

**MEMORANDUM
PLACER COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Children's System of Care**

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Richard J. Burton, M.D., M.P.H.
Placer County Health Officer and Director of Health & Human Services
C.B. Bautista, Director of Children's System of Care

DATE: March 21, 2006

SUBJECT: Agreements with Child Abuse Prevention Council of Placer County, Kings Beach Family Resource Center, Lighthouse Counseling and Family Resource Center, Sierra Family Services, and Whole Person Learning to implement the Children's Mental Health Initiative Grant

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approve agreements for participation in the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) Children's Mental Health Initiative grant from January 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007 with Child Abuse Prevention Council of Placer County (CAPC) for \$42,250, Kings Beach Family Resource Center (KBFRFC) for \$48,000, Lighthouse Counseling and Family Resource Center for \$48,813, Sierra Family Services (SFS) for \$88,744, and Whole Person Learning (WPL) for \$63,585, for a cumulative amount of \$291,392, and authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign these agreements on behalf of the County.

BACKGROUND:

On November 29, 2005, the Board of Supervisors accepted the award of the SAMHSA Children's Mental Health Initiative grant. The goals for this grant are to:

- Improve outreach and access to meaningful and effective comprehensive mental health and related services to underserved and/or inappropriately served Latino, Native American, and transition-age youth communities.
- Expand and develop new partnerships with community based service providers and the United Auburn Indian Community (UAIC) tribal agency that serve Latino and Native American children, families and transition-age youth.

This grant requires the use of community-based organizations in implementing these goals. These organizations were selected during the SAMHSA grant development process. All known County-based agencies were invited to participate in the development of this grant. These contracted agencies are those that fully participated in the process and were consequently included as an integral part of the grant application. Services to be provided are the start-up phase of a larger 6-year grant, and are summarized as follows:

Provider	Service Description	Location(s)	Amount
CAPC	Family and community prevention services, support to Lighthouse and KBFRFC	Auburn, Foresthill, Roseville, Colfax	\$42,250
KBFRFC	Bi-lingual, bi-cultural family and community prevention services, identify parent partners and leaders in the Latino community	Tahoe area	\$48,000
Lighthouse Counseling	Bi-lingual, bi-cultural family and community prevention services, identify parent partners and leaders in the Latino community	Lincoln	\$48,813

SFS	Bi-lingual, bi-cultural counseling and community prevention services	Tahoe area	\$88,744
WPL	Services for transitional age youth, assist CSOC to build on resources and existing efforts currently underway primarily through the Mental Health Services Act initiatives	Auburn	\$63,585

An amendment to an existing contract with United Advocates for Children of California (UACC) will be forthcoming under a separate Board action item. UACC will provide a support, mentoring, and advocacy program to families participating in the CSOC through the employment of parents who, themselves, have been recipients of services. In conjunction and coordination with UAIC, UACC will provide a strong link to the United Auburn Indian Community through the employment of Native American parents.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The Children's System of Care has fully budgeted the expenditures for the January through June 2006 period of the contract. Expenditures for fiscal year 2006-2007 for these contracts will be included in the requested budget due in March 2006. These contracts will be fully funded by SAMHSA funds. The contracts require the contractors to provide in-kind match in order to meet grant requirements.

The following contracts with:

SAMHSA Participation Contracts with:

Child Abuse Prevention Council
Kings Beach Family Resource Center
Lighthouse Counseling & Family
Resource
Center
Sierra Family Services
Whole Person Learning

are on file with the Clerk of the Board
for BOS meeting:

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