

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



**ITEM: 3.27
(ID # 11520)**

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, December 15, 2020

FROM: RUHS-BEHAVIORAL HEALTH:

SUBJECT: RIVERSIDE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: Ratify an Increase to the FY19/20 Psychiatric Inpatient Hospital Provider Aggregate, All Districts. [Additional Cost of \$2,063,535 for 1 year; up to \$206,354 in Additional Compensation, 100% State Funding]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Ratify and approve an increase to the Contract Aggregate for the vendors listed in Attachment A to provide Psychiatric Inpatient Hospital Services for a onetime increase from \$3,000,000 to \$5,063,535 for FY 19/20, and authorize the Purchasing Agent to sign amendments for the vendors listed in Attachment A for FY 19/20; and
2. Authorize the Purchasing Agent, in accordance with Ordinance No. 459, based upon the availability of funding and as approved as to form by County Counsel to: a) authorize the Purchasing Agent to add new providers not to exceed \$100,000 while staying within the approved aggregate amount; b) move the allocated funds among the vendors; c) sign amendments that exercise the options of the agreement including modifications of the statement of work that stay within the intent of the Agreement; and d) sign amendments to the compensation provisions that do not exceed the sum total of ten (10%) of the total annual cost of the contracts.

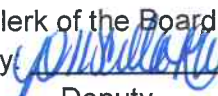
ACTION:


Matthew Chang, Director 11/17/2020

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: December 15, 2020
xc: RUHS-BH

Kecia R. Harper
Clerk of the Board
By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$2,063,535	\$0	\$2,063,535	\$0
NET COUNTY COST	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% State			Budget Adjustment: No	
			For Fiscal Year: 19/20 – 21/22	

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

As the Mental Health Plan provider for Riverside County, Riverside University Health System – Behavioral Health (RUHS-BH) is required to provide acute psychiatric inpatient hospital services to seriously mentally ill children, adults and older adults. Inpatient hospital services include psychiatric evaluation and treatment services, medication services and discharge planning and coordination geared to stabilize the individual for return to the community.

Impact on Citizens and Businesses

These services are a component of the Department’s system of care aimed at improving the health and safety of consumers and the community.

Additional Fiscal Information

The Psychiatric Inpatient Hospital Agreements are funded by the State and have termination clauses in the event that State funds become unavailable for service provision. No additional County funds are required.

Contract History and Price Reasonableness

On June 25, 2019 (3-33), the Board of Supervisors approved the Psychiatric Inpatient Hospital Aggregate and agreements for \$3,000,000 annually through June 30, 2022. RUHS-BH is requesting to increase the aggregate from \$3,000,000 to \$5,063,535 for FY19/20 due to an upsurge in the utilization of inpatient psychiatric hospital services. The Department is currently working on alternative solutions which they anticipate will reduce the costs back down to the original aggregate of \$3,000,000 in subsequent fiscal years.

Due to the specialized, highly structured and diverse treatment environments needed to treat RUHS-BH consumers with mental illness, an increase in diverse levels of care, such as those provided by the vendors listed in Attachment A, RUHS-BH requires the flexibility to add vendors for psychiatric inpatient hospital services as needed to ensure continuity of care. Such vendors are subject to providing proof of appropriate certifications, licensing and/or other standard review qualifications. Ordinance 459 allows for the implementation of patient services contracts that provide reimbursement of service costs, without bidding, which are state or federally mandated and funded.

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RUHS-BH uses the Department of Health Care Services rates as its standard for establishing the rates for these providers. Each provider Agreement amount is based on a projected utilization multiplied by the acute bed rate.

**Attachment A
Psychiatric Inpatient Hospital Providers**

Provider	Current Contract Maximum	Contract Increase	New Contract Maximum
Aurora Las Encinas Hospital - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 10,710.00	\$ 10,710.00
BHC Sierra, DBA-Sierra Vista Hospital - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 22,950.00	\$ 22,950.00
College Hospital Cerritos - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 18,360.00	\$ 18,360.00
John Muir Behavioral Health - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 3,825.00	\$ 3,825.00
Canyon Ridge Hospital - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 14,535.00	\$ 14,535.00
Aurora Behavioral Health San Diego - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 11,475.00	\$ 11,475.00
Sharp Memorial Hospital, DBA Sharp Mesa Vista Hospital - IMD Excluded	\$ -	\$ 44,370.00	\$ 44,370.00
Aurora Charter Oak - Los Angeles, LLC, DBA - Signature Healthcare Services, LLC-CA - IMD Excluded	\$ 266,220.00	\$ -	\$ 266,220.00
Loma Linda University Behavioral Medicine Center, Inc. - IMD Excluded	\$ 900,130.00	\$ 538,575.00	\$ 1,438,705.00
Vista Behavioral Hospital, LLC, DBA-Pacific Grove Hospital, Inc. - IMD Excluded	\$ 2,600,235.00	\$ 257,040.00	\$ 2,857,275.00
UHS-Corona, Inc., DBA-Corona Regional Medical Center - Indigent	\$ 163,760.00	\$ 62,300.00	\$ 226,060.00
Vista Behavioral Hospital, LLC, DBA-Pacific Grove Hospital, Inc. - Indigent	\$ 99,450.00	\$ 23,715.00	\$ 123,165.00
Loma Linda University Behavioral Medicine Center, Inc. - Indigent	\$ 25,885.00	\$ -	\$ 25,885.00
Total Aggregate			\$5,063,535.00


Suzanna Mackley, Assistant Director of Purchasing and Fleet Service 12/8/2020


Alonzo Barrera 12/9/2020


Gregory H. Priarios, Director County Counsel 12/9/2020