



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: September 13, 2016

Subject: Novation Contract #74-398-6 with Asian Community Mental Health Board

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Novation Contract #74-398-6 with Asian Community Mental Health Board, a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$133,900, to provide Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) services for the period from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. This Contract includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2017, in an amount not to exceed \$66,950.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded 100% Mental Health Services Act. (3% Cost of Living Adjustment [COLA] (Rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

This Contract meets the social needs of County's population by providing comprehensive and culturally-sensitive and appropriate education and access to Mental Health Services for immigrant communities, including the Southeast Asian and Chinese population of Contra Costa County.

☒ 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,  
957-5201

On July 7, 2015, the Board of Supervisors approved Novation Contract #74-398-5 with Asian Community Mental Health Board, for the provision of MHSA PEI services, for the period from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, which included a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2016,.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Novation Contract #74-398-6 replaces the automatic extension under the prior Contract and allows the Contractor to continue providing services through June 30, 2017.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, immigrant communities, including Southeast Asian and Chinese populations, will have reduced access to culturally and linguistically appropriate mental health services provided through Contractor's MHSA PEI program.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This MHSA PEI program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: "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 increases in social connectedness, communication skills, parenting skills, and knowledge of the human service system in Contra Costa County.