

MEMORANDUM
PLACER COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Community Health

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Richard J. Burton, M.D., M.P.H.
Placer County Health Officer and Director of Health and Human Services
Michael P. Mulligan, M.D., M.B.A., Assistant Health Officer

DATE: May 9, 2006

SUBJECT: Family Support Project to improve the health of infants, high-risk mothers, and other high-risk patients.

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approve a revenue agreement with Sutter Health Sacramento Sierra Region, dba Sutter Roseville Medical Center and Sutter Auburn Faith Hospital, for Placer County to provide nursing services under the Family Support Project from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007 in the amount of \$19,400, and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services to sign the resulting contract and subsequent amendments.

BACKGROUND:

For over 10 years Placer County has partnered with Sutter Roseville Medical Center to provide public health nursing services to promote infant and toddler immunizations as part of Sutter's community benefits program. The goal of the program has been to improve the health of infants born at Sutter Roseville Medical Center and Sutter Auburn Faith Hospital through childhood immunization education, outreach and promotion of breastfeeding, outreach for care and services, and linking families to available services.

Last year the scope of the program was expanded to provide information to hospital staff about community services available to families, and to work in conjunction with hospital staff and physicians to identify and work with any patient in need of referral to community resources. Originally, services were provided solely to postpartum women. The revised agreement has expanded these services to include other hospital patients who may benefit from these services.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Under this agreement, Sutter Roseville Medical Center provides an annual contribution of \$19,400 towards the cost of having the County provide public health nursing services at its facility for 50 hours per month. Community Health will use this as match to draw down an additional \$10,000 in Federal funds through the California Department of Health and Human Services, Maternal Child Health Program. County General Funds are not required.

The following Contract for:

**Sutter Health Sac. Sierra
Region, dba Sutter Roseville
Medical Center and Sutter
Auburn Faith Hospital**

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

November 7, 2006