



**Health & Human Services
Agency
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA DATE: October 9, 2018

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
County Counsel Sign-Off	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT PERSON: Timothy D. Durick, Psy.D. PHONE: 624-8000

SUBJECT: Approve an agreement with Bio-Behavioral Medical Clinics, Inc.

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve an agreement with Bio-Behavioral Medical Clinics, Inc. for the provision of acute psychiatric inpatient professional services for Short-Doyle and Medi-Cal beneficiaries in an amount not to exceed \$150,000 (\$50,000 per Fiscal Year) retroactive from July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2020. This agreement is retroactive due to extended negotiations with the vendor, making it impracticable for the Board to take action prior to July 1, 2017;
2. Find that the Board had authority to approve this agreement as of July 1, 2017, and that it was in the County's best interest to enter into the agreement on that date; and
3. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign two (2) copies of the agreement.

SUMMARY:

Per California Code of Regulations Title 9, § 1810.237.1, psychiatric inpatient hospital professional services are mandated for beneficiaries who are receiving care in a psychiatric inpatient hospital facility. Bio-Behavioral Medical Clinics, Inc. provides the acute psychiatric inpatient professional services for Tulare County Mental Health consumers seen at Community Medical Center in Fresno, California. Under the Short-Doyle Medi-Cal system, the inpatient professional fee is billed directly to the county of responsibility. Therefore, Tulare County seeks to contract

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with Bio-Behavioral Medical Clinics, Inc. for Short-Doyle and Medi-Cal consumers in need of acute psychiatric hospitalization. A Request for Proposal is not required, as this is the only Contractor at Community Medical Center providing the required psychiatric inpatient services for Tulare County Mental Health consumers.

It is estimated that in each fiscal year, Bio-Behavioral Medical Clinics, Inc. will provide acute psychiatric services for approximately twenty (20) unduplicated Tulare County Mental Health consumers.

This agreement has been approved as to form by County Counsel. The following term deviates substantively from the standard County boilerplate: The agreement is a multi-year agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

This agreement has a budgeted amount of \$150,000 for the three (3) year agreement period, with \$50,000 budgeted in each Fiscal Year 2017-2018, 2018-2019, and 2019-2020. This agreement is funded with Medi-Cal and Realignment revenues. There is no additional net cost to the County General Fund.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year strategic plan includes the Quality of Life initiative that encourages innovative provision of quality supportive services for at-risk adults, youth, and children in state and federally mandated programs. This agreement increases the ability to fulfill that obligation by providing acute psychiatric care to individuals with a serious mental illness who are admitted to the Kaweah Delta Mental Health Hospital.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:



Timothy D. Durick, Psy.D.
Director of Mental Health

Cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) Agreement

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE AN)
AGREEMENT WITH BIO-BEHAVIORAL) Resolution No. _____
MEDICAL CLINICS, INC.) Agreement No. _____

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR _____, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR _____, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD _____
_____, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

ATTEST: MICHAEL C. SPATA
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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