

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

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jeffrey S. Brown, M.P.H., M.S.W., Director of Health and Human Services
Twylla Abrahamson, Interim Director of Children's System of Care

DATE: November 3, 2015

SUBJECT: Agreement for Data Exchange with DHCS and CDSS

ACTION REQUESTED:

1. Approve a non-monetary agreement with the California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) and the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) for the exchange of data between both State Departments and the County of Placer for the period of September 15, 2015 to an indefinite date and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services to sign the agreement and amendments consistent with the subject matter and scope of work.

BACKGROUND:

The State of California has recently attempted to enhance the capacities of counties and other stakeholders to have access to timely and accurate client information, in order to assure that the various child and family serving departments have common and like data. The state is requiring counties who desire to have access to these new shared data sets, to enter into agreements for that purpose.

The purpose of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to serve as an agreement for the exchange of both confidential and non-confidential client specific data between CDSS, DHCS and Placer County.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact as a result of this action.

This contract is on file with the Clerk of the Board for review.

