



Contra  
Costa  
County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: September 13, 2016  
Subject: Contract #74-525 with Center for Psychotherapy

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Contract #74-525 with Center for Psychotherapy, a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$400,000, to provide mental health services, case management and crisis intervention for Seriously Emotionally Disturbed adolescents and latency-aged children, for the period from October 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. This Contract includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2017, in an amount not to exceed \$200,000.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded 50% Federal Financial Participation; 50% Mental Health Realignment.

**BACKGROUND:**

This Contract meets the social needs of County's population by providing mental health services for Seriously Emotionally Disturbed adolescents and latency-aged children. Under Contract #74-525, the Contractor will provide mental health, case management and crisis intervention services to adolescents and latency-age children in East Contra Costa

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

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Action of Board On: **09/13/2016** ☒ 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  
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: September 13, 2016

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

By: Chris Heck, Deputy

Contact: Cynthia Belon,  
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County, at its Center for Psychotherapy, through June 30, 2017.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (SED) adolescents and latency-aged children will not receive mental health services.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: "Children Ready For and Succeeding in School"; "Families that are Safe, Stable, and Nurturing"; and "Communities that are Safe and Provide a High Quality of Life for Children and Families". Expected program outcomes include an increase in positive social and emotional development as measured by the Child and Adolescent Functional Assessment Scale (CAFAS).