

MEMORANDUM HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES CHILDREN'S SYSTEMS OF CARE DIVISION

County of Placer

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors DATE: June 28, 2022

FROM: Robert Oldham, Director of Health and Human Services

BY: Joey Wojtowicz, Staff Services Analyst II

SUBJECT: Umbrella Contract Psychological Evaluation Services

ACTION REQUESTED

Authorize an umbrella agreement for the provision of psychological evaluation services by an identified list of providers from September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023, in an amount not to exceed \$150,000; approve the provider list and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services, or designee, to amend the list of providers as necessary so long as amendments are included in the following years' list; and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services, or designee, to execute any needed provider agreements, amendments, or other documents utilizing applicable County processes with Risk Management and County Counsel concurrence.

BACKGROUND

Psychological evaluations are periodically ordered in Child Welfare judicial proceedings to identify which services would be helpful for the parent to safety parent their child(ren) again, or to determine if a parent is able to benefit from services to safely parent their child(ren) again.

In addition, psychological evaluations are occasionally necessary to thoroughly assess youth who present with complex behavioral health needs.

Approval of this contract and funding will allow the Children's System of Care increased flexibility to engage multiple providers and ensure timely reports to meet the requirements of the court and promote child safety and permanency for Child Welfare dependents or create comprehensive treatment plans for youth with complex behavioral health needs.

FISCAL IMPACT

Total expenditures under this contract are \$150,000 and are included in the Department's FY 2022-23 Budget. Funding for this contract consists of \$55,500 (37%) in State Funds, \$79,500 (53%) in Federal Funds and \$15,000 (10%) in County General Funds.

ATTACHMENTS

Provider List

The template agreement is on file with Clerk of the Board.

Provider List	
Provider	Specialties
Eugene P. Roeder, PHD. 13620 Lincoln Way STE 360 Auburn, CA Phone: 530-885-3858 Fax: 530-885-3876	ADHD Domestic Violence Eating Disorders Psychological Testing
Kevin Dugan, PHD 356 Providence Mine Rd. STE C Nevada City, CA 95959 Phone: 530-478-1031 Fax: 530-478-1031	ADHD Behavior Modification Chemical Dependency/Substance Abuse Court Assessments CPS/ Family Reunification/ Adoptions Depression/ Anxiety/ Trauma Domestic Violence Family Therapy Psychological testing Sexual issues
*Sidney Nelson, PHD. 1012 19 th Street Sacramento, CA 95811 Phone: 916-446-3111 Fax: 916-446-3131	Chronic, Severe Mental illness Court Assessments CPS/ Family Reunification/ Adoptions Personality Disorders Psychological Testing
Jayson Wilkenfield, PHD. 1012 19 th Street Sacramento, CA 95811 Phone: 916-446-3111 Fax: 916-446-3131	Behavior Modification Court Assessments CPS/ Reunification/ Adoptions
*Deborah Schmidt, PHD. 251 Auburn Ravine Rd. STE 204 Auburn, CA 95603 Phone: 530-888-0342 Fax: 530-888-1203	WILL NOT DO PSYCHOLOGICALS FOR CWS ADHD Behavior Modification Chemical Dependency/Substance Abuse Court Assessments CPS/ Family Reunification/ Adoptions Depression/ Anxiety/ Trauma Domestic Violence Family Therapy Psychological testing Sexual Abuse Treatment/ Perpetrator SED Youth Personality Disorders

^{*} new provider