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Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: June 16, 2015

Subject: Contract #74-448-3 with Edward Lau, MD

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Contract #74-448-3 with Edward Lau, MD, a self-employed individual, in an amount not to exceed \$266,240, to provide outpatient psychiatric care services for the period from September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded 100% by Mental Health Realignment. (No rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

For a number of years the County has contracted with Medical, Dental and Mental Health Specialists to provide specialized medical services. On September 10, 2013, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #74-448-2 with Edward Lau, M.D., for the period from September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015, for the provision of outpatient psychiatric care services for children,

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☒ APPROVE
 ☐ OTHER  
☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR
 ☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **06/16/2015** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYE: John Gioia, District I  
Supervisor

Candace Andersen, District II  
Supervisor

Mary N. Piepho, District III  
Supervisor

Karen Mitchoff, District IV  
Supervisor

ABSENT: Federal D. Glover, District V  
Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: June 16, 2015

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Chris Heck, Deputy

Contact: Cynthia Belon 957-5201

cc: D Morgan, C Rucker



BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

at the East County Children's Clinic.

Approval of Contract #74-448-3 will allow the Contractor to continue providing outpatient psychiatric care services through August 31, 2015.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, County's clients will not have access to Contractor's psychiatric care services.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Not Applicable