



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: April 25, 2017  
Subject: Contract #74-282-15 with Ronel L. Lewis, M.D.

---

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Contract #74-282-15 with Ronel L. Lewis, M.D., an individual, in an amount not to exceed \$266,240, to provide child psychiatric services at the County's Juvenile Hall and at the East County Children's Mental Health Clinic, for the period from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This contract is funded 25% Federal Financial Participation; 25% State Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT); and 50% Mental Health Realignment. (No rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

On May 24, 2016 the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #74-282-14 with Ronel L. Lewis, M.D., for the provision of child psychiatric services, including, diagnosing, counseling, evaluating, and providing medical and therapeutic treatment at the County's Juvenile Hall and the East County Children's Mental Health Clinic for the period from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Approval of Contract #74-282-15 will allow the Contractor

---

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

---

Action of Board On: **04/25/2017** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor  
 Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor  
 Diane Burgis, 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: April 25, 2017

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

By: Rolanda Hartfield, Deputy

Contact: Cynthia Belon,  
925-957-5201

to continue providing child psychiatry services through June 30, 2018.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, County's clients will not have access to Contractor's outpatient psychiatric 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).