

SECOND AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT FOR SERVICES OF INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

This is an amendment (hereafter referred to as the "Second Amended Contract") to the Agreement for Services of Independent Contractor, referenced as number **BC 14-039**, by and between the **County of Santa Barbara** (County) and **Santa Maria Valley Youth & Family Center** (Contractor), for the continued provision of Children's and family mental health services (previously referenced as number BC 13-028).

Whereas, this Second Amended Contract incorporates the terms and conditions set forth in the contract approved by the County Board of Supervisors in June 2012, the First Amendment approved by the County Board of Supervisors in June 2013, except as modified by this Second Amended Contract.

Whereas, the *Katie A.* settlement requires that screenings of children in the foster care system be completed by the Mental Health Plan, rather than contracted providers. This amendment converts the existing Child Services Screener position in the HOPE program to a regular mental health service provider position, to comply with the terms of the *Katie A.* settlement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, County and Contractor agree as follows:

I. Delete Section 5.B of Exhibit A-1, Statement of Work – Intensive In-Home, and replace with the following:

- B. Contractor shall provide the services described in Section 3 to a minimum caseload of 20 clients. Contractor's caseload may fluctuate if clients shift between the Program and Contractor's Therapeutic Foster Care (HOPE) Program as described in Exhibit A-2. The combined total caseload served by the Program and HOPE shall be a minimum of 50 clients.

II. Delete Section 3.E of Exhibit A-2, Statement of Work – HOPE referring to the Child Services Screeners (CSS), effective January 1, 2014.

III. Delete Section 5.B of Exhibit A-2, Statement of Work – HOPE, and replace with the following:

- B. Contractor shall provide the services described in Section 3 to a minimum caseload of 30 clients. Contractor's caseload may fluctuate if clients shift between the Program and Contractor's Intensive In-Home Program as described in Exhibit A-1. The combined total caseload served by the Program and Intensive In-Home shall be a minimum of 50 clients.

IV. Delete Section 9, Staffing, of Exhibit A-2, Statement of Work – HOPE, and replace with the following:

- 9. **STAFFING REQUIREMENTS.** The Program shall be staffed by 4.1 full time equivalent (FTE) direct service staff, as described below. Program staffing levels between the Intensive In-Home and HOPE programs may be adjusted as client volume fluctuates between the two programs.
 - A. 3.5 FTE Family Specialists who shall be Qualified Mental Health Workers (QMHW), or licensed/waivered/registered mental health professionals as described in Title 9, California Code of Regulations (CCR) Sections 1810.223 and 1810.254. QMHWs are individuals who hold a college degree in a field related to mental health, including child development, child psychology, counseling and guidance, counseling psychology, early childhood education, human services, social psychology, social science, social welfare, social work, sociology, or another discipline determined by the Mental Health Plan Director or designee to have mental health application: i) Staff with an Associate's degree must have the equivalent of two years full-time experience in a mental health setting in the areas of psycho-social functioning,

social adjustment, and/or vocational adjustment; ii) Staff with a Bachelor's degree must have the equivalent of one year of such fulltime experience; iii) No experience is required for staff with a Master's or Doctoral degree.

- B. In addition, Contractor shall provide approximately 0.6FTE supervisory/other staff including a Program Manager, who shall be licensed/waivered/registered mental health professionals as described in Title 9, CCR Sections 1810.223 and 1810.254.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Second Amended Contract to be effective January 1, 2014.

ATTEST:

MONA MIYASATO, COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER
CLERK OF THE BOARD

By: _____
Deputy

Date: _____

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

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SERVICES
TAKASHI WADA, MD, MPH
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By: _____
Director

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COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

By: _____
CHAIR
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Date: _____

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By: _____
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APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM:

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By: _____
Deputy

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