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Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: December 20, 2016

Subject: Approval of Participation Agreement #72-096 with the University of California, on behalf of the UCSF Medical Center and Benioff Children's Hospital

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Participation Agreement #72-096 with the University of California, on behalf of the UCSF Medical Center and Benioff Children's Hospital, an educational institution, to allow the County's Public Health Department to access medical information for the California Children's Services, for the period from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2020 including mutual indemnification to hold harmless both parties for any claims arising out of the performance of this Contract.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

None. This is a non-financial agreement.

**BACKGROUND:**

Under this Participation Agreement the Public Health Department will be able to utilize UCSF's MD Link System to access referred client's records to determine medical eligibility and authorization for California Children's Services, through December 31, 2020. This agreement includes mutual indemnification to hold harmless both parties for any claims arising out of the performance of this Contract.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **12/20/2016** ☒ 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

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: December 20, 2016

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

By: Stephanie Mello, Deputy

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CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this agreement is not approved, the Department would not be able to access patient data necessary for referred clients from UCSF or Benioff Children's Hospital.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

Not applicable.