



**Contra  
Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors  
From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director  
Date: January 10, 2012

Subject: Novation Contract #74-360-2 with Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

Approve and authorize the Health Services Director, or his designee, to execute, on behalf of the County, Novation Contract #74-360-2 with Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay, a non-profit corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$159,699, to provide Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) prevention and early intervention services for the period from July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012. This Contract includes a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2012, in an amount not to exceed \$79,849.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This Contract is funded 46% by Federal Medi-Cal and 54% by State Mental Health Services Act (Prop 63). (No rate increase)

**BACKGROUND:**

This Contract meets the social needs of County's population by providing culturally grounded, community-directed mental health education and navigation services to 350-400 refugees and immigrants of all ages in the Latino, Afghan, Bosnian, Iranian, and Russian communities of Central and East Contra Costa County.

On September 14,

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **01/10/2012** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYE: John Gioia, District I  
Supervisor  
Mary N. Piepho, District III  
Supervisor  
Karen Mitchoff, District IV  
Supervisor  
Federal D. Glover, District V  
Supervisor

ABSENT: Gayle B. Uilkema, District II  
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 10, 2012

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

Contact: Cynthia Belon,  
957-5201



### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

2010, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #74-360-1 with Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay, for the period July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, which included a six-month automatic extension through December 31, 2011.

Approval of Contract #74-360-2 will replace the six-month automatic extension and allow the Contractor to continue to provide MHSA prevention and early intervention services through June 30, 2012.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, there will be fewer services provided to eligible adult clients in Contra Costa County through the Mental Health Services Act, Proposition 63 Community Services and Support Program.

### CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

This MHSA-PEI program supports the following Board of Supervisors' community outcomes: "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 increases in social connectedness, communication skills, parenting skills, and knowledge of the human service system in Contra Costa County.