Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director

Date: April 26, 2016

Subject: Payments for Services Provided by Acusis, LLC

#### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Auditor-Controller, or his designee, to pay \$107,877.48 to Acusis, LLC for medical transcription services rendered at Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Health Centers during the period October 1, 2015 through February 29, 2016.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

100% funding is included in the Hospital Enterprise Fund I budget.

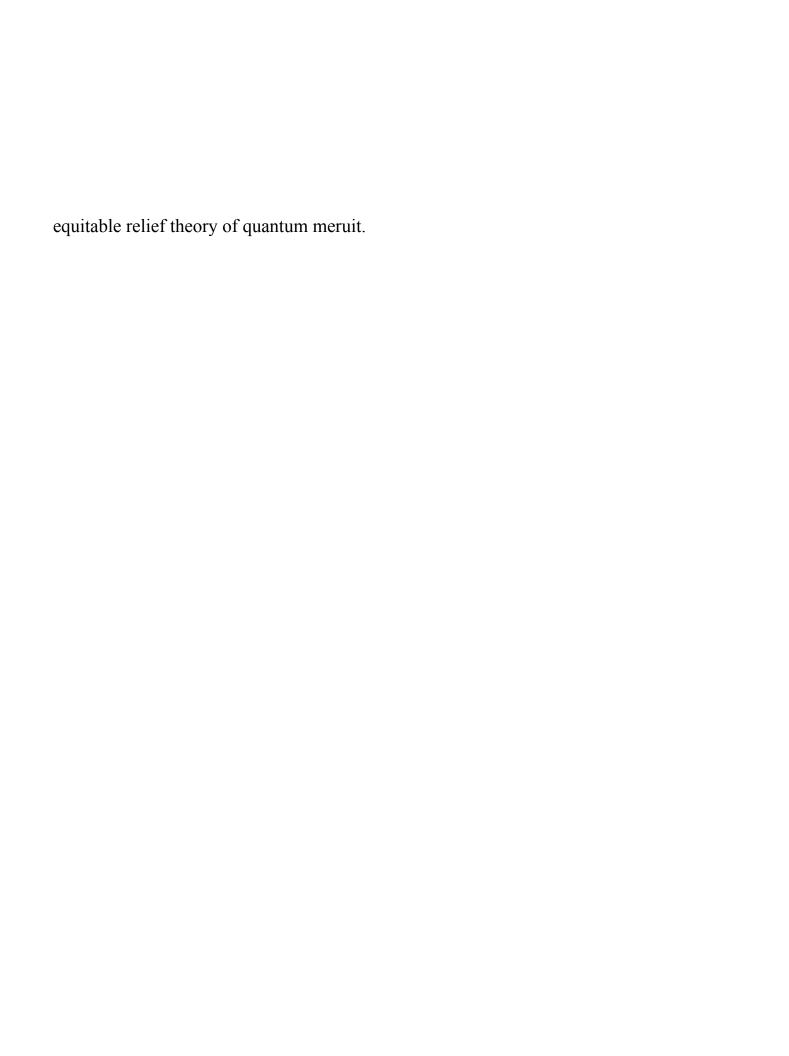
#### **BACKGROUND:**

Acusis, LLC provides medical transcription services at the Contra Costa Regional Medical Center (CCRMC). Due to a delay in contract negotiations, the Division was not able to finalize the Contract terms, yet continued to receive services from the contractor to ensure no disruption in service.

During the period of the contract lapse, Acusis, LLC continued to provide vital medical transcription of health assessments. Hospital Administration has therefore determined that Acusis, LLC is entitled to payment for the reasonable value of their services under the

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RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE		
Action of Board On: 04/26/2016 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER		
Clerks Notes:		
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS		
AYE:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II	
	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.
	Mary N. Piepho, District III Supervisor	ATTESTED: April 26, 2016
	Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Chris Heck, Deputy

Contact: Anna Roth, 370-5101



# BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

That theory provides that where a person has been asked to provide services without a valid contract, and the provider does so to the benefit of the recipient, the provider is entitled to recover the reasonable value of those services.

# **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

Acusis, LLC will not be paid for services rendered in good faith to patients of the Contra Costa Regional Medical Center and Health Centers.

# **CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:**

Not applicable.