



Health & Human Services Agency COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

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AGENDA DATE: March 17, 2020 REVISED

SUBJECT:

Approve the Annual Certification Statements for California Children's Services and Child Health and Disability Prevention

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve the annual Certification Statements for California Children's Services and Child Health and Disability Prevention programs to receive funding in an amount not to exceed \$7,050,469 retroactive from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. The acceptance of funding and approval of the Certification Statements is retroactive due to not receiving the award documents and the California Children's Services and Child Health and Disability Prevention requirements from the State until February 2020, making it impracticable for the Board to take action prior to July 1, 2019;
- 2. Find that the Board had authority to approve the annual Certification Statements as of July 1, 2019 and that it was in the County's best interest to approve the statements on that date; and
- 3. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign one (1) copy each of the annual Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) Program and California Children's Services (CCS) Certification Statements.

SUMMARY:

California Children's Services (CCS) is a State mandated program which provides diagnostic and treatment services, medical case management, and physical and occupational therapy services to children under the age of 21 with CCS-eligible conditions. Families must meet financial, residential, and medical eligibility

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requirements. This program has an active caseload of over 5,242 clients.

The Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) program, which is also a State mandated program, provides complete health assessments for the early detection and prevention of disease and disabilities in children and youth. Within the CHDP program, is the Health Care Program for Children in Foster Care, Psychotropic Medication Management Oversight, and a Caseload Relief allocation.

These are public health nursing programs to provide expertise in meeting the medical, dental, mental and developmental needs of children and youth in foster care. The eligible population for the CHDP program includes all Medi-Cal eligible children and youth from birth through 20 years of age and low-income non Medi-Cal eligible children or youth from birth through 18 years of age with family incomes at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty level. More than 8,500 CHDP visits were provided in Fiscal Year 2018-2019.

The Certification Statements are necessary in order to ensure that the local programs are aware that they may be subject to sanctions and other remedies if they do not comply with all applicable State and Federal laws and regulations, and the Plan and Fiscal Guidelines Manual.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

Funding is provided through State and Federal allocations for Fiscal Year 2019/2020. The amount of \$7,050,469 allocated for the Children's Medical Service programs is included in the Fiscal Year 2019/2020 budget. Of that amount, \$5,444,155 is allocated for CCS programs and \$1,606,314 is allocated for the CHDP programs. The CCS allocation requires a County participation, Maintenance of Effort in the amount of \$571,155. CHDP does not require County General Funds. The State and Federal allocations combined with the County's participation are included in the Fiscal Year 2019/2020 budget. There is no additional net cost to the County General Fund.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

CCS and CHDP programs meet the County's five-year strategic plan which includes the Quality of Life Initiative that links eligible needy children to low-cost or no cost healthcare coverage. This agreement will benefit the children of Tulare County by providing Health Care Services at no cost to clients. These services promote health and well-being to the residents of Tulare County.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

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Karen M. Elliott

Director of Public Health

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cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) CCS Certification Statement CHDP Certification Statement

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE THE ANNUAL CERTIFICATION STATEMEN FOR CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVAND CHILD HEALTH AND DISABILITY PREVENTION	(ICES)
UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISO	OR, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR	, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OF	FICIAL MEETING HELD
, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	JASON T. BRITT COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	Deputy Clerk
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- 2. Found that the Board had authority to approve the annual Certification Statements as of July 1, 2019 and that it was in the County's best interest to approve the statements on that date; and
- 3. Authorized the Chairman of the Board to sign one (1) copy each of the annual Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) Program and California Children's Services (CCS) Certification Statements.

Signature of Local Governing Body Chairperson

Certification Statement - Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) Program

County/City: TULARE	Fiscal Year:	2019-2020	
I certify that the CHDP Program will comply with all applicable provisions of Health and Safety Code, Division 106, Part 2, Chapter 3, Article 6 (commencing with Section 124025), Welfare and Institutions Code, Division 9, Part 3, Chapters 7 and 8 (commencing with Section 14000 and 14200), Welfare and Institutions Code Section 16970, and any applicable rules or regulations promulgated by DHCS pursuant to that Article, those Chapters, and that section. I further certify that this CHDP Program will comply with the Children's Medical Services Plan and Fiscal Guidelines Manual, including but not limited to, Section 9, Federal Financial Participation. I further certify that this CHDP Program will comply with all federal laws and regulations governing and regulating recipients of funds granted to states for medical assistance pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 1396 et seq.). I further agree that this CHDP Program may be subject to all sanctions or other remedies applicable if this CHDP Program violates any of the above laws, regulations and policies with which it has certified it will comply.			
			
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Signature of CHDP Director	Date Signed		
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Karen Haught	3/3/20		
Signature of Director or Health Officer	Date Signed		
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Signature and Title of Other – Optional	Date Signed		
I certify that this plan has been approved by the local governing body.			

Signature of Local Governing Body Chairperson

Certification Statement - California Children's Services (CCS)

County/City: TULARE	Fiscal Year: 2019-2020		
I certify that the CCS Program will comply with all applicable provisions of Health and Safety Code, Division 106, Part 2, Chapter 3, Article 5, (commencing with Section 123800) and Chapters 7 and 8 of the Welfare and Institutions Code (commencing with Sections 14000-14200), and any applicable rules or regulations promulgated by DHCS pursuant to this article and these Chapters. I further certify that this CCS Program will comply with the Children's Medical Services (CMS) Plan and Fiscal Guidelines Manual, including but not limited to, Section 9 Federal Financial Participation. I further certify that this CCS Program will comply with all federal laws and regulations governing and regulating recipients of funds granted to states for medical assistance pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 1396 et seq.) and recipients of funds allotted to states for the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant pursuant to Title V of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq.). I further agree that this CCS Program may be subject to all sanctions or other remedies applicable if this CCS Program violates any of the above laws, regulations and policies with which it has certified it will comply.			
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Signature of CCS Administrator	Date Signed		
Karen Haught	2/27/20		
Signature of Director or Health Officer	Date Signed		
Signature and Title of Other - Optional	Date Signed		
			
I certify that this plan has been approved by the local governing body	ły.		

Date