous Substances present at or around the SNF, whether or not such substances are present as of the Commencement Date, or any such Hazardous Substances are hereafter discovered at the SNF, all costs of removal incurred by, all liability imposed upon, or damages suffered by County because of the same shall be borne by Optiflex, and Optiflex hereby indemnifies and agrees to be responsible for and defend and hold County harmless from and against all such costs, losses, liabilities and damages, including, without limitation, all third-party claims (including sums paid in settlement thereof, with or without legal proceedings) for personal injury or property damage and other claims, actions, administrative proceedings, judgments, compensatory and punitive damages, lost profits, penalties, fines, costs, losses, attorneys' fees and expenses (through all levels of proceedings), consultants or experts fees and costs incurred in enforcing this indemnity. The representation, warranty and indemnity of County described in this Paragraph shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement.

- **17. Administration**. The County Department of Mental Health Director (or designee) shall administer this Agreement on behalf of County.
- 18. Waiver. Any waiver by County of any breach of any one or more of the terms of this Agreement shall not be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent or other breach of the same or of any other term thereof. Failure on the part of the County to require exact, full and complete compliance with any terms of this Agreement shall not be construed as in any manner changing the terms hereof, or estopping County from enforcement hereof.
- 19. Binding on Successors. The terms and conditions herein contained shall apply to and bind the heirs, successors in interest, executors, administrators, representatives and assigns of all the Parties hereto.

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- **20. Severability.** If any provision in this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will nevertheless continue in full force without being impaired or invalidated in any way.
- 21. Venue. Any action at law or in equity brought by either of the Parties hereto for the purpose of enforcing a right or rights provided for by this Agreement shall be tried in a court of competent jurisdiction in the County of Riverside, State of California, and the Parties hereto waive all provisions of law providing for a change of venue in such proceedings to any other county.
- 22. Agent for Service of Process. It is expressly understood and agreed that in the event Optiflex is not a resident of the State of California or it is an association or partnership without a member or partner resident of the State of California, or it is a foreign corporation, then in any such event, Optiflex shall file with Assistant County Executive Officer of the Economic Development Agency, upon its execution hereof, a designation of a natural person residing in the State of California, giving his or her name, residence and business addresses, as its agent for the purpose of service of process in any court action arising out of or based upon this Agreement, and the delivery to such agent of a copy of any process in any such action shall constitute valid service upon Optiflex. It is further expressly understood and agreed that if for any reason service of such process upon such agent is not feasible, then in such event. Optiflex may be personally served with such process out of this county by any means permitted by law and that such service shall constitute valid service upon Optiflex. It is further expressly understood and agreed that Optiflex is amenable to the process so served, submits to the jurisdiction of the court so obtained and waives any and all objections and protests thereto.
- 23. No Joint Venture or Landlord/Tenant Relationship. This Agreement does not create a joint venture by and between the County and Optiflex nor does it create a

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landlord/tenant relationship. The Parties acknowledge that the County shall not be deemed a tenant of the SNF.

- **24. Interpretation.** The Parties hereto have negotiated this Agreement at arm's length and have been advised by their respective attorneys, or if not represented by an attorney, represent that they had an opportunity to be so represented and no provision contained herein shall be construed against County solely because it prepared this Agreement in its executed form.
- **25. Time of Essence.** Time is of the essence with respect to the performance of all obligations to be performed or observed by the Parties under this Agreement.
- **26.** Consent. Whenever Optiflex's or County's consent is required under any provision of this Agreement, it shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.
- **27. Assignment.** Neither this Agreement or any part thereof nor performance under the Agreement shall be assigned, delegated, or transferred by Optiflex without the prior written consent of County.
- 28. Notice. Except as expressly provided elsewhere in this Agreement, all notices and other communication required under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered by:

 (a) Certified Mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, in the United States mail; or (b) via an overnight courier that provides written evidence of delivery and addressed to the Party hereto to whom the same is directed at the addresses set forth below. Either Party hereto may from time to time change its mailing address by written notice to the other Party.

County's Notification Address:

County of Riverside Economic Development Agency 3403 10th Street, Suite 500 Riverside, California 92501

Copy to:

County of Riverside

Optiflex Notification Address:

Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC 200 East Beverly Blvd., Suite 200 Montebello, California 90640

Department of Mental Health Long Term Care/Crisis Hospital Region PO Box 7109 Riverside, California 92513 Attn: Regional Program Manager

- 29. Authority. If Optiflex is a corporation, general or limited partnership or individual owner, each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of said corporation, partnership, or individual represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement on behalf of said corporation, in accordance with bylaws of said corporation, or as a partner or individual is authorized to execute this Agreement and that this Agreement is binding upon said corporation and/or partnership or individual.
- 30. Entire Agreement. This Agreement is intended by the Parties hereto as a final expression of their understanding with respect to the subject matter hereof and as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms and conditions thereof and supersedes any and all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, oral or written, in connection therewith. Any modifications to the terms of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by the parties herein.
- 31. Approval of Supervisors. Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, this Agreement shall not be binding or effective until its approval and execution by the Chairman of the Riverside County Board of Supervisors.

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EXHIBIT A

INDIGENT (NON-FUNDED) PATIENT REFERRAL LETTER

Crisis/Hospital In-Patient Support Services P.O. Box 7109 Riverside, CA 92513

Date

Facility Name Address City, State Zip

FAX: 999.999.9999

Dear Program Administrator/Facility Operator:

This letter is a request for your program to accept the placement of, <u>LAST NAME</u>, <u>FIRST NAME</u>. As an indigent (non-funded) patient, this client is being referred to your organization from the Riverside County Department of Mental Health Long Term Care Office. The following additional information is relevant to this patient's placement.

PLACEMENT DATE:

mm/dd/yy

DOB:

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SSN:

999-99-9999

This correspondence requests your organization's/facility's provision of the following specific service and provides authorization for:

Reimbursement will be at Medi-Cal rate plus a predetermined patch of \$25 per/day.

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Skilled Nursing Facility Agreement, please provide in a timely manner to the Department of Mental Health Long Term Care Office a monthly summary of all patients referred by the County admitted to the facility. In addition, a summary of itemized charges (Billing Invoice) on no less than a monthly basis shall be submitted to:

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
Department of Mental Health
Crisis/Hospital In-Patient Support Services
P.O. Box 7109
Riverside, CA 92513
Attn: Joseph Sebastian

DATE Page 2

Riverside County Department of Mental Health will reimburse for approved charges allowing you to reimburse your vendors accordingly.

If the client is deemed eligible for Medi-Cal (retroactive to the date of application), the Facility Operator is responsible for billing Medi-Cal retroactive to the date of admission for psychiatric patients who have been referred by the Riverside County Department of Mental admitted with a Medi-cal pending status. We appreciate your cooperation and efforts for retroactive billing to Medi-Cal for this client and within 30 days of receiving payment from Medi-Cal please submit reimbursement to the County. Any issues arising in this specific arrangement by either party needs to be effected by a thirty (30) day notice by one party to the other.

Thank you for your services and placement provided for this client.

Respectfully,

Joe Sebastian Crisis/Hospital Regional Manager

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SKILLED NURSING FACILITY AGREEMENT - INDIO

RECITALS

- A. The County of Riverside desires to provide referrals of psychiatric patients for the occupancy of Special Treatment Programs ("STP") in Skilled Nursing Facilities ("SNF"), one of which is located on real property known as Assessor's Parcel Number 616-160-039 in the City of Indio, County of Riverside.
- B. The County of Riverside desires to contract with a Skilled Nursing Facility Developer/Operator that would provide facilities which are safe and free from hazards, and in full compliance with all applicable laws.
- C. Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company has formed a joint venture with a property owner to develop a Skilled Nursing Facility west of Cheyenne Road north of Buffalo Trail in the City of Indio.
- D. The Skilled Nursing Facility will provide facilities for two hundred four (204) patients. Up to forty nine (49) percent of the beds in the SNF or a maximum of one hundred (100) beds will be located in the STP ("STP Psychiatric Beds").
- E. Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, will contract with a company for the operations of the Skilled Nursing Facility.

F. Parties enter into this Agreement for a great public benefit.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

- 1. Term. The Original Term of this Agreement shall be for a period of ten (10) years commencing upon the date which Optiflex completes and receives a Certificate of Occupancy ("Commencement Date") on the SNF, unless terminated pursuant to the provisions hereunder. The Original Term of this Agreement shall expire at midnight on the last day of the ten (10) year term. In the event the Parties do not extend the Agreement as set forth in Paragraph Two (2) below, upon expiration of the Original Term or any subsequent extensions, this Agreement shall become a month to month agreement which may be terminated with thirty (30) days advance written notice by either party. All indemnification provisions in this Agreement shall remain in effect following the termination of this Agreement.
- 2. Options to Extend the Agreement. The County shall have the option to extend this Agreement for two (2) additional terms of ten (10) years each. County shall provide written notice to Optiflex at least ninety (90) days before the expiration of this Agreement.
- 3. County's Consideration. Contingent upon the completion and issuance of certificate of occupancy for the Indio SNF, County agrees to refer to the SNF for the STP psychiatric patients for occupancy of fifty (50) of the one hundred (100) STP Psychiatric Beds. It is the intention of the Parties that the County shall make referrals of patients who would have been referred to the Indio SNF to another SNF located in Moreno Valley after completion of the SNF in Moreno Valley. County will guarantee filling fifty (50) of the one hundred (100) STP Psychiatric Beds ("1-50 STPPB"). County shall refer patients for the fifty (50) STP Psychiatric

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Beds within ninety (90) days of issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy referenced in Paragraph One above. In the event that any of the fifty (50) STP Psychiatric Beds become vacant during the term of this Agreement, County shall reimburse Optiflex for any such vacant beds, based upon the State of California Medi-Cal standard bed hold rates then in effect at the time. County will also reimburse Optiflex at the Medi-Cal standard rate for any of the fifty (50) patients who are indigent. . The County will submit to the Operator a referral letter for all indigent (non-funded) patients that are referred for admittance, as shown in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein. In addition, County will pay twentyfive dollars (\$25) per day for every psychiatric patent placed in an STP bed for Medicare/Medi-Cal and indigent patients. This fee will not be due on vacant or bed holds. The County's sole responsibilities are to provide referrals of psychiatric patients and reimburse Optiflex for any of the fifty (50) vacant beds or indigent patients in those beds. If County does not need all fifty (50) beds, County has the right to make these excess beds available to other counties to meet its guarantee obligations. Optiflex will be responsible for finding other counties/entities or sources to fill the remaining fifty (50) STP Psychiatric Beds ("51-100 STPPB"). Optiflex will be solely responsible for all of the remaining SNF beds that are not a part of the STP Psychiatric Beds.

Obligations by Optiflex. 4.

- The responsibility of constructing, operating, including but not limited to the operations carried out by the services of an Operator as described below, and maintaining of the SNF is and will be the sole responsibility of Optiflex. The SNF shall provide skilled nursing services in this facility provides psychiatric patients]
- Optiflex shall contract separately with a Skilled Nursing Facility Operator b. ("Operator") for the Special Treatment Program at the SNF ("STP/SNF") to provide skilled nursing services ("Services") for patients in the STP/SNF during the term and any extensions

of this Agreement. Optiflex shall warrant that the Services of Operator shall be the highest degree of nursing care in accordance with nursing best business practices in the nursing industry. Optiflex shall ensure that Operator is in full compliance with all Medi-Cal regulations and requirements, including, but not limited to, regulations provided within www.medi-cal.ca.gov California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 3, Sections 51516.1, 51341.1, and 51490.1, and California Alcohol and Drug Program Letters 98-18, 98-30, 98-42, 98-49, 98-50, 98-58, 99-17, and 99-27. Optiflex shall ensure that the Operator provides the Services and operates in compliance with all applicable law including but not limited to laws, rules, regulations and codes of the State of California including the California Department of Public Health, and all Federal and local laws, rules, ordinances and codes.

- c. Optiflex shall contract with an Operator that represents and maintains that it is skilled in the professional calling necessary to perform all services, duties and obligations required by this Agreement to fully and adequately provide the services for the SNF. Optiflex shall require that Operator perform the services and duties in conformance to and consistent with the standards generally recognized as being employed by professionals in the same discipline in the State of California. Optiflex shall ensure, represent and warrant to the County that the Operator has all licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature are legally required to practice its profession and/or provide the services and that Operator shall keep all such licenses and approvals in effect during the term of this Agreement.
- d. Optiflex shall be responsible for billing, or obligate its contracted Operator to bill, Medi-Cal retroactive to the date of admission for psychiatric patients who have been referred by the Riverside County Department of Mental admitted with a Medi-cal pending status. In the event that County has submitted payment for an indigent patient who later

qualified for Medi-cal, reimbursement is due to the County within 30 days of Optiflex or its Operator receiving payment from Medi-Cal.

- e. Optiflex shall impose indemnification and insurance obligations in favor of the County exactly as provided in Paragraphs 10 and 11 on Operator.
- f. Optiflex shall be responsible for maintaining the grounds of the SNF, including among other things, outside and inside fixtures, walls, landscaping, and general housekeeping.
- 5. County's Right of First Refusal for Vacant Beds. At any time during the term of this Agreement any of the 100 STPPB become vacant, County shall have the first right of refusal to refer patients for occupancy of those beds. Operator shall send written notice of the number of vacant beds available to County. County shall provide written notice within five (5) working days of receipt of the notice to indicate whether County will refer patients to fill the vacancies. If vacancies for any of the 51-100 STPPB are filled by County referrals, County is not responsible for reimbursing Optiflex whether the patient is indigent or not. At no time will the County's obligations for the 1-50 STPPB attach to the 51-100 STPPB. In the event County does not respond within the five day period, the first right of refusal shall lapse and Operator may fill said beds through other means.
- **6. Termination by County.** In addition, the County has the right to terminate this Agreement in any of the following:
 - a. In the event Optiflex does not complete the SNF.
- b. Without cause upon 30 days written notice at the discretion of the County of Riverside, Director of Mental Health, or designee, served upon Optiflex stating the extent and effective date of termination.
- c. In the event that Optiflex and/or its Operator has been accused and/or found to be in violation of any County, State, of Federal laws or regulations.

- d. Notwithstanding any advanced notice provisions herein, if in the opinion of the County of Riverside, Director of Mental Health, or designee, Optiflex and/or its Operator has failed or is failing to provide for the health and safety of the patients served under this Agreement, the County may terminate this Agreement immediately by written notice.
- e. In the event that Optiflex fails to perform any of the terms, conditions, or obligations under this Agreement.
- f. Anytime during the term of this Agreement or extensions, County reserves the right to direct Optiflex to terminate the contract between Optiflex and the Operator, for any reason, with sixty (60) days advanced written notice. In so directed, Optiflex shall terminate the contract with the Operator accordingly. In the event of termination of this Agreement between County and Optiflex as set forth herein, the Agreement with Operator shall automatically terminate on the same date and time. Any agreements between Optiflex and Operator shall have this language incorporated into their contract.
- 7. Compliance. Optiflex warrants that the SNF and improvements on and in the SNF shall comply with all applicable law, including State and Federal Laws, covenants or restrictions of record, building codes, regulations and ordinances, including all State of California Department of Public Health and OSHPOD laws, regulations, in effect on the Commencement Date and during the term of this Agreement. If the SNF does not comply with this warranty, Optiflex shall promptly after receipt of written notice from County or any governmental agency having jurisdiction over such matters setting forth the nature and extent of such non-compliance; rectify the same at Optiflex's sole cost and expense.
- 8. Exculpation. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Optiflex, singularly and collectively to Optiflex and the partners, venturers, trustees, and ancillary trustees of Optiflex and the Operator with whom Optiflex contract with to operate the SNF, its respective officers, directors, shareholders, members, parents, subsidiaries, and any other affiliated entities,

personal representatives, executors, heirs, assigns, licensees, invites, beneficiaries, agents, servants, employees, and independent contractors of these persons or entities ("Optiflex Parties"), on its behalf and on behalf of County, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective Directors, Officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives ("County Parties"), waives all claims (in law, equity, or otherwise) against County Parties, arising out of, knowingly and voluntarily assumes the risk of, and agrees that County Parties shall not be liable to Optiflex Parties for any of the following: 1) injury to or death of any person; or 2) loss of, injury or damage to, or destruction of any tangible or intangible property, including the resulting loss of use, economic losses, and consequential or resulting damage of any kind from any cause. County Parties shall not be liable under this section regardless of whether the liability results from any active or passive act, error, or negligence of any of County Parties; or is based on claims in which liability without fault or strict liability is imposed or sought to be imposed on any of County Parties.

- a. Survival of Exculpation. The paragraphs of this Paragraph 8 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement until all claims within the scope of this Paragraph 8 are fully, finally, and absolutely barred by the applicable statutes of limitations.
- b. Optiflex's Acknowledgment of Fairness. Optiflex acknowledges that this Paragraph 8 was negotiated with County, that the consideration for it is fair and adequate, and that Optiflex had a fair opportunity to negotiate, accept, reject, modify, or alter it.
- 9. Waiver of Civil Code Section 1542. With respect to the exculpation provided in Paragraph 8, Optiflex waives the benefits of Civil Code Section 1542, which provides:

"A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS WHICH THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM MUST

HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR."

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10. Indemnification. Optiflex shall indemnify and hold harmless the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives from any liability, claim, damage or action whatsoever, based or asserted upon any negligent act or omission of Optiflex, its officers, employees, subcontractors, agents or representatives arising out of or in any way relating to this Agreement, including but not limited to property damage, bodily injury, or death. Optiflex shall defend, at its sole cost and expense, including but not limited to attorney fees, cost of investigation, defense and settlements or awards, the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives in any such action or claim. With respect to any action or claim subject to indemnification herein by Optiflex, Optiflex shall, at its sole cost, have the right to use counsel of its own choice and shall have the right to adjust, settle, or compromise any such action or claim without the prior consent of County; provided, however, that any such adjustment, settlement or compromise in no manner whatsoever limits or circumscribes Optiflex's indemnification of County. Optiflex's obligations hereunder shall be satisfied when Optiflex has provided to County the appropriate form of dismissal (or similar document) relieving the County from any liability for the action or claim involved. The specified insurance limits required in this Agreement shall in no way limit or circumscribe Optiflex's obligations to indemnify and hold harmless the County.

a. In the event there is conflict between this clause and California Civil Code Section 2782, this clause shall be interpreted to comply with Civil Code 2782. Such

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interpretation shall not relieve the Optiflex from indemnifying the County to the fullest extent allowed by law.

- b. Optiflex's indemnification obligations shall also apply to any action or claim regarding actual or alleged intellectual property infringement related to any material or product provided to County pursuant to this Agreement. In the event of any such action or claim, Optiflex shall provide immediate notice to County of the action or claim. Optiflex may defend or settle the action or claim as Optiflex deems appropriate; however, Optiflex shall be required to obtain for County the right to continue to use the material or product (or a similar non-infringing material or product with the same function) on terms identical to those stated in this Agreement.
- c. All applicable indemnification provisions in this Agreement shall remain in effect following the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 11. Insurance. Without limiting or diminishing the Optiflex's obligation to indemnify or hold the County harmless, Optiflex shall procure and maintain or cause to be procured and maintained, at no cost to the County, the following insurance coverage during the term of this Agreement:
- a. Workers' Compensation. If the Optiflex has employees as defined by the State of California, the Optiflex shall maintain statutory Workers' Compensation Insurance (Coverage A) as prescribed by the laws of the State of California. Policy shall include Employers' Liability (Coverage B) including Occupational Disease with limits not less than \$1,000,000 per person per accident. The policy shall be endorsed to waive subrogation in favor of the County of Riverside, and, if applicable, to provide a Borrowed Servant/Alternate Employer Endorsement.
- b. Commercial General Liability. Commercial General Liability insurance coverage, including but not limited to, premises liability, contractual liability, products and

completed operations liability, personal and advertising injury covering claims which may arise from or out of Optiflex's performance of its obligations hereunder. Policy shall name all Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments of the County of Riverside, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives as Additional Insureds. Policy's limit of liability shall not be less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit.

- c. Vehicle Liability. If Optiflex's vehicles or mobile equipment are used in the performance of the obligations under this Agreement, then Optiflex shall maintain liability insurance for all owned, non-owned or hired vehicles so used in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence combined single limit. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Agreement or be no less than two (2) times the occurrence limit. Policy shall name all Agencies, Districts, Special Districts, and Departments of the County of Riverside, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, employees, elected or appointed officials, agents or representatives as Additional Insureds.
- d. Professional Liability Insurance. Professional Liability Insurance providing coverage for the Optiflex's performance of work included within this Agreement, with a limit of liability of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. If Optiflex's Professional Liability Insurance is written on a claims made basis rather than an occurrence basis, such insurance shall continue through the term of this Agreement and Optiflex shall purchase at his sole expense either 1) an Extended Reporting Endorsement (also known as Tail Coverage); or 2) Prior Dates Coverage from new insurer with a retroactive date back to the date of, or prior to, the inception of this Agreement; or 3) demonstrate through Certificates of Insurance that Optiflex has Maintained continuous coverage with the same or

original insurer. Coverage provided under items; 1), 2) or 3) will continue for a period of five (5) years beyond the termination of this Agreement.

e. General Insurance Provisions - All lines

- i) Any insurance carrier providing insurance coverage hereunder shall be admitted to the State of California and have an A M BEST rating of not less than A: VIII (A:8) unless such requirements are waived, in writing, by the County Risk Manager. If the County's Risk Manager waives a requirement for a particular insurer such waiver is only valid for that specific insurer and only for one policy term.
- ii) The Optiflex's insurance carrier(s) must declare its insurance deductibles or self-insured retentions. If such deductibles or self-insured retentions exceed \$500,000 per occurrence such deductibles and/or retentions shall have the prior written consent of the County Risk Manager before the commencement of operations under this Agreement. Upon notification of deductibles or self insured retention's unacceptable to the County, and at the election of the Country's Risk Manager, Optiflex'S carriers shall either; 1) reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retention's as respects this Agreement with the County, or 2) procure a bond which guarantees payment of losses and related investigations, claims administration, and defense costs and expenses.
- Optiflex shall cause Optiflex's insurance carrier(s) to furnish the County of Riverside with either 1) a properly executed original Certificate(s) of Insurance and certified original copies of Endorsements effecting coverage as required herein, or 2) if requested to do so orally or in writing by the County Risk Manager, provide original Certified copies of policies including all Endorsements and all attachments thereto, showing such insurance is in full force and effect. Further, said Certificate(s) and policies of insurance shall contain the covenant of the insurance carrier(s) that thirty (30) days written notice shall be given to the County of Riverside prior to any material modification, cancellation, expiration or

reduction in coverage of such insurance. In the event of a material modification, cancellation, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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expiration, or reduction in coverage, this Agreement shall terminate forthwith, unless the County of Riverside receives, prior to such effective date, another properly executed original Certificate of Insurance and original copies of endorsements or certified original policies, including all endorsements and attachments thereto evidencing coverage's set forth herein and the insurance required herein is in full force and effect. Optiflex shall not commence operations until the County has been furnished original Certificate (s) of Insurance and certified original copies of endorsements or policies of insurance including all endorsements and any and all other attachments as required in this Section. An individual authorized by the insurance carrier to do so on its behalf shall sign the original endorsements for each policy and the Certificate of Insurance.

- iv) It is understood and agreed to by the parties hereto and the insurance company(s), that the Certificate(s) of Insurance and policies shall so covenant and shall be construed as primary insurance, and the County's insurance and/or deductibles and/or self-insured retention's or self-insured programs shall not be construed as contributory.
- V) The County's Reserved Rights--Insurance. If, during the term of this Agreement or any extension thereof, there is a material change in the scope of services; or, there is a material change in the equipment to be used in the performance of the scope of work (such as the use of aircraft or watercraft) the County reserves the right to adjust the types of insurance required under this Agreement and the monetary limits of liability for the insurance coverage's currently required herein, if; in the County Risk Manager's reasonable judgment, the amount or type of insurance carried by the Optiflex has become inadequate.
- vi) Optiflex shall pass down the insurance obligations contained herein to all tiers that Optiflex contracts with or working under this Agreement.

vii) The insurance requirements contained in this Agreement may be met with a program(s) of self-insurance acceptable to the County.

- 12. Americans with Disabilities. Optiflex warrants and represents the SNF shall be accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities in compliance with Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and California Title 24, as amended from time to time and regulations issued pursuant thereto and in effect from time to time. Any cost incurred to cause the SNF to comply with said Act shall be borne by Optiflex.
- 13. Non-Discrimination. Optiflex shall not be discriminate in the provision of services, allocation of benefits, accommodation in facilities, or employment of personnel on the basis of ethnic group identification, race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, medical condition, marital status or sex in the performance of this Agreement; and, to the extent they shall be found to be applicable hereto, shall comply with the provisions of the California Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code 12900 et. seq), the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. S1210 et seq.) and all other applicable laws or regulations.
- 14. Confidentiality. The Optiflex shall not use for personal gain or make other improper use of privileged or confidential information which is acquired in connection with this Agreement. The term "privileged or confidential information" includes but is not limited to: unpublished or sensitive technological or scientific information; medical, personnel, or security records; County information or data which is not subject to public disclosure.
- a. The Optiflex shall protect from unauthorized disclosure names and other identifying information concerning persons receiving services pursuant to this Agreement, except for general statistical information not identifying any person. The Optiflex shall not use such information for any purpose other than carrying out the Optiflex's obligations under this

 Agreement. The Optiflex shall promptly transmit to the County all third party requests for disclosure of such information. The Optiflex shall not disclose, except as otherwise specifically permitted by this Agreement or authorized in advance in writing by the County, any such information to anyone other than the County. For purposes of this paragraph, identity shall include, but not be limited to, name, identifying number, symbol, or other identifying particular assigned to the individual, such as finger or voice print or a photograph.

- b. The Optiflex is subject to and shall operate in compliance with all relevant requirements contained in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), Public Law 104-191, enacted August 21, 1996, and the related laws and regulations promulgated subsequent thereto.
- 15. Sick Building Syndrome. Optiflex warrants and represents the SNF shall be constructed, operated and maintained free of certain hazards, including, but not limited to: spores, fungus, molds, bacteria, chemicals or fumes or other causes of any hazardous microenvironments, sometimes known as "Sick Building Syndrome," emanating from or within the SNF that may potentially cause discomfort, bodily injury, sickness or death. Should it be determined that remediation is necessary based on a report by a trained investigator, Optiflex will promptly contract with a qualified and experienced company to safely remove the microenvironments using remediation guidelines recommended or required by the appropriate governmental agency. Any cost incurred to cause the SNF to be free of such hazard shall be borne by Optiflex.
- 16. Hazardous Substance. It is the intent of the Parties to construe the term "Hazardous Substances" in its broadest sense. Hazardous Substances shall be defined as any product, substance, or waste whose presence, use, manufacture, disposal, transportation, or release, either by itself or in combination with other materials, is either: (a) potentially injurious to the public health, safety or welfare, the environment or the Premises; (b) regulated

- a. Optiflex acknowledges that Optiflex's use or the Operator's use of the premises may from time to time require the presence of Hazardous Substances at the Premises. All such Hazardous Substances located in, at, or on the SNF shall be used, stored, handled, treated, transported, and disposed of in compliance with all applicable laws.
- b. If any claim is ever made against County relating to Hazardous Substances present at or around the SNF, whether or not such substances are present as of the Commencement Date, or any such Hazardous Substances are hereafter discovered at the SNF, all costs of removal incurred by, all liability imposed upon, or damages suffered by County because of the same shall be borne by Optiflex, and Optiflex hereby indemnifies and agrees to be responsible for and defend and hold County harmless from and against all such costs, losses, liabilities and damages, including, without limitation, all third-party claims (including sums paid in settlement thereof, with or without legal proceedings) for personal injury or property damage and other claims, actions, administrative proceedings, judgments, compensatory and punitive damages, lost profits, penalties, fines, costs, losses, attorneys' fees and expenses (through all levels of proceedings), consultants or experts fees and costs incurred in enforcing this indemnity. The representation, warranty and indemnity of County described in this Paragraph shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement.
- **17. Administration**. The County Department of Mental Health Director (or designee) shall administer this Agreement on behalf of County.
- **18. Waiver.** Any waiver by County of any breach of any one or more of the terms of this Agreement shall not be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent or other breach of the same or of any other term thereof. Failure on the part of the County to require exact, full

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and complete compliance with any terms of this Agreement shall not be construed as in any manner changing the terms hereof, or estopping County from enforcement hereof.

19. Binding on Successors. The terms and conditions herein contained shall apply to and bind the heirs, successors in interest, executors, administrators, representatives

and assigns of all the Parties hereto.

- **20. Severability.** If any provision in this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will nevertheless continue in full force without being impaired or invalidated in any way.
- 21. Venue. Any action at law or in equity brought by either of the Parties hereto for the purpose of enforcing a right or rights provided for by this Agreement shall be tried in a court of competent jurisdiction in the County of Riverside, State of California, and the Parties hereto waive all provisions of law providing for a change of venue in such proceedings to any other county.
- 22. Agent for Service of Process. It is expressly understood and agreed that in the event Optiflex is not a resident of the State of California or it is an association or partnership without a member or partner resident of the State of California, or it is a foreign corporation, then in any such event, Optiflex shall file with Assistant County Executive Officer of the Economic Development Agency, upon its execution hereof, a designation of a natural person residing in the State of California, giving his or her name, residence and business addresses, as its agent for the purpose of service of process in any court action arising out of or based upon this Agreement, and the delivery to such agent of a copy of any process in any such action shall constitute valid service upon Optiflex. It is further expressly understood and agreed that if for any reason service of such process upon such agent is not feasible, then in

such event, Optiflex may be personally served with such process out of this county by any means permitted by law and that such service shall constitute valid service upon Optiflex. It is further expressly understood and agreed that Optiflex is amenable to the process so served, submits to the jurisdiction of the court so obtained and waives any and all objections and protests thereto.

- 23. No Joint Venture or Landlord/Tenant Relationship. This Agreement does not create a joint venture by and between the County and Optiflex nor does it create a landlord/tenant relationship. The Parties acknowledge that the County shall not be deemed a tenant of the SNF.
- 24. Interpretation. The Parties hereto have negotiated this Agreement at arm's length and have been advised by their respective attorneys, or if not represented by an attorney, represent that they had an opportunity to be so represented and no provision contained herein shall be construed against County solely because it prepared this Agreement in its executed form.
- **25. Time of Essence.** Time is of the essence with respect to the performance of all obligations to be performed or observed by the Parties under this Agreement.
- 26. Consent. Whenever Optiflex's or County's consent is required under any provision of this Agreement, it shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.
- 27. Assignment. Neither this Agreement or any part thereof nor performance under the Agreement shall be assigned, delegated, or transferred by Optiflex without the prior written consent of County.
- 28. Notice. Except as expressly provided elsewhere in this Agreement, all notices and other communication required under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered by:

 (a) Certified Mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, in the United States mail; or (b) via an overnight courier that provides written evidence of delivery and addressed to the Party

hereto to whom the same is directed at the addresses set forth below. Either Party hereto may from time to time change its mailing address by written notice to the other Party.

County's Notification Address:

County of Riverside Economic Development Agency 3403 10th Street, Suite 500 Riverside, California 92501

Optiflex Notification Address:

Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC 200 East Beverly Blvd., Suite 200 Montebello, California 90640

Copy to:

County of Riverside
Department of Mental Health
Long Term Care/Crisis Hospital Region
PO Box 7109
Riverside, California 92513
Attn: Regional Program Manager

29. Authority. If Optiflex is a corporation, general or limited partnership or individual owner, each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of said corporation, partnership, or individual represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement on behalf of said corporation, in accordance with bylaws of said corporation, or as a partner or individual is authorized to execute this Agreement and that this Agreement is binding upon said corporation and/or partnership or individual.

30. Entire Agreement. This Agreement is intended by the Parties hereto as a final expression of their understanding with respect to the subject matter hereof and as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms and conditions thereof and supersedes any and all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, oral or written, in connection therewith. Any modifications to the terms of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by the parties herein.

1	31. Approval of Supervisors.	Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, this
2	Agreement shall not be binding or effective	until its approval and execution by the Chairman of
3	the Riverside County Board of Supervisors.	
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7	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties representatives to execute this Agreement.	hereto have caused their duly authorized
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9	Dated:	Optiflex Properties and Development, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company
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17	Clerk of the Board	
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21	APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
22	Pamela J. Walls	
23	County Counsel	1
4	By: Synthia M. Gonzel	
5	Synthia M. Gunzel Deputy County Counsel	

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EXHIBIT A

INDIGENT (NON-FUNDED) PATIENT REFERRAL LETTER

Crisis/Hospital In-Patient Support Services P.O. Box 7109 Riverside, CA 92513

Date

Facility Name Address City, State Zip

FAX: 999.999.9999

Dear Program Administrator/Facility Operator:

This letter is a request for your program to accept the placement of, <u>LAST NAME</u>, <u>FIRST NAME</u>. As an indigent (non-funded) patient, this client is being referred to your organization from the Riverside County Department of Mental Health Long Term Care Office. The following additional information is relevant to this patient's placement.

PLACEMENT DATE:

mm/dd/yy

DOB:

mm/dd/yy

SSN:

999-99-9999

This correspondence requests your organization's/facility's provision of the following specific service and provides authorization for:

Reimbursement will be at Medi-Cal rate plus a predetermined patch of \$25 per/day.

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Skilled Nursing Facility Agreement, please provide in a timely manner to the Department of Mental Health Long Term Care Office a monthly summary of all patients referred by the County admitted to the facility. In addition, a summary of itemized charges (Billing Invoice) on no less than a monthly basis shall be submitted to:

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
Department of Mental Health
Crisis/Hospital In-Patient Support Services
P.O. Box 7109
Riverside, CA 92513
Attn: Joseph Sebastian

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Riverside County Department of Mental Health will reimburse for approved charges allowing you to reimburse your vendors accordingly.

If the client is deemed eligible for Medi-Cal (retroactive to the date of application), the Facility Operator is responsible for billing Medi-Cal retroactive to the date of admission for psychiatric patients who have been referred by the Riverside County Department of Mental admitted with a Medi-cal pending status. We appreciate your cooperation and efforts for retroactive billing to Medi-Cal for this client and within 30 days of receiving payment from Medi-Cal please submit reimbursement to the County. Any issues arising in this specific arrangement by either party needs to be effected by a thirty (30) day notice by one party to the other.

Thank you for your services and placement provided for this client.

Respectfully,

Joe Sebastian Crisis/Hospital Regional Manager

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