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To: Board of Supervisors

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

Date: May 24, 2016

Subject: Approve a Blanket Purchase Order with BioRad Laboratories, Inc.

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

Approve and authorize the Purchasing Agent, on behalf of the Health Services Department, to execute a Blanket Purchase Order with BioRad Laboratories, Inc. in the amount of \$300,000 to purchase reagents and supplies for the Clinical Laboratory at the Contra Costa Regional Medical Center (CCRMC), for the period July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

## **FISCAL IMPACT:**

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

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The CCRMC Clinical Laboratory uses BioRad Laboratories, Inc. reagents, various controls, methicillin resistant staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) media, supplies for chemistry, urinalysis and microbiology testing, as well as reagents and supplies for the Variant II Turbo Systems. These are used to perform tests on patients for various conditions and to check for infections.

## **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

If this purchase order is not approved, the CCRMC Clinical Laboratory will not be able to

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perform patient testing, thu	us impacting patient sa	afety and health.	

# CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Not applicable.