

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



**ITEM**  
3.20  
(ID # 3852)

**MEETING DATE:**

Tuesday, April 18, 2017

**FROM :** RUHS-PUBLIC HEALTH:

**SUBJECT:** RIVERSIDE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM-PUBLIC HEALTH: Introduction of Ordinance No. 734.15 Amending Ordinance No. 734.14, an Ordinance of the County Riverside Establishing Fees, Charges, and Rates for Riverside University Health System - Public Health Program Services and Supplies. Districts: All [\$0]

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Introduce and set for a public hearing adoption of Ordinance No. 734.15; and
2. At the close of the public hearing, the Board of Supervisor adopt Ordinance No. 734.15.

**ACTION:** Consent

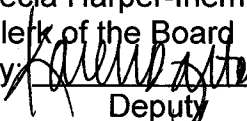
  
Sarah S Mack, Director of Public Health 5/30/2017

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**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

On motion of Supervisor Tavaglione, seconded by Supervisor Jeffries and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Tavaglione, Washington and Ashley  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Date: April 18, 2017  
xc: RUHS-Public Health, COB

Kecia Harper-Ihem  
Clerk of the Board  
By:   
Deputy

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| <b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>   | <b>Current Fiscal Year:</b> | <b>Next Fiscal Year:</b> | <b>Total Cost:</b>            | <b>Ongoing Cost</b> |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>COST</b>   | \$ 0                        | \$ 0                     | \$ 0                          | \$ 0                |
| <b>NET COUNTY COST</b>  | \$ 0                        | \$ 0                     | \$ 0                          | \$ 0                |
| <b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b> Fees paid for services by public and third party payers |                             |                          | <b>Budget Adjustment:</b> No  |                     |
|   |                             |                          | <b>For Fiscal Year:</b> 16/17 |                     |

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** [CEO use]

**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary (continued)**

On March 1994, the Board adopted Ordinance 734, Public Health Services and Supplies Fee and Charges, establishing County Public Health fees, charges and rates. The last update was Ordinance 734.14 on December 4, 2013 with Board adoption on December 20, 2013. As a result of budget actions at the state level, increases in employee salaries/benefits, increased pricing due to the Consumer Price Index (CPI), third party payers, we are submitting Ordinance 734.15 to reflect the commensurate and applicable changes to the Riverside University Health System Public Health fee schedule.

**Impact on Citizens and Business**

The new and revised Public Health program fees are necessary for the on-going operational and maintenance cost in providing Public Health program services to Riverside County residents.

**Additional Fiscal Information**

This update includes new, revised, and deleted fees. Public Health Laboratory miscellaneous fees were revised using the Medicare rates with a 150% multiplier and were not reviewed by the Auditor Controller's Office. The fees are consistent with standard pricing and strategy recommended by NACHC (National Association of Community Health Centers) as used in the healthcare industry. Vital Records fees were updated to be consistent with established California Department of Public Health rates. Some services were added to the schedule with industry standard fees or with the pass-through costs. New fees and some revised fees have been calculated to offset the actual cost of providing the service/product. These new or updated fees are as follows:

- A. Non Clinical Laboratory
  - 1. Records Processing Fee

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- B. PH Laboratory Miscellaneous Fees
  - 2. GeneXpert Assay
  - 3. QuantiFERON – TB
  
- C. Disease Control
  - 4. TB Skin Testing Group
  
- D. PH Nursing
  - 5. Denver Developmental Screening Test (DDST)
  - 6. Nursing Faculty Service
  - 7. Student Nurse Coordinator
  - 8. HELPS Self-Management Education Workshop
  
- E. HIV/AIDS
  - 9. Court Ordered HIV testing
  
- F. California Children's Services (CCS)
  - 10. CCS Records Processing Fee
  
- G. Nutrition
  - 11. Community Education Presentation
  - 12. Lactation Counseling
  - 13. Birth and Beyond Training
  - 14. Lactation Counselor Training
  - 15. Asthma Group Education Class
  - 16. Professional Education Presentation by Registered Dietician (RD)
  - 17. Healthy Eating Lunch & Learn with a Nutritionist (RD) and a Chef
  
- H. Staff Development
  - 18. CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) classes

Attached is the Riverside University Health System Public Health Fees, Ordinance 734.15 Schedule 1.

Ordinance 734.14 Schedule 2 is not included as it is not applicable to Riverside University Health System Public Health fees.