

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY BOARD AGENDA LETTER



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Department Name: Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health
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TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: James L. Broderick, Ph.D., Director
Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health Services

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SUBJECT: Robert Hill, M.D., Contract

Recommendations:

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve and execute a contractor on payroll contract in the amount of \$105,700, with Robert Hill, M.D., not a local vendor, to provide Psychiatric services in the North County. The contract term is from July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2006.
2. Authorize the Director of ADMHS to approve amendments to the proposed contract, provided that any such amendments do not exceed ten percent (10%) of the contract dollar amount.

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendations are primarily aligned with Goal No. 2. A Safe and Healthy Community in Which to Live, Work and Visit.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

Robert Hill, M.D. is part of a group of Contractor-On-Payroll psychiatrists providing staffing to the Santa Barbara County Mental Health Clinics. Dr. Hill will perform diagnostic, medication, and involuntary admission evaluations, prescribe and administer medication, and provide training, education and support to ADMHS staff and/or Multi-Disciplinary Team members as needed. Dr. Hill will work between 20 and 40 hours per week in a County Mental Health clinic.

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Performance Measures:

The **Robert Hill, M.D.** contract will help ADMHS meet **Recurring Performance Measures (RPM) 0214 and 0215**, to provide effective mental health care to 2,450 emotionally disturbed children and 4,200 adults receiving mental health services. It is anticipated a doctor will perform 10-30 medical evaluations per week over the course of the year.

Mandates and Service Levels:

Mental Health Services are mandated by the Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 5600.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

These contracts are funded by Medi-Cal and Realignment. These funding sources are identified in the Adopted FY 2005-06 Budget, Federal and State Funding, Medi-Cal line item 5405; and, Realignment funds line item 4102, in the County Budget Book, Adult Services Division page D-150.

These actions will not result in a need for any additional facilities.

Special Instructions:

Please send one (1) fully executed copy of the contract and endorsed minute order to:

Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health Services
ATTN: Jennie Pittman, Contracts Analyst
300 N. San Antonio Road
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

Concurrence:

Auditor-Controller
Risk Management