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Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director

Date: January 18, 2022

Subject: Contract #74-438-16 with Vasanta Venkat Giri, M.D.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Contract #74-438-16 with Vasanta Venkat Giri, M.D., an individual, in an amount not to exceed \$376,320, to provide telepsychiatry services to children in Central County, for the period from January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Approval of this contract will result in budgeted expenditures of up to \$376,320 and will be funded by 50% Federal Medi-Cal (\$188,160) and 50% Mental Health Realignment (\$188,160) revenues. (No rate increase)

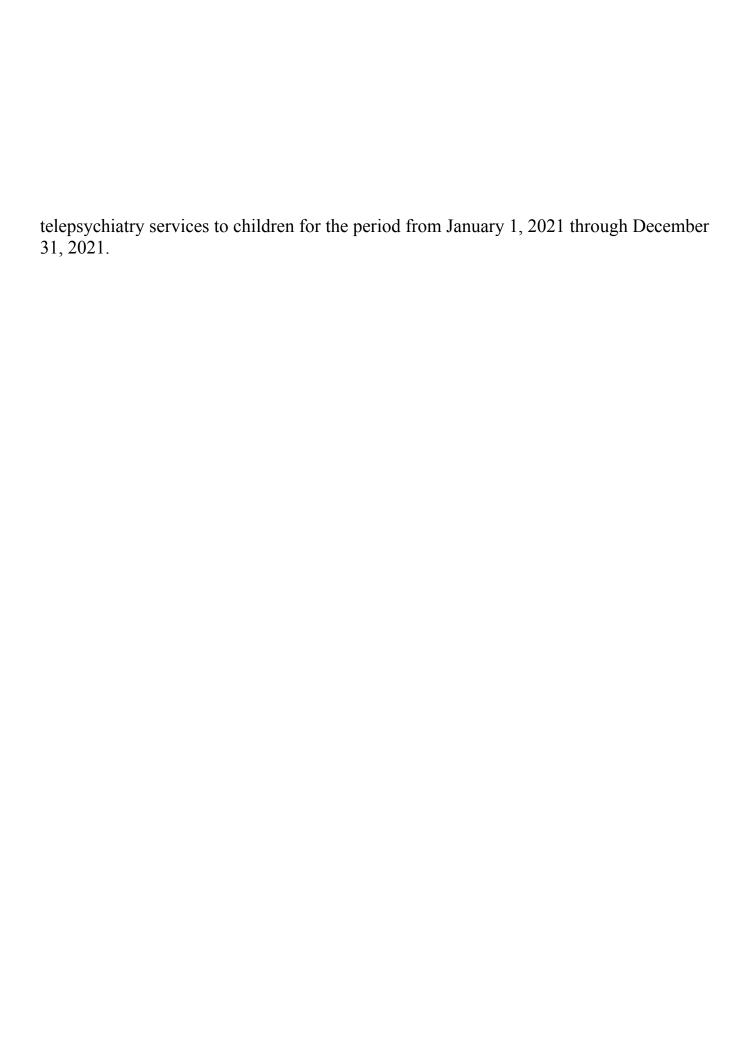
BACKGROUND:

The County has been contracting with Vasanta Venkat Giri, M.D., since February 2012 to provide telepsychiatry services, including diagnosing, counseling, evaluating and medical and therapeutic treatment to children.

On November 17, 2020, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #74-438-14, with Vasanta Venkat Giri, M.D., in an amount not to exceed \$240,000, for the provision of

✓ APPROVE	OTHER
✓ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR	RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 01/18/2022 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	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: January 18, 2022 Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	Supervisors
Contact: Suzanne Tavano, Ph.D.,	By: Antonia Welty, Deputy

cc: E Suisala, M Wilhelm



BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Contract #74-438-16 will allow the contractor to continue providing telepsychiatry services, through December 31, 2022.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, the County's clients will not have access to this contractor's telepsychiatry 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).