

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



**ITEM: 15.6
(ID # 23110)**

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, October 17, 2023

FROM : (RUHS) RIVERSIDE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM:

SUBJECT: RIVERSIDE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM-MEDICAL CENTER: Ratification and approval of the renewal of the Medically Indigent Services Program and authorization of payments to vendors to provide medical services and pharmaceuticals, effective July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2026, All Districts. [Total Cost \$15,000,000; Annual Cost \$5,000,000; 72% - State Health Realignment and 28% - General Fund]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Ratify and approve the renewal of the Medically Indigent Services Program (MISP) and authorize the MISP Director or designee to administer the program and reimburse the vendors listed in Attachment A, MISP Vendor List, for medical services and pharmaceuticals, for three fiscal years effective July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2026, not to exceed an annual amount of \$5,000,000 per fiscal year; and
2. Direct the MISP Program Director or designee to establish any necessary provider agreements pursuant to County standard procurement policies, procedures and authorities, subject to approval as to form by County Counsel.

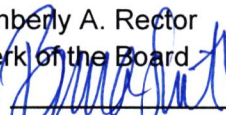
ACTION:Policy


Jennifer Cruikshank, Chief Executive Officer - Health System 9/20/2023

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Gutierrez
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: October 17, 2023
xc: RUHS-Medical Center, MISP

Kimberly A. Rector
Clerk of the Board
By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000	\$15,000,000	\$0
NET COUNTY COST	\$1,400,000	\$1,400,000	\$4,200,000	\$0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: 72% State Health Realignment / 28% County General Fund 10000			Budget Adjustment: No	
			For Fiscal Year: 23/24 – 25/26	

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

Riverside University Health System-Medical Center (RUHS-MC) requests the Board of Supervisors approve funding of the Medically Indigent Services Program (MISP) for three additional fiscal years and authorize the Director to administer the program and pay the vendors (Attachment A, MISP Vendor List) that provide medical care, dental care and pharmaceuticals to the MISP population in Riverside County.

The MISP was born in Riverside County in 1983. The MISP is a program of last resort, a health care safety net, and the main source of health care for a specific population that do not meet Medi-Cal qualifications under the Affordable Care Act (ACA) Healthcare Reform. The program provides financial assistance to meet the health care needs of the adult population between the ages of 21-64. The qualified recipients of the program must meet the income requirements that place them in the Federal Poverty level range of 0-200%. The MISP is designed to cover acute illnesses and medical care. The intended goal is to prevent disability.

The MISP administers payments to pharmacies, physician groups and hospitals for the medically indigent adult populations, juvenile correctional health populations, adult correctional health populations and managed care patients assigned to County providers in need of medical care and pharmaceuticals.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

These services are a component of RUHS-MC's system of care aimed at improving the health and safety of its patients and the community.

The MISP can extend specialty and hospital care to meet the needs of the MISP population on a consistent basis. The ability to receive consistent health care has aided in the reduction of costly hospital admissions and a reduction in emergency room visits. The decrease in emergency room visits reduces extended wait times and allows for additional space to render services to all patient populations in need of emergent care. The provision of indigent medical services is a mandate by the State of California under the Welfare and

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Institutions (WIC) Code Section 17000 as a condition for receiving state realignment funding.

Additional Fiscal Information

These services are mandated and funded with realignment and County funds. At this time, no additional contingency funds are requested.

Contract History and Price Reasonableness

On July 31, 2018, Agenda Item 3.37, the Board approved funding to administer the Medically Indigent Services Program (MISP) and authorized payments to vendors for medical services and pharmaceuticals for a period of three (3) fiscal years, beginning July 1, 2017, to June 30, 2020, for a total cost of \$15,000,000. MISP has utilized the Form 11 as a vehicle to request the necessary funding from the Board of Supervisors needed to pay health care providers since the origination of the program in 1987.

On June 30, 2020, Agenda Item 15.1, the Board approved the renewal of funding to administer the Medically Indigent Services Program (MISP) and authorized payments to vendors for medical services and pharmaceuticals for a period of three (3) fiscal years, beginning July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2023 for a total cost of \$15,000,000.

Attachment A: MISP VENDOR LIST



Meghan Hahn, Deputy Director of Procurement 9/20/2023



Jacqueline Ruiz, Sr. Management Analyst 10/10/2023



Gregg Gu, Chief Deputy County Counsel 9/20/2023

Vendor Name	Vendor Tax ID
Accupath Diagnostic Laboratories Inc	330731972
A&G Infusion Nursing	843217320
Advanced Eyecare Prof Optometric Group	954728893
Advanced Heart and Vascular Physicians Inc	474396731
Advanced Sleep Medicine Services, Inc.	954593007
Advantage Ambulance	465348858
Affiliated Pathologist Med Grp Inc.	911879977
Alcam Medical Inc.	870779046
All in one home Health Agency	800693355
American Medical Response	752474011
American Orthotics and Prosthetics	943413570
Anaheim Fire and Rescue	956000666
Anoop Maheswari MD	330651651
Anthony Tornay MD	330618345
Apex Emergency Medical Group	452907271
Apex Radiology Medical Group	453915332
Arrowhead Neurosurgery Medical Group	330924871
Arrowhead Radiology Medical	952948449
Astrid Mendoza	371455574
Banning Medical Services	810753395
Big Sky Mobile Imaging LLC.	475343977
Big Sur Anesthesia Group PC	471335675
Blackstone Medical Corp	562522275
Blythe Ambulance	953433967
Borrego Community Health Foundation	330440021
Breathe Diagnostics	812453436
Breathe Medical	651318532
Bridge Home Health and Hospice	203193189
Cal Med Physicians and Surgeons Inc	330731757
California Emergency Physicians-Desert Regional	942494000
California Home Health Agency	342007453
California Managed Imaging ME	300449168
California Emergency Phys-Palomar	942494000
Canyon Springs Dialysis	260775607

Cardiology Specialist Medical	330527918
Care Ambulance Service Inc.	330285453
CEP America California-Desert Regional	942494000
CEP America California-Kaiser MV	942494000
CEP America California -RIV Comm Hosp	942494000
CEP America California-RUHS	942494000
CEP America Neurology PC	814978794
Charter Health Care Group LLC	274136354
CHHAB Inc.	811012403
Cecil D Bowen, M.D	129422603
City of Cathedral City	953674780
City of Hope Medical Foundation	274803222
City of Indio Finance Department	956000726
Coachella Valley Nephrology	900926088
Corp Beverly Medical Group	954651287
Clinicas De Salud Del Pueblo Inc-Blythe	952657324
Clinicas De Salud Del Pueblo Inc-Coachella	952657324
Clinicas De Salud Del Pueblo Inc-Mecca	952657324
Coachella Valley Nephrology	900926088
Coachella Valley Pathology Associates	203769294
Columbia Emergency Medical Group	954552089
Community Medical Group Riverside	952964729
Compassionate Cancer Care Med Grp	383650060
Corona Orthopedic Associates Medical	330699415
County of McKinley	856000234
Crown Surgery Medical Group Inc.	431970283
Department of Health	956000930
Dermatology (LLUMC)	330672915
Desert Advanced Imaging Medical Center	330968516
Desert Air Ambulance	201592746
Desert Critical Care Transport	204388322
Desert Regional Medical Center	752694137
Desert Trauma Surgeons	330596770
Desire Home Health Inc.	824694689
Doctor's Ambulance Service	953327978

Doctors Emergency Room Corp	930593500
Donald Kluge Image Prosthetics	330753110
Dr. Matthew D. Robinson D.O	455607485
Dr. Neeru Agarwal DO LLC	475221407
EBI, LLC	311651314
Edelbrook Emergency Physicians	611811880
EDS-I Prac of CA, A Med Corp	364778369
Eisenhower Medical Center	956130458
Eisenhower Radiology Med Grp.	953230347
El Bershawi Medical Corporation	260690702
Emergency Associates Corporation	630603631
Emergency Medicine Faculty Group	954615787
Empire Infusion Pharmacy	961492256
Empire Pharmacy, Inc.	462386223
Esoterix Genetic Laboratories, LLC	273267315
Fallbrook-Rancho Surgery, A Medical Corp	953624302
First Choice Physicians Partners	273597066
First Desert OB/GYN	330876131
Fountain Valley Group Services	471844403
Fountain Valley Regional	952768729
Genetic Disease Branch	943402381
Golden State Anesthesia Consultants Inc.	800361202
Greater Long Beach Genito-Urinary	330037852
Golden State Imaging Associates Inc.	834721282
Grapevine Home Health	204465621
Hanger Prosthetics and Orthotics West Inc.	952667855
Health Diagnostics of CA LLC	943292479
Heart and Vascular Wellness Center	814444052
Hemet Valley Medical Center	270636387
Hemchand Kolli MD	208230308
Hemet EKG Interpretation Medical Group Inc.	330011656
Hemet Valley Ambulance Service	952841215
Hemet Valley Imaging	330147051
High Plains Radiological Assn	751375446
Ifeanyi Ugochuku MD	201867149

Imdad Ysusufaly MD	330534493
Independent Consultants	822193233
Inland Valley Cardiovascular Center GP	461133025
Inland Valley Trauma and Acute Care Surgery	825057478
Inpatient Services of CA Inc.	364519009
Ironstone Medical Clinic Inc.	043782422
Jeung Choo Yoo MD. Inc	953434105
John F.Kennedy Memorial Hospital	752919774
John Liquete MD Inc	460846559
Kaiser Foundation Hospital-Los Angeles	941105628
Kaiser Foundation Hospitals-Harbor City	941105628
KCI USA Inc.	742152396
Kolli Medical Corp	462632525
La Paz Regional Hospital	860260959
Laboratory Corporation of America	840611484
Lincare Inc.	592852900
Loma Linda University	971705906
Loma Linda Univ. Path. Med. Grp	954083895
Loma Linda University Children's Hospital	463214504
Loma Linda University Medical Center	953522679
Loma Linda University Medical Center-Murrieta	371705906
Magnolia Acute Trauma A Medical Corp	352536336
Magnolia Pathology Med Grp Inc.	330788403
Manila Zaman MD Inc.	472176232
Mark J Beck MD	499521286
Medical Laboratory Services	952801627
Med-Ped ID, Inc.	260069300
Mercy Air Service	330320626
Methodist Willowbrook Hospital	760545192
Metropolitan Methodist-San Antonio	742730328
Michael Bishara MD Inc.	330835872
Michael C Farmer MD.	221899118
Mi-Med Supply Co Inc.	208365452
Mission Ambulance Inc.	364354605
Mobility Solutions	330613922

Montclair Emergency Med Assoc.	330943206
Murrieta Valley Surgery Associates Med Inc	455076055
Neighborhood Healthcare	952796316
Neogenomics Laboratories	593725585
Nephrology Associates Medical Group	330686333
North Coast Ima	953519982
North Coast Imaging Radiology Medical	953519982
North Coast Radiology Medical Group Inc.	953519982
Online Radiology Medical Group Inc.	330748075
Orthofix Inc.	752608036
Pacific Heart Medical Group Inc.	270944022
Pacific Sleep Medicine, A Med Corp	330654354
Palm Imaging Institute	330638761
Palm Pathology Medical Group	832380263
Palmdale Regional Medical Center	953565954
Palo Verde Hospital	900214335
Pamela I. Alvarez MD Inc	453156491
Pathology Medical Group Riverside	330883007
Pharmatech Incorporated	330836229
Pinnacle Emergency Phys of Bakersfield	208033410
Planned Parenthood of the Pacific South West	956111785
Premier Health Partners	274338265
Premier Medical Transportation	330899966
Promesa Home Care	264639072
Quantum Healthcare Med Assoc	943344928
Quantum Medical Radiology of California	261916787
Quest Diagnostics	710897031
Quest Diagnostics Dallas	382084239
RadAdvantage APC	262546889
Rady Childrens Spec Med Foundation	951691313
Rakesh Chopra MD Inc	330441115
Ramona Specialist Inc.	270574252
Ramy A Awad MD	270350778
Rancho Mirage Anesthesia CMG	330248579
Rancho Oral and Facial Surgery	462467025

Ratan L. Tiwari MD Inc.	953630862
Redlands Community Hospital	951643347
Redondo Emergency Phys Inc.	451833448
Reach Air Medical Services	680222123
Reinassance Imaging Med Assoc	954747393
Renal Treatment center/RTC	232741218
Rite Aid Corporation	954391249
Riverside County Medical Services	810907539
Riverside Dialysis	232741218
Riverside Emergency Physicians Medical Group	571184741
Riverside Health Care Systems	330751869
Riverside PD Central	471535010
Riverside Plastic Surgeon Assoc.	200975173
Riverside Radiology Medical Group	952598917
Riverside University Health	956000930
Riverside University health System -Med Center	956000930
Salvatore Rosario MD Inc.	812593173
Samuel Ibrahim MD Inc.	810893964
San Francisco Emergency Medical	943278555
San Grogornio Memorial Hospital	330420041
Santa Ana Physicians Group Inc.	471854250
Shadi A. Qasqas MD., Inc	464679491
Shield California Health Care Centers Inc.	951940459
Shield Health Care Centers – Cal	951940459
Sonoran Desert Pathology Associates	271045244
Southland GI Medical Corp	330729752
Southwest Health Care Systems-Inland Valley	233059262
Southwest Healthcare Systems-Rancho Springs	233059262
Springs Ambulance Service, Inc.	952426613
Starlight Inpatient Services	900834002
Stitches Acute Care Center	900599999
Sunrise Respiratory Care	273484390
Sunset Emergency Physicians	753010206
Super Care Inc.	954021787
Symons Emergency Specialist	770417871

Tahir Majid MD	953869454
Tarzana Emergency Medical	954873894
Temecula Center for Cardiac Center	475142345
Temecula Valley Med Associates	330629949
Temecula Valley Emergency Medical Assoc	330629949
Temecula Valley Emergency Physicians	463490058
Temecula Valley Hospital	461246570
Temecula Valley Hospitalist Medical Group, Inc.	462748817
Temecula Valley Neurosurgery Inc.	462951648
Terrace Emergency Physicians Medical Group	274096983
Total Renal Laboratories	593205549
Tri-Valley Urology Medical Group	330834307
UCI Irvine Hospitalist Program	208148732
UCI Department of Pathology	330299365
UCI Department of Medicine	330322171
UCI Department of Radiation Oncology	954547089
UCI Dept. of Medicine Cardio	330322171
UCI Ophthalmology Group	931109844
UCI University Neurosciences	954137974
UCI Medical Center	952226406
UCI Radiology Associates	330675245
UCR Health	320356835
UCSD Medical Group	237064656
University Anesthesia Associates	954401759
Vallejo Emergency Physicians	273288810
Valley Pathology Medical Group	330696789
Virginia E Garrett MD	330796222
Wasco Prison Dialysis	953372911
WCHS Inc-Riverside Treat Center	330652655