



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director
Date: May 24, 2022

Subject: Amendment #74-475-98(4) with Clifford Owens, LMFT (DBA: Odyssey for Personal Wellness)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Contract Amendment Agreement #74-475-98(4) with Clifford Owens, LMFT (DBA: Odyssey for Personal Wellness), a professional corporation, to amend Contract #74-475-98(2), as amended by Amendment Agreement #74-475-98(3), effective May 15, 2022, to increase the payment limit by \$8,000, from \$207,000 to a new payment limit of \$215,000, with no change in original term of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Approval of this amendment will result in additional expenditures of \$8,000 and will be funded by 50% Federal Medi-Cal (\$4,000) and 50% State Mental Health Realignment (\$4,000) revenues. (No rate increase)

BACKGROUND:

On January 14, 1997, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution #97/17, authorizing the Health Services Director to contract with the State Department of Mental Health, (now known as the Department of Health Care Services) to assume responsibility for Medi-Cal specialty mental health services. Responsibility for outpatient specialty mental health

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY
ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD
COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **05/24/2022** ☒ 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
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 24, 2022

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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services involves contracts with individual, group and organizational providers to deliver these services. The County has been contracting with Clifford Owens, LMFT (DBA: Odyssey for Personal Wellness), since August 2019.

In June 2020, the County Administrator approved and the Purchasing Services Manager executed Contract #74-475-98(2) with Clifford Owens, LMFT (DBA: Odyssey for Personal Wellness), in an amount not to exceed \$195,000 for the provision of Medi-Cal specialty mental health services, for the period from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

On January 11, 2022, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract Amendment #74-475-98(3) with Clifford Owens, LMFT (DBA: Odyssey for Personal Wellness), to increase the payment limit by \$12,000 to a new total payment limit of \$207,000 to provide additional Medi-Cal specialty mental health services, with no change in the term of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Approval of Contract Amendment Agreement #74-475-98(4) will allow this contractor to provide additional Medi-Cal specialty mental health services through June 30, 2022.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this amendment is not approved, services provided to Contra Costa Mental Health Plan Medi-Cal beneficiaries could be negatively impacted, including access to services, choice of providers, cultural competency, language capacity, geographical locations of service providers, and waiting lists.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

The recommendation supports the following children's outcomes: (1) Families that are Safe, Stable and Nurturing; and (2) Communities that are Safe and Provide a High Quality of Life for Children and Families.