



Contra  
Costa  
County

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director  
Date: May 26, 2020

Subject: Contract #26-492-20 with Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services, LLC

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Contract #26-492-20, containing mutual indemnification, with Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services, LLC, a limited liability company, in an amount not to exceed \$1,370,000, to provide physician medication order services for Contra Costa Regional Medical Center (CCRMC) and Health Centers patients, for the period June 1, 2020 through May 31, 2022.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded by 100% General Fund. (No rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

On May 22, 2018, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #26-492-19 with Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services, LLC, to provide remote entry of physician medication orders from the CCRMC including reviewing and entering all medication orders into the Customer's Pharmacy Information System, resolving all incomplete or questionable orders submitted by County Pharmacist, providing clinical support to hospital staff and conducting daily briefings with the Director of Pharmacy, for the period from June 1, 2018 through

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **05/26/2020** ☒ 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: May 26, 2020

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

Contact: JASPREET BENEPAL,  
925-370-5741

By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

May 31, 2020.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Contract #26-492-20 will allow the Contractor to continue to provide remote entry of physician medication orders through May 31, 2022. This Contract includes mutual indemnification.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, patients requiring after-hours medication orders at CCRMC will not have access to Contractor's services.