



Monterey County Board of Supervisors

Board Order

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A motion was made by Supervisor Chris Lopez, seconded by Supervisor Mary L. Adams to:

Amendment No.: A-15273

- a. Approve and authorize the Director of the Department of Social Services to sign an agreement in tandem with Hartnell College for \$1,463,852 to provide training and recruitment services to eligible Monterey County agency employees and current and prospective caregivers for the period of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2023; and
- b. Authorize the Director of the Department of Social Services to sign up to three (3) amendments to this agreement where the total amendments do not exceed 10% (\$146,385) of the original contract amount, and do not significantly change the scope of work.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 8th day of June 2021, by roll call vote:

AYES: Supervisors Alejo, Phillips, Lopez, Askew and Adams

NOES: None


ABSENT: None

(Government Code 54953)

I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 82 for the meeting June 8, 2021.

Dated: May 14, 2021
File ID: A 21-228
Agenda Item No.: 50

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California


Julian Lorenzana, Deputy

COUNTY OF MONTEREY STANDARD AGREEMENT

This **Agreement** is made by and between the County of Monterey, a political subdivision of the State of California (hereinafter "County") and:
Hartnell Community College

(hereinafter "CONTRACTOR").

In consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions set forth in this Agreement, the parties agree as follows:

1.0 GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The County hereby engages CONTRACTOR to perform, and CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to perform, the services described in **Exhibit A** in conformity with the terms of this Agreement. The goods and/or services are generally described as follows:

Provide:

Title IV-E qualified training for current and prospective resource families, adoptive parents and foster youth with their caregivers and support for resource family recruitment activities

2.0 PAYMENT PROVISIONS:

County shall pay the CONTRACTOR in accordance with the payment provisions set forth in **Exhibit A**, subject to the limitations set forth in this Agreement. The total amount payable by County to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement shall not exceed the sum of: \$1,463,852.

3.0 TERM OF AGREEMENT:

3.01 The term of this Agreement is from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2023, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. This Agreement is of no force or effect until signed by both CONTRACTOR and County and with County signing last, and **CONTRACTOR may not commence work before County signs this Agreement.**

3.02 The County reserves the right to cancel this Agreement, or any extension of this Agreement, without cause, with a thirty day (30) written notice, or with cause immediately.

4.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES AND ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS:

The following attached exhibits are incorporated herein by reference and constitute a part of this Agreement:

Exhibit A Scope of Services/Payment Provisions

Exhibit B Other: See Page 10A for list of exhibits

5.0 PERFORMANCE STANDARDS:

- 5.01 CONTRACTOR warrants that CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR's agents, employees, and subcontractors performing services under this Agreement are specially trained, experienced, competent, and appropriately licensed to perform the work and deliver the services required under this Agreement and are not employees of the County, or immediate family of an employee of the County.
- 5.02 CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees, and subcontractors shall perform all work in a safe and skillful manner and in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. All work performed under this Agreement that is required by law to be performed or supervised by licensed personnel shall be performed in accordance with such licensing requirements.
- 5.03 CONTRACTOR shall furnish, at its own expense, all materials, equipment, and personnel necessary to carry out the terms of this Agreement, except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall not use County premises, property (including equipment, instruments, or supplies) or personnel for any purpose other than in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

6.0 PAYMENT CONDITIONS:

- 6.01 Prices shall remain firm for the initial term of the Agreement and, thereafter, may be adjusted annually as provided in this paragraph. The County does not guarantee any minimum or maximum amount of dollars to be spent under this Agreement.
- 6.02 Negotiations for rate changes shall be commenced, by CONTRACTOR, a minimum of ninety days (90) prior to the expiration of the Agreement. Rate changes are not binding unless mutually agreed upon in writing by the County and the CONTRACTOR.
- 6.03 Invoice amounts shall be billed directly to the ordering department.
- 6.04 CONTRACTOR shall submit such invoice periodically or at the completion of services, but in any event, not later than 30 days after completion of services. The invoice shall set forth the amounts claimed by CONTRACTOR for the previous period, together with an itemized basis for the amounts claimed, and such other information pertinent to the invoice. The County shall certify the invoice, either in the requested amount or in such other amount as the County approves in conformity with this Agreement and shall promptly submit such invoice to the County Auditor-Controller for payment. The County Auditor-Controller shall pay the amount certified within 30 days of receiving the certified invoice.

7.0 TERMINATION:

- 7.01 During the term of this Agreement, the County may terminate the Agreement for any reason by giving written notice of termination to the CONTRACTOR at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of termination. Such notice shall set forth the effective date of termination. In the event of such termination, the amount payable under this Agreement shall be reduced in proportion to the services provided prior to the date of termination.

7.02 The County may cancel and terminate this Agreement for good cause effective immediately upon written notice to CONTRACTOR. "Good cause" includes the failure of CONTRACTOR to perform the required services at the time and in the manner provided under this Agreement. If County terminates this Agreement for good cause, the County may be relieved of the payment of any consideration to CONTRACTOR, and the County may proceed with the work in any manner, which County deems proper. The cost to the County shall be deducted from any sum due the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement.

7.03 The County's payments to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement are funded by local, state and federal governments. If funds from local, state and federal sources are not obtained and continued at a level sufficient to allow for the County's purchase of the indicated quantity of services, then the County may give written notice of this fact to CONTRACTOR, and the obligations of the parties under this Agreement shall terminate immediately, or on such date thereafter, as the County may specify in its notice, unless in the meanwhile the parties enter into a written amendment modifying this Agreement.

8.0 INDEMNIFICATION:

CONTRACTOR shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents, and employees, from and against any and all claims, liabilities, and losses whatsoever (including damages to property and injuries to or death of persons, court costs, and reasonable attorneys' fees) occurring or resulting to any and all persons, firms or corporations furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this Agreement, and from any and all claims, liabilities, and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation for damage, injury, or death arising out of or connected with the CONTRACTOR's performance of this Agreement, unless such claims, liabilities, or losses arise out of the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the County. "CONTRACTOR's performance" includes CONTRACTOR's action or inaction and the action or inaction of CONTRACTOR's officers, employees, agents and subcontractors.

9.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

9.01 **Evidence of Coverage:** Prior to commencement of this Agreement, the Contractor shall provide a "Certificate of Insurance" certifying that coverage as required herein has been obtained. Individual endorsements executed by the insurance carrier shall accompany the certificate. In addition, the Contractor upon request shall provide a certified copy of the policy or policies.

This verification of coverage shall be sent to the County's Contracts/Purchasing Department, unless otherwise directed. The Contractor shall not receive a "Notice to Proceed" with the work under this Agreement until it has obtained all insurance required and the County has approved such insurance. This approval of insurance shall neither relieve nor decrease the liability of the Contractor.

9.02 **Qualifying Insurers:** All coverage's, except surety, shall be issued by companies which hold a current policy holder's alphabetic and financial size category rating of not less than A- VII, according to

the current Best's Key Rating Guide or a company of equal financial stability that is approved by the County's Purchasing Manager.

- 9.03 **Insurance Coverage Requirements:** Without limiting CONTRACTOR's duty to indemnify, CONTRACTOR shall maintain in effect throughout the term of this Agreement a policy or policies of insurance with the following minimum limits of liability:

Commercial General Liability Insurance: including but not limited to premises and operations, including coverage for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, Personal Injury, Contractual Liability, Broad form Property Damage, Independent Contractors, Products and Completed Operations, with a combined single limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these general liability insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

Requestor must check the appropriate Automobile Insurance Threshold:

Requestor must check the appropriate box.

☐ **Agreement Under \$100,000 Business Automobile Liability Insurance:** covering all motor vehicles, including owned, leased, non-owned, and hired vehicles, used in providing services under this Agreement, with a combined single limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$500,000 per occurrence.

☒ **Agreement Over \$100,000 Business Automobile Liability Insurance:** covering all motor vehicles, including owned, leased, non-owned, and hired vehicles, used in providing services under this Agreement, with a combined single limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these auto insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

Workers' Compensation Insurance: if CONTRACTOR employs others in the performance of this Agreement, in accordance with California Labor Code section 3700 and with Employer's Liability limits not less than \$1,000,000 each person, \$1,000,000 each accident and \$1,000,000 each disease.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these workers' compensation insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

Professional Liability Insurance: if required for the professional services being provided, (e.g., those persons authorized by a license to engage in a business or profession regulated by the California Business and Professions Code), in the amount of not less than \$1,000,000 per claim and \$2,000,000 in the aggregate, to cover liability for malpractice or

errors or omissions made in the course of rendering professional services. If professional liability insurance is written on a "claims-made" basis rather than an occurrence basis, the CONTRACTOR shall, upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement, obtain extended reporting coverage ("tail coverage") with the same liability limits. Any such tail coverage shall continue for at least three years following the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

9.04 Other Requirements:

All insurance required by this Agreement shall be with a company acceptable to the County and issued and executed by an admitted insurer authorized to transact Insurance business in the State of California. Unless otherwise specified by this Agreement, all such insurance shall be written on an occurrence basis, or, if the policy is not written on an occurrence basis, such policy with the coverage required herein shall continue in effect for a period of three years following the date CONTRACTOR completes its performance of services under this Agreement.

Each liability policy shall provide that the County shall be given notice in writing at least thirty days in advance of any endorsed reduction in coverage or limit, cancellation, or intended non-renewal thereof. Each policy shall provide coverage for Contractor and additional insureds with respect to claims arising from each subcontractor, if any, performing work under this Agreement, or be accompanied by a certificate of insurance from each subcontractor showing each subcontractor has identical insurance coverage to the above requirements.

Commercial general liability and automobile liability policies shall provide an endorsement naming the County of Monterey, its officers, agents, and employees as Additional Insureds with respect to liability arising out of the CONTRACTOR'S work, including ongoing and completed operations, and shall further provide that such insurance is primary insurance to any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the County and that the insurance of the Additional Insureds shall not be called upon to contribute to a loss covered by the CONTRACTOR'S insurance. The required endorsement form for Commercial General Liability Additional Insured is ISO Form CG 20 10 11-85 or CG 20 10 10 01 in tandem with CG 20 37 10 01 (2000). The required endorsement form for Automobile Additional Insured endorsement is ISO Form CA 20 48 02 99.

Prior to the execution of this Agreement by the County, CONTRACTOR shall file certificates of insurance with the County's contract administrator and County's Contracts/Purchasing Division, showing that the CONTRACTOR has in effect the insurance required by this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall file a new or amended certificate of insurance within five calendar days after any change is made in any insurance policy, which would alter the information on the certificate then on file. Acceptance or approval of insurance shall in no way modify or change the indemnification clause in this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect.

CONTRACTOR shall always during the term of this Agreement maintain in force the insurance coverage required under this Agreement and shall send, without demand by County, annual certificates to County's Contract Administrator and County's Contracts/Purchasing Division. If the certificate is not received by the expiration date, County shall notify CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR shall have five calendar days to send in the certificate, evidencing no lapse in coverage during the interim. Failure by CONTRACTOR to maintain such insurance is a default of this Agreement, which entitles County, at its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement immediately.

10.0 **RECORDS AND CONFIDENTIALITY:**

- 10.1 **Confidentiality:** CONTRACTOR and its officers, employees, agents, and subcontractors shall comply with any and all federal, state, and local laws, which provide for the confidentiality of records and other information. CONTRACTOR shall not disclose any confidential records or other confidential information received from the County or prepared in connection with the performance of this Agreement, unless County specifically permits CONTRACTOR to disclose such records or information. CONTRACTOR shall promptly transmit to County any and all requests for disclosure of any such confidential records or information. CONTRACTOR shall not use any confidential information gained by CONTRACTOR in the performance of this Agreement except for the sole purpose of carrying out CONTRACTOR's obligations under this Agreement.
- 10.2 **County Records:** When this Agreement expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall return to County any County records which CONTRACTOR used or received from County to perform services under this Agreement.
- 10.3 **Maintenance of Records:** CONTRACTOR shall prepare, maintain, and preserve all reports and records that may be required by federal, state, and County rules and regulations related to services performed under this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain such records for a period of at least three years after receipt of final payment under this Agreement. If any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit exception, or other action relating to this Agreement is pending at the end of the three-year period, then CONTRACTOR shall retain said records until such action is resolved.
- 10.4 **Access to and Audit of Records:** The County shall have the right to examine, monitor and audit all records, documents, conditions, and activities of the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractors related to services provided under this Agreement. Pursuant to Government Code section 8546.7, if this Agreement involves the expenditure of public funds in excess of \$10,000, the parties to this Agreement may be subject, at the request of the County or as part of any audit of the County, to the examination and audit of the State Auditor pertaining to matters connected with the performance of this Agreement for a period of three years after final payment under the Agreement.
- 10.5 **Royalties and Inventions:** County shall have a royalty-free, exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, and use, and authorize others to do so, all original computer programs, writings, sound recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, and other works of similar nature produced in the course of or under this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall not publish any such material without the prior written approval of County.

11.0 NON-DISCRIMINATION:

11.01 During the performance of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR, and its subcontractors, shall not unlawfully discriminate against any person because of race, religious creed, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age (over 40), or sexual orientation, either in CONTRACTOR's employment practices or in the furnishing of services to recipients. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of its employees and applicants for employment and all persons receiving and requesting services are free of such discrimination. CONTRACTOR and any subcontractor shall, in the performance of this Agreement, fully comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations which prohibit discrimination. The provision of services primarily or exclusively to such target population as may be designated in this Agreement shall not be deemed to be prohibited discrimination.

12.0 COMPLIANCE WITH TERMS OF STATE OR FEDERAL GRANTS:

If this Agreement has been or will be funded with monies received by the County pursuant to a contract with the state or federal government in which the County is the grantee, CONTRACTOR will comply with all the provisions of said contract, to the extent applicable to CONTRACTOR as a subgrantee under said contract, and said provisions shall be deemed a part of this Agreement, as though fully set forth herein. Upon request, County will deliver a copy of said contract to CONTRACTOR, at no cost to CONTRACTOR.

13.0 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:

In the performance of work, duties, and obligations under this Agreement, CONTRACTOR is always acting and performing as an independent contractor and not as an employee of the County. No offer or obligation of permanent employment with the County or County department or agency is intended in any manner, and CONTRACTOR shall not become entitled by virtue of this Agreement to receive from County any form of employee benefits including but not limited to sick leave, vacation, retirement benefits, workers' compensation coverage, insurance or disability benefits. CONTRACTOR shall be solely liable for and obligated to pay directly all applicable taxes, including federal and state income taxes and social security, arising out of CONTRACTOR's performance of this Agreement. In connection therewith, CONTRACTOR shall defend, indemnify, and hold County harmless from any and all liability which County may incur because of CONTRACTOR's failure to pay such taxes.

14.0 NOTICES:

Notices required under this Agreement shall be delivered personally or by first-class, postage pre-paid mail to the County and CONTRACTOR'S contract administrators at the addresses listed below:

FOR COUNTY: Lori A. Medina, DSS Director	FOR CONTRACTOR: Margie Wiebusch, Director of Academic Affairs
<hr/> Name and Title 1000 S. Main Street Salinas, CA 93901	<hr/> Name and Title 411 Central Avenue Salinas, CA 93901
<hr/> Address 831-755-4430	<hr/> Address 831-755-6923
<hr/> Phone:	<hr/> Phone:

15.0 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

- 15.01 **Conflict of Interest:** CONTRACTOR represents that it presently has no interest and agrees not to acquire any interest during the term of this Agreement, which would directly, or indirectly conflict in any manner or to any degree with the full and complete performance of the services required to be rendered under this Agreement.
- 15.02 **Amendment:** This Agreement may be amended or modified only by an instrument in writing signed by the County and the CONTRACTOR.
- 15.03 **Waiver:** Any waiver of any terms and conditions of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by the County and the CONTRACTOR. A waiver of any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any other terms or conditions in this Agreement.
- 15.04 **Contractor:** The term "CONTRACTOR" as used in this Agreement includes CONTRACTOR's officers, agents, and employees acting on CONTRACTOR's behalf in the performance of this Agreement.
- 15.05 **Disputes:** CONTRACTOR shall continue to perform under this Agreement during any dispute.
- 15.06 **Assignment and Subcontracting:** The CONTRACTOR shall not assign, sell, or otherwise transfer its interest or obligations in this Agreement without the prior written consent of the County. None of the services covered by this Agreement shall be subcontracted without the prior written approval of the County. Notwithstanding any such subcontract, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be liable for the performance of all requirements of this Agreement.

- 15.07 **Successors and Assigns:** This Agreement and the rights, privileges, duties, and obligations of the County and CONTRACTOR under this Agreement, to the extent assignable or delegable, shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors, permitted assigns, and heirs.
- 15.08 **Compliance with Applicable Law:** The parties shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations in performing this Agreement.
- 15.09 **Headings:** The headings are for convenience only and shall not be used to interpret the terms of this Agreement.
- 15.10 **Time is of the Essence:** Time is of the essence in each and all of the provisions of this Agreement.
- 15.11 **Governing Law:** This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted under the laws of the State of California; venue shall be Monterey County.
- 15.12 **Non-exclusive Agreement:** This Agreement is non-exclusive and both County and CONTRACTOR expressly reserve the right to contract with other entities for the same or similar services.
- 15.13 **Construction of Agreement:** The County and CONTRACTOR agree that each party has fully participated in the review and revision of this Agreement and that any rule of construction to the effect that ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting party shall not apply in the interpretation of this Agreement or any amendment to this Agreement.
- 15.14 **Counterparts:** This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same Agreement.
- 15.15 **Authority:** Any individual executing this Agreement on behalf of the County or the CONTRACTOR represents and warrants hereby that he or she has the requisite authority to enter into this Agreement on behalf of such party and bind the party to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- 15.16 **Integration:** This Agreement, including the exhibits, represent the entire Agreement between the County and the CONTRACTOR with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement and shall supersede all prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral, between the County and the CONTRACTOR as of the effective date of this Agreement, which is the date that the County signs the Agreement.
- 15.17 **Interpretation of Conflicting Provisions:** In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions of this Agreement and the Provisions of any exhibit or other attachment to this Agreement, the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail and control.

16.0 SIGNATURE PAGE.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, County and CONTRACTOR have executed this Agreement as of the day and year written below.

COUNTY OF MONTEREY**CONTRACTOR**

By: _____
Contracts/Purchasing Officer

Date: _____
DocuSigned by:

By: _____
Lori A. Medina, DSS Director

Date: _____
Department Head (if applicable)
6/14/2021 | 12:34 PM PDT

By: _____
Board of Supervisors (if applicable)

Date: _____

Approved as to Form¹

By: _____
DocuSigned by:
Anne Breton, County Counsel

Date: _____
4/12/2021 | 4:51 PM PDT

Approved as to Fiscal Provisions²

By: _____
DocuSigned by:
Gary Giboney

Date: _____
Auditor/Controller
4/12/2021 | 5:13 PM PDT

Approved as to Liability Provisions³

By: _____

Date: _____
Risk Management

Hartnell College

Contractor's Business Name*

By: _____
(Signature of Chair, President, or
Vice-President) *

Date: _____
Name and Title

By: _____
(Signature of Secretary, Asst. Secretary,
CFO, Treasurer or Asst. Treasurer) *

Date: _____
Name and Title

County Board of Supervisors' Agreement Number: _____, approved on (date): _____

*INSTRUCTIONS: If CONTRACTOR is a corporation, including non-profit corporations, the full legal name of the corporation shall be set forth above together with the signatures of two (2) specified officers per California Corporations Code Section 313. If CONTRACTOR is a Limited Liability Corporation (LLC), the full legal name of the LLC shall be set forth above together with the signatures of two (2) managers. If CONTRACTOR is a partnership, the full legal name of the partnership shall be set forth above together with the signature of a partner who has authority to execute this Agreement on behalf of the partnership. If CONTRACTOR is contracting in an individual capacity, the individual shall set forth the name of the business, if any, and shall personally sign the Agreement or Amendment to said Agreement.



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By:	_____ Contracts/Purchasing Officer		Hartnell College
Date:	_____		Contractor's Business Name*
By:	_____	By:	
Date:	_____ Department Head (if applicable)		(Signature of Chair, President, or Vice-President) *
By:	_____		<u>Raul Rodriguez, Interim Supt/Pres</u>
Date:	_____ Board of Supervisors (if applicable)	Date:	<u>May 19, 2021</u>
Approved as to Form ¹			
By:	_____	By:	
Date:	_____ County Counsel		Steven Crow (Jun 1, 2021 09:55 PDT)
Approved as to Fiscal Provisions ²			(Signature of Secretary, Asst. Secretary, CFO, Treasurer or Asst. Treasurer) *
By:	_____		<u>Steven Crow, Vice President of Administrative Services</u>
Date:	_____ Auditor/Controller		Name and Title
Approved as to Liability Provisions ³		Date:	<u>June 1, 2021</u>
By:	_____		
Date:	_____ Risk Management		

County Board of Supervisors' Agreement Number: _____, approved on (date): _____

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List of Exhibits

Hartnell Community College Title IV-E

Exhibit	A	Scope of Services/Payment Provisions
Exhibit	B	DSS Additional Provisions
Exhibit	C-1	Budget FY 2021-2023
Exhibit	C-2	Budget FY 2022-2023
Exhibit	D-1	Invoice FY 2021-2022
Exhibit	D-2	Invoice FY 2022-2023
Exhibit	E	Child Abuse & Neglect Reporting
Exhibit	F	HIPAA Certification
Exhibit	G	Certification Regarding Lobbying
Exhibit	H	Audit & Recovery of Overpayments

MONTEREY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES*Family and Children's Services Division*

and

HARTNELL COLLEGE*Foster and Kinship Care Education, Title IV-E***Training and Recruitment Program**

July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2023

SCOPE OF SERVICES**I. CONTACTS****A. Primary Contacts**

<i>County</i>	<i>Contractor</i>
Laura Neal Director of Family & Children's Services Department of Social Services 1000 South Main Street, Suite 111 Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-4470 FAX: (831) 755-4600 NealL@co.monterey.ca.us	Alfred Muñoz Interim Vice President of Admin Services Hartnell College 411 Central Avenue Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-6914 Fax: (831) 755-6751 amunoz@hartnell.edu
Chelsea Chacon Management Analyst III Department of Social Services 1000 South Main Street, Suite 206 Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-8596 FAX: (831) 755-4600 ChaconC@co.monterey.ca.us	Margie Wiebusch Director of Academic Affairs/FKCE/ILP Hartnell College 411 Central Avenue Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-6923 Fax: (831) 755-6041 mwiebusc@hartnell.edu

B. Additional County Planning Team Members

Eva Ortiz Program Manager II Department of Social Services 1000 South Main Street, Suite 111 Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-8498 FAX: (831) 755-4600	Jessica Perez-Martinez Program Manager II Department of Social Services 1000 South Main Street, Suite 111 Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-8427 FAX: (831) 755-4600
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OrtizE1@co.monterey.ca.us	Perez-MartinhezJ@co.monterey.ca.us
Rene Kausin Management Analyst II Department of Social Services 1000 South Main Street, Suite 206 Salinas, CA 93901 Phone: (831) 755-4475 FAX: (831) 755-4600 KausinR@co.monterey.ca.us	

II. CONTRACT AWARD INFORMATION**SUBAWARD:****CONTRACTOR DUNS Number:** 087016606**Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN):****Date County Awarded Funding:** July 1, 2021**CFDA PASSTHROUGH INFORMATION AND DOLLAR AMOUNT:** 93.658**Federal Award Description:****Research and Development:** No**Indirect Cost Rate:** 10%**III. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Agreement is to provide training for current and prospective resource parents, foster youth who participate in the Independent Living Program (ILP), and local agency employees through the Hartnell College Foster and Kinship Care Education -Title IV-E Program. Additionally, the purpose of this Agreement is to increase the number of approved resource family homes through targeted recruitment strategies.

IV. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**A. Target Population**

The target population to be served through this Agreement includes:

1. Prospective resource parents – specifically Monterey County residents who speak Spanish, reside in South County, and who are able and willing to care for teenagers and large sibling groups.
2. Current or prospective resource parents, adoptive parents, and relative guardians.
3. Staff who provide care to Title IV-E eligible children in a licensed or approved residential facility.
4. Staff of a local public agency administering the Title IV-E program.

5. Staff of a private child welfare agency licensed by the state and who serves children who receive Title IV-E assistance.

B. Title IV-E Training

All training will incorporate the values and practice behaviors outlined in the Core Practice Model as adopted by the Department of Social Services.

CONTRACTOR shall provide the following trainings:

1. Continuum of Care Reform (CCR)

a. Resource Family Approval (RFA) Training

i. RFA Orientation

CONTRACTOR may provide up to two English and two Spanish trainings per month as needed.

ii. Pre-Approval Series

CONTRACTOR shall provide the RFA pre-approval training series on an ongoing basis in English and Spanish. Each series shall consist of 12 hours and cover topics outlined in the RFA Written Directives under section 6-06.

iii. First Aid/CPR

CONTRACTOR shall provide 12 sessions of up to six hours per session of First Aid/CPR Training.

iv. Annual RFA Training

CONTRACTOR shall provide monthly training in English and Spanish on advanced topics for caregivers to meet the eight-hour annual training requirement. Training topics include, but are not limited to:

- Emergency RFA homes
- Caring for teens
- Adoption
- Educational Cluster
- NMD 101
- Navigating Special Education
- Healthy Sexual Development
- Impact of Domestic Violence
- Trauma Informed Care
- Supporting youth who identify as LGBTQ
- Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity and Expression (SOGIE)

v. Annual RFA Training Events

CONTRACTOR may provide family training and support twice a year in the spring and winter. CONTRACTOR and COUNTY will mutually agree on the activities and training topics provided.

vi. Childcare for RFA Trainings

CONTRACTOR will provide childcare for trainings as needed and with approval from COUNTY including, but not limited to, Foster Kinship Care Education (FKCE) Trainings. CONTRACTOR will provide at least Nine

Hundred (900) hours per year of childcare. Childcare will be limited to ten (10) children per training, unless CONTRACTOR and COUNTY agree otherwise, and CONTRACTOR will provide services using the same standard as Community Care Licensing regulations. Participants who reserve a childcare slot for trainings and fail to show up will jeopardize any future child care opportunities under this Agreement.

b. Community Workshops

Each session provides training and instructional activities for local agency staff and resource families. Each training topic will be identified through a needs assessment process including resource families, community partners and the COUNTY. Training topics may include, but shall not be limited to:

- i. Grief and loss
- ii. Behavioral issues
- iii. Attachment
- iv. Successfully Parenting At-Risk Kids (SPARK)
- v. Adoption
- vi. Special education advocacy
- vii. Trauma informed care
- viii. Motivational interviewing
- ix. Mindfulness and self-care
- x. Cultural humility, awareness, and engagement
- xi. Wraparound
- xii. Short-Term Residential Therapeutic Programs (STRTP) training needs

c. Staff and Service Provider Training

i. Staff In-Service Trainings

Monthly in-service training topics will include, but are not limited to, Boundaries and Good Practice, Positive Behavioral Interventions, Mindfulness, Family Finding and Engagement, Effective Communication, Suicide Prevention, Child Development, Documentation, Prevention of Sexual Harassment, Resources in the community, and Attachment.

ii. Specialty Training Topics and Series

These training will be provided to the local Foster Family Agency Staff as well as community partners and other County staff. Each session provides training and instructional activities to participants. Topics will include, but are not limited to:

- Diversity/multiculturalism
- Grief and loss
- Trauma informed care
- Attachment parenting

- Honoring sibling relationships
 - Historical trauma
 - Bullying
 - Embracing the paternal family
 - Suicide prevention
 - Child abuse detection and reporting
 - Compassion fatigue
 - Vicarious traumatization
- iii. **Training Workshops**
Each training below will be trained in a series format. Trainings may include, but not be limited to:
- Love and Logic
 - Pathways to Permanence Parent Training 1
 - Pathways to Permanence Parent Training 2
 - ACT: An Adoption and Permanency Curriculum
 - STRTP Trainings
 - Treatment Foster Care Trainings
- iv. **Training Tailored to Juvenile Justice**
These trainings will be provided to Monterey County Juvenile Justice staff. Specific topics will be identified through further discussion and collaboration in the development of the Continuum of Care Reform efforts in partnership with Probation.
- d. **Train the Trainers**
The CONTRACTOR shall ensure trainers are adequately trained in the identified Title IV-E training topics and appropriate curriculum is provided.
- e. **Childcare for Trainings**
CONTRACTOR will provide childcare for trainings as needed and with approval of COUNTY, including but not limited to, Love and Logic, Pathways to Permanence Parent Training 1, and Pathways to Permanence Training 2. Childcare will be limited to ten (10) children per training, unless CONTRACTOR and COUNTY agree otherwise, and CONTRACTOR will provide services using the same standard as Community Care Licensing regulations. Participants who reserve a childcare slot for training and fail to show up will jeopardize any future child care opportunities under this Agreement.

2. Transitional Age Youth (TAY)

- a. **Advanced Trainings**
Up to four (4) advanced training events that include the caregivers, staff, and/or service providers of the TAY population, as the budget allows, which may include but are not limited to,

Thanksgiving/Harvest fall event, Self-Care Weekend, Winter Holiday event, ILP event, and High School Graduation Ceremony.

b. Train the Trainer

One session of three (3) hours per fiscal year: For foster youth caregivers, Department of Social Services staff and representatives of community-based organizations that support and work with foster youth to train on communication skills required to work with foster youth and their families.

c. Youth Mentor

One youth mentor (professional expert) who will provide administrative support to the ILP program staff for Title IV-E eligible trainings.

3. Peer Recruiters

- a. Specially trained resource parents shall provide training to potential resource parents in the community related to the RFA process, the needs of Monterey County foster children, and the importance of supporting families through the reunification process. Training topics include, but are not limited to:
 - Recruitment and RFA process
 - Placement of the child
 - Child abuse and neglect issues
 - Effects of separation, grief and loss, child development, and visitation
 - Activities designed to reunify families
- b. Peer recruiters will provide the majority of trainings in East Salinas, South County, and Seaside.
- c. Peer recruiters will prioritize trainings for potential resource parents who are interested in providing care for teenagers, large sibling groups, or emergency foster homes.

C. Contractor Responsibilities

1. CCR

- a. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for providing all aspects of the program set forth in this scope of services, which includes, but is not limited to: marketing; curriculum and materials development; recruitment, selection, supervision, payment, and evaluation of trainers; certification of local trainees; provision of continuing education units by the Board of Behavioral Sciences; enrollment; attendance and evaluation record-keeping; translation services; arrangements for facilities; child care; snacks; and quality control. Designated trainers or support staff will arrive not less than 30 minutes prior to training start time to set up, register and greet participants. Sessions will be conducted at Hartnell College whenever possible, the Department of Social Services facilities, or other locations determined amenable to the target population and

agreed upon by the Program Planning Team will be considered as needed.

- b. CONTRACTOR shall provide trainings in Spanish for those sessions specified by the Program Planning Team. The actual number of sessions will be based upon need, and may be as high as one-half of the total sessions. Handouts for these sessions will also be made available in Spanish.
- c. CONTRACTOR will provide informational flyers regarding trainings not less than twenty-one (21) days before the event and will minimally send out "Save the Date" e-mails to identified COUNTY representatives as soon as a training date has been confirmed, pending a flyer or formal announcement.
- d. CONTRACTOR shall provide all curriculum and session materials to the Program Planning Team. Curriculum will include a course summary, outline, and any class handouts/materials. Regularly offered sessions may require a greater level of curriculum development as determined by the Planning Team.
- e. CONTRACTOR shall provide copies of all attendance rosters to the COUNTY for record-keeping purposes, and will work with the Program Planning Team to design and implement the new recordkeeping software, which will provide demographics and other data needed by the COUNTY for its reports and audits.
- f. CONTRACTOR reserves the right to cancel any session at which it is anticipated there will be four or fewer participants. The primary contact for the COUNTY shall be notified in advance of the cancellation and every effort will be made to notify potential attendees.
- g. CONTRACTOR shall provide child care when a session is being provided for potential and existing resource parents. The CONTRACTOR may subcontract for age-appropriate child care services from a local licensed provider, or may choose to provide such services in-house. However, if the CONTRACTOR chooses to provide the child care services in-house, the following shall apply:
 - i. Live Scan fingerprinting shall be required for all children's activities workers.
 - ii. The COUNTY shall provide the fingerprinting services for this population using the CONTRACTOR's Human Resource Request for Live Scan Service form.
 - iii. The CONTRACTOR shall not be responsible for the COUNTY costs of conducting the fingerprinting, but shall be responsible for any Department of Justice investigation/processing charges, and shall provide the appropriate Billing Code to the COUNTY for this purpose.

2. TAY

- a. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all trainings offered to the TAY populations under this contract include caregivers and/or staff that provide services to Tittle IV-E eligible youth.

3. Peer Recruiters

- a. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that peer recruiters are documenting all training activities.
- b. CONTRACTOR shall provide training activities in English and Spanish. CONTRACTOR will update training curriculum based on the targeted audience.

D. COUNTY Responsibilities**1. CCR**

- a. COUNTY shall provide names and contact information of RFA applicants in order for CONTRACTOR to coordinate necessary trainings.
- b. COUNTY shall allow the CONTRACTOR to maintain a mailing, email, and phone data set in order to provide ongoing training information to RFA families.
- c. COUNTY shall provide CONTRACTOR with general demographics regarding caregivers and foster children in order to allow for competent and efficient training plan development to best serve these populations.
- d. COUNTY shall provide CONTRACTOR with access to BINTI (the COUNTY's RFA case management software) in order for CONTRACTOR to document training completion.
- e. COUNTY shall provide data to CONTRACTOR via a BINTI or Child Welfare Services/Case Management System (CWS/CMS) extract. No case specific information will be shared, and all users will comply with Welfare & Institutions (W & I) Code Section 10850, 45 CFR § 205.50. *Violation of this statement may constitute grounds for corrective action up to and including termination of employment and/or the Agreement. Unauthorized use or release of confidential information may also subject the violator to personal, civil, and/or criminal liability and legal penalties.*

2. TAY

- a. COUNTY shall provide CONTRACTOR with access to Efforts to Outcomes (ETO) for documentation of Title IV-E trainings.
- b. COUNTY shall provide data to CONTRACTOR via a CWS/CMS extract with names and contact information for ILP eligible youth and their caregivers. CONTRACTOR shall use this information for purposes of outreach for Title IV-E trainings. CONTRACTOR shall not contact youth ages 18 or older without a release of information. No case specific information will be shared, and all users will comply with Welfare & Institutions (W & I) Code Section 10850, 45 CFR § 205.50. *Violation of this statement may constitute grounds for corrective action up to and including termination of employment and/or the Agreement. Unauthorized use or release of confidential information may also subject the*

violation to personal, civil, and/or criminal liability and legal penalties.

3. Peer Recruiters

- a. COUNTY shall ensure that CONTRACTOR has current removal and placement data for foster children in Monterey County in order for CONTRACTOR to provide targeted trainings.
- b. COUNTY shall update peer recruiters regarding changes to the RFA process, needs of foster youth in Monterey County, and new policies.
- c. COUNTY shall track the progress of potential resource families through the RFA process and report outcomes at the monthly Recruitment and Retention meeting.

E. Staffing

1. **Director (.5625 FTE)** – oversees the day-to-day operations of the program including budgets, staffing, and contract management in collaboration with the COUNTY.
2. **Administrative Assistant II (.75 FTE)** – supports the administrative tasks of the program including registration, scheduling classes, data entry, and communication with families and the COUNTY.
3. **Professional Experts** – peer recruiters, childcare staff, RFA trainers, and youth mentors.

V. MEETING/COMMUNICATIONS

A. CCR

1. **RFA Trainers**
The COUNTY shall meet with the RFA trainers at least quarterly to review curriculum and provide updates regarding regulations, policies, and procedures.
2. **Title IV-E Planning Team**
COUNTY and CONTRACTOR shall meet quarterly to develop and implement a training plan for the fiscal year. A training needs assessment will be ongoing and input from the Title IV-E Planning Team is encouraged. Dates and times will be coordinated to avoid scheduling conflicts and accommodate organizational workload issues. The needs of the target population shall be taken into account when developing the training plan. The Title IV-E Planning Team shall minimally include COUNTY management, COUNTY social worker trainer, CONTRACTOR, and any subcontractors to this agreement.

B. TAY

1. **ILP Planning Committee**
The ILP Planning Committee will meet monthly to coordinate trainings. At a minimum, COUNTY representation will include the supervisor of ILP, social workers from the permanency planning unit, and representatives from the Probation Department. Hartnell College staff participating will include the Hartnell College Lead Program Coordinator, caregiver liaison, ILP Coordinator, and youth mentors.

2. Title IV-E Planning Team

The Title IV-E Planning Team will meet quarterly and will oversee the budget and the program planning for the ILP Core Classes, seminars, and advanced training events. The Title IV-E Planning Team will minimally consist of the Hartnell College Director of Academic Affairs/FKCE/ILP, COUNTY Training Supervisor, representatives from the local Foster Family Agency Training vendors, and the Contract Monitor.

C. Peer Recruiters**1. Recruitment and Retention Meetings**

CONTRACTOR shall attend monthly Recruitment and Retention meetings to report out on peer recruiter training activities. Peer recruiters shall make every effort to attend the meeting or minimally provide information to CONTRACTOR to present to the group. CONTRACTOR shall also provide feedback regarding the training needs of potential resource families.

VI. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**A. CCR**

1. CONTRACTOR shall document all trainings completed by RFA applicants and approved resource parents in BINTI.
2. CONTRACTOR shall provide a quarterly report of all trainings funded by this Agreement and attendance numbers.

B. TAY

1. CONTRACTOR shall document all TAY trainings in ETO.
2. CONTRACTOR shall provide a quarterly report of all TAY trainings funded by this Agreement and attendance numbers.

C. Peer Recruiters

1. CONTRACTOR shall submit a list of potential resource parents after each training event to the RFA unit.
2. CONTRACTOR shall submit a quarterly report of trainings offered by the Peer Recruiters and total attendance numbers.

D. Staffing

1. CONTRACTOR shall develop an organizational chart that shows specific positions that time study to this Agreement along with the percentage that is charged to this Agreement, including budget line items in relationship to other funding sources.

VII. SUBCONTRACTOR

Agreements executed between CONTRACTOR and subcontractor(s) performing work under this agreement shall require subcontractor(s) to comply with the provisions set forth in Section 9, Insurance and Section 8, Indemnification of this agreement, relative to CONTRACTOR. Subcontractor(s) agreements shall also

include the provisions of Section 10, Records & Confidentiality and Section 11 Non-Discrimination.

VIII. FISCAL PROVISIONS

- A. COUNTY shall pay CONTRACTOR according to the terms set forth in **Exhibit B, Section I. PAYMENT BY COUNTY**. CONTRACTOR shall submit a quarterly invoice to the County no later than the tenth (10th) day following the end of the quarter during which costs were incurred. The invoice shall be submitted in the format presented in **Exhibit D-1** and **Exhibit D-2** and shall contain the original signature of the person authorized to submit claims for payment. Any required documentation, as noted on the invoice form, shall be submitted with the invoice.
- B. Limitations on Payments
CONTRACTOR may not increase the established rates below without written consent from the COUNTY:
 1. CCR
 - a. CONTRACTOR will be paid a rate not to exceed \$182.00 per hour for general staff training and related costs, and \$143.00 per hour for organizational training and related costs provided by subcontractor unless approved by the COUNTY.
 2. TAY
 - a. Youth Mentor
The pay rate shall not exceed \$15 per hour.
 - b. ILP Training Event
The event shall not exceed \$5,000 unless there is authorization from the COUNTY.
 3. Peer Recruiters
 - a. The pay rate shall not exceed \$25 per hour. The number of hours per fiscal year shall be available as allowed by the budget.
- C. The budget for this Agreement (**Exhibits C-1 and C-2**) has been developed assuming CONTRACTOR will hold the maximum number of sessions allowed by the scope of services. More or less frequent sessions may be authorized by the Primary Contacts and/or the Program Planning Team, provided the changes remain within the fiscal constraints of the original budget.
- D. Unless otherwise approved by the COUNTY, all sessions offered through this Agreement shall be made available to members of the target population at no cost. This restriction does not apply to any additional charge required to certify continuing education credits for individual participants. CONTRACTOR may allow other individuals to attend the sessions upon pre-approval of the COUNTY and contingent upon available funding and space.
- E. No employee of the COUNTY shall be hired by CONTRACTOR through funds provided by the COUNTY.

- F. The maximum amount payable by COUNTY to CONTRACTOR for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 is **seven hundred thirty-one thousand nine hundred twenty-six dollars (\$731,926)** per **Exhibit C-1**. The maximum amount payable by COUNTY to CONTRACTOR for the period July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 is **seven hundred thirty-one thousand nine hundred twenty-six dollars (\$731,926)** per **Exhibit C-2**.
- G. The maximum amount payable by COUNTY to CONTRACTOR for the term of this Agreement is **one million four hundred and sixty-three thousand eight hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,463,852)** per **Exhibits C-1 and C-2, Budgets**. Payment is contingent upon COUNTY's continued funding by Federal and State sources.
- H. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide twenty-five percent (25%) of the total Title IV-E training costs for general training, and the COUNTY agrees to reimburse CONTRACTOR for the remaining costs, up to a maximum of one million four hundred sixty-three thousand eight hundred fifty-two dollars (\$1,463,852) for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2023. The program budgets (**Exhibit C-1** and **Exhibit C-2**) summarize the costs contained within the Invoice (**Exhibit D-1** and **Exhibit D-2**).

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**MONTEREY COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

I. PAYMENT BY COUNTY:

1.0 Quarterly claims/invoices by CONTRACTOR: Not later than the tenth (10th) day of each quarter, CONTRACTOR shall submit to COUNTY a signed invoice setting forth the amount claimed. All invoices (monthly and final) shall be submitted in the form set forth in Exhibits D-1 and D-2 and shall include an invoice number.

1.02 Final Invoice; forfeiture for late invoice: CONTRACTOR's final month and end of fiscal year invoice is due, and must be received by COUNTY, no later than close of business on July 10th. If the Final Invoice is not received by COUNTY by close of business on July 10th, CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that the reimbursement of CONTRACTOR's final expenses represented by that invoice may be forfeited, and COUNTY shall have no legal obligation regarding it, nor shall COUNTY be required to make any payment towards that untimely/late invoiced claim.

1.03 Allowable Costs: Allowable costs shall be the CONTRACTOR's actual costs of developing, supervising and delivering the services under this Agreement, as set forth in Exhibits C-1 and C-2. Only the costs listed in Exhibits C-1 and C-2 as contract expenses may be claimed as allowable costs. Any dispute over whether costs are allowable shall be resolved in accordance with the provisions of 45 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 74, Sub-Part F and 48 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Chapter 1, Part 31.

1.04 Cost Control: CONTRACTOR shall not exceed by more than twenty (20) percent any contract expense line item amount in the budget without the written approval of COUNTY, given by and through the Contract Administrator or Contract Administrator's designee. CONTRACTOR shall submit an amended budget with its request for such approval. Such approval shall not permit CONTRACTOR to receive more than the maximum total amount payable under this contract. Therefore, an increase in one line item will require corresponding decreases in other line items.

1.05 Payment in Full:

(a) If COUNTY certifies and pays the amount requested by CONTRACTOR, such payment shall be deemed payment in full for the month in question and may not thereafter be reviewed or modified, except to permit COUNTY's recovery of overpayments.

(b) If COUNTY certifies and pays a lesser amount than the amount requested, COUNTY shall, immediately upon certification of the lesser amount, notify CONTRACTOR in writing of such certification. If CONTRACTOR does not protest the lesser amount by delivering to COUNTY a written notice of protest within twenty (20) days after CONTRACTOR's receipt of the certification, then payment of the lesser amount shall be

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deemed payment in full for the month in question and may not thereafter be questioned by CONTRACTOR.

1.06 Disputed payment amount: If COUNTY pays a lesser amount than the amount requested, and if CONTRACTOR submits a written notice of protest to COUNTY within twenty (20) days after CONTRACTOR's receipt of the certification, then the parties shall promptly meet to review the dispute and resolve it on a mutually acceptable basis. No court action may be taken on such dispute until the parties have met and attempted to resolve the dispute in person.

II. PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & COMPLIANCE

2.01 Outcome objectives and performance standards: CONTRACTOR shall for the entire term of this Agreement provide the service outcomes set forth in **Exhibit A**. CONTRACTOR shall meet the contracted level of service and the specified performance standards described in **Exhibit A**, unless prevented from doing so by circumstances beyond CONTRACTOR's control, including but not limited to, natural disasters, fire, theft, and shortages of necessary supplies or materials due to labor disputes.

2.02 County monitoring of services: COUNTY shall monitor services provided under this Agreement in order to evaluate the effectiveness and quality of services provided.

2.03 Notice of defective performance: COUNTY shall notify CONTRACTOR in writing within thirty (30) days after discovering any defects in CONTRACTOR's performance. CONTRACTOR shall promptly take action to correct the problem and to prevent its recurrence. Such corrective action shall be completed and a written report made to the COUNTY concerning such action not later than thirty (30) days after the date of the COUNTY's written notice to CONTRACTOR.

2.04 Termination for cause: Notwithstanding Section 7.02 of the Agreement, if the corrective actions required above are not completed and the report to the COUNTY not made within thirty (30) days, the COUNTY may terminate this Agreement by giving five (5) days' written notice to CONTRACTOR.

2.05 Remedies for Inadequate Service Levels:

- a) For each month that service falls below 80% of the contracted level, CONTRACTOR shall submit to the COUNTY an analysis of the causes of the problem and any necessary actions to be taken to correct the problem. If the problem continues for another month, the COUNTY shall meet with CONTRACTOR to explore the problem and develop an appropriate written corrective action plan with appropriate time frames.
- b) If CONTRACTOR does not carry out the required corrective action within the time frame specified, sanctions shall be applied in accordance with funding source regulations.

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- c) Notwithstanding Section 7.02 of the Agreement, if, after the COUNTY notifies CONTRACTOR of any sanctions to be imposed, CONTRACTOR continues in its failure to take corrective action, then COUNTY may terminate this contract by giving CONTRACTOR five (5) days' written notice.
- d) If all appropriate corrective actions are taken but service still falls 80% or more below contracted level, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR may renegotiate the contracted level of service.

2.06 Training for Staff: CONTRACTOR shall insure that sufficient training is provided to its volunteer and paid staff to enable them to perform effectively on the project, and to increase their existing level of skills. Additionally, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff completes Division 21 Civil Rights training.

2.07 Bi-lingual Services: CONTRACTOR shall ensure that qualified staff is available to accommodate non-English speaking, and limited English proficient, individuals.

2.08 Assurance of drug free-workplace: CONTRACTOR shall submit to the COUNTY evidence of compliance with the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990, Government Code sections 8350 et seq., by doing the following:

- Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the person's or organization's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of the prohibition;
 - Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about all of the following:
 - 1) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
 - 2) the organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
 - 3) any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs;
 - 4) the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations;
 - 5) requiring that each employee engaged in the performance of the contract or grant be given a copy of the company's drug-free policy statement and that, as a condition of employment on the contract or grant, the employee agrees to abide by the terms of the statement.

III. CONFIDENTIALITY

CONTRACTOR and its officers, employees, agents, and subcontractors shall comply with Welfare and Institutions (W & I) Code Sec. 10850, 45 CFR Sec. 205.50, and all other applicable provisions of law which provide for the confidentiality of records and prohibit their being opened for examination for any purpose not directly connected with the administration of public social services. Whether or not covered by W&I Code Sec. 10850 or by 45 CFR Sec. 205.50, confidential medical or personnel records and the identities of clients and complainants shall not be disclosed unless there is proper consent to such disclosure or a court order requiring disclosure. Confidential information gained by

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CONTRACTOR from access to any such records, and from contact with its clients and complainants, shall be used by CONTRACTOR only in connection with its conduct of the program under this Agreement. The COUNTY, through the Director of the Department of Social Services, and his/her representatives, shall have access to such confidential information and records to the extent allowed by law, and such information and records in the hands of the COUNTY shall remain confidential and may be disclosed only as permitted by law.

IV. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR certifies that to the best of its ability and knowledge it will comply with the nondiscrimination program requirements set forth in this Section.

4.01 Discrimination Defined: The term "discrimination" as used in this contract, is the same term that is used in Monterey County Code, Chapter 2.80 "Procedures for Investigation and Resolution of Discrimination Complaints"; it means the illegal denial of equal employment opportunity, harassment (including sexual harassment and violent harassment), disparate treatment, favoritism, subjection to unfair or unequal working conditions, and/or other discriminatory practice by any Monterey County official, employee or agent, due to an individual's race, color, ethnic group, national origin, ancestry, religious creed, sex, sexual orientation, age, veteran's status, cancer-related medical condition, physical handicap (including AIDS) or disability. The term also includes any act of retaliation.

4.02 Application of Monterey COUNTY Code Chapter 2.80: The provisions of Monterey COUNTY Code Chapter 2.80 apply to activities conducted pursuant to this Agreement. Complaints of discrimination made by CONTRACTOR against the COUNTY, or by recipients of services against CONTRACTOR, may be pursued using the procedures established by Chapter 2.80. CONTRACTOR shall establish and follow its own written procedures for the prompt and fair resolution of discrimination complaints made against CONTRACTOR by its own employees and agents, and shall provide a copy of such procedures to COUNTY on demand by COUNTY.

4.03 Compliance with laws: During the performance of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations which prohibit discrimination, including but not limited to the following:

- **California Fair Employment and Housing Act**, California Government Code Sec. 12900 et seq., see especially Section 12940 (c), (h), (1), (i), and (j); and the administrative regulations issued thereunder, 2 Calif. Code of Regulations Secs. 7285.0 et seq. (Division 4 - Fair Employment and Housing Commission);
- **California Government Code Secs. 11135 - 11139.5**, as amended (Title 2, Div. 3, Part 1, Chap. 1, Art. 9.5) and any applicable administrative rules and regulations issued under these sections; including **Title 22 California Code of Regulations 98000-98413**.

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- **Federal Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and 1991** (see especially Title VI, 42 USC Secs. 2000d et seq.), as amended, and all administrative rules and regulations issued thereunder (see especially 45 CFR Part 80);
- **The Rehabilitation Act of 1973**, Secs. 503 and 504 (29 USC Sec. 793 and 794), as amended; all requirements imposed by the applicable HHS regulations (45 CFR Parts 80, 84 and 91); and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto;
- **7 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)**, Part 15 and 28 CFR Part 42;
- **Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990** (P.L. 101-336), 42 U.S.C. Secs. 12101 et seq. and 47 U.S.C. Secs. 225 and 611, and any federal regulations issued pursuant thereto (see 24 CFR Chapter 1; 28 CFR Parts 35 and 36; 29 CFR Parts 1602, 1627, and 1630; and 36 CFR Part 1191);
- **Unruh Civil Rights Act**, Calif. Civil Code Sec. 51 et seq., as amended;
- **Monterey COUNTY Code**, Chap. 2.80.;
- **Age Discrimination in Employment Act 1975**, as amended (ADEA), 29 U.S.C. Secs 621 et seq.;
- **Equal Pay Act of 1963**, 29 U.S.C. Sec. 206(d);
- **California Equal Pay Act**, Labor Code Sec.1197.5.
- **California Government Code Section 4450**;
- **The Dymally-Alatorre Bilingual Services Act**; Calif. Government Code Sec. 7290 et seq.
- **The Food Stamp Act of 1977**, as amended and in particular Section 272.6.
- **California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Section 3105A(e)**
- **Removal of Barriers to Inter-Ethnic Adoption Act of 1996, Section 1808**

4.04 Written assurances: Upon request by COUNTY, CONTRACTOR will give any written assurances of compliance with the Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and 1991, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and/or the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as may be required by the federal government in connection with this Agreement, pursuant to 45 CFR Sec. 80.4 or 45 CFR Sec. 84.5, and 91; 7 CFR Part 15; and 28 CFR Part 35, or other applicable State or federal regulation.

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4.05 Written non-discrimination policy: Contractor shall maintain a written statement of its non-discrimination policies which shall be consistent with the terms of this Agreement. Such statement shall be available to employees, recipients of services, and members of the public, upon request.

4.06 Grievance Information: CONTRACTOR shall advise applicants who are denied CONTRACTOR's services, and recipients who do receive services, of their right to present grievances, and of their right to a State hearing concerning services received under this Agreement.

4.07 Notice to Labor Unions: CONTRACTOR shall give written notice of its obligations under paragraphs 4.01 - 4.08 to labor organizations with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement.

4.08 Access to records by government agencies: CONTRACTOR shall permit access by COUNTY and by representatives of the State Department of Fair Employment and Housing, and any state agency providing funds for this Agreement, upon reasonable notice at any time during normal business hours, but in no case less than 24 hours' notice, to such of its books, records, accounts, facilities, and other sources of information as the inspecting party may deem appropriate to ascertain compliance with these non-discrimination provisions.

4.09 Binding on Subcontractors: The provisions of paragraphs 4.01 - 4.08 shall also apply to all of CONTRACTOR's subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of these paragraphs in all subcontracts to perform work or provide services under this Agreement.

V. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATORS

5.01 Contract Administrator – CONTRACTOR: CONTRACTOR hereby designates Alfred Munoz, Interim Vice President of Administrative Services, as its Contract Administrator for this Agreement. All matters concerning this Agreement which are within the responsibility of CONTRACTOR shall be under the direction of, or shall be submitted to, the CONTRACTOR's Contract Administrator. CONTRACTOR may, in its sole discretion, change its designation of the Contract Administrator, and shall promptly give written notice to COUNTY of any such change.

5.02 Contract Administrator – COUNTY: COUNTY hereby designates the Director of the Monterey County Department of Social Services as its Contract Administrator for this Agreement. All matters concerning this Agreement which are within the responsibility of COUNTY shall be under the direction of, or shall be submitted to, the Director or such other COUNTY employee in the Department of Social Services as the Director may appoint. COUNTY may, in its sole discretion, change its designation of the Contract Administrator, and shall promptly give written notice to CONTRACTOR of any such change.

Hartnell Title IV-E Budget**Exhibit C-1**

FY 2021-2022	Staff	CCR/ Workshops	TAY	PR	Grand Total
Benefits	69,493	6,924	5,068	31,160	112,645
Assistant II (75%)	55,468	-	-	23,772	79,240
Director (75%)	52,409	-	-	22,461	74,870
Nonstudent	15,483	37,601	29,860	27,648	110,592
Nonstudent (childcare)	26,901	10,088	5,044	-	42,033
Total Salaries and Benefits	219,754	54,613	39,972	105,041	419,380
Services and Supplies					
Mileage *	-	3,000	-	-	3,000
Printing	-	5,770	5,000	-	10,770
Contract Services	-	205,000	6,000	22,153	233,153
Personal Service Contracts	-	-	5,000	-	5,000
Rents & Leases	-	3,600	-	-	3,600
Supplies	5,389	11,207	7,947	4,500	29,043
Bulk Mail	-	2,850	-	-	2,850
Total Services and Supplies	5,389	231,427	23,947	26,653	287,416
Total Direct Costs	225,143	286,040	63,919	131,694	706,796
Administrative (30% of TDC)	67,543	85,812	19,176	39,508	212,039
Total Training Costs	292,686	371,852	83,095	171,202	918,835
Less Hartnell In-kind Match (25%)	73,172	92,963	20,774	-	186,908
Less Hartnell In-kind Match (50%)	-	-	-	-	-
Net County Payment	219,515	278,889	62,321	171,202	731,926

*Compensation for travel and mileage is in accordance with the County Travel Policy which is online

<https://www.co.monterey.ca.us/home/showdocument?id=69364>

Mileage will be reimbursed at the applicable IRS rate for that period.
The 2020 rate is 56 cents per mile.

Hartnell Title IV-E Budget**Exhibit C-2**

FY 2022-2023	Staff	CCR/ Workshops	TAY	PR	Grand Total
Benefits	89,365	7,829	4,591	39,970	141,755
Assistant II (75%)	57,881			24,806	82,687
Director (75%)	69,879			29,948	99,827
Nonstudent	15,483	37,601	29,860	27,648	110,592
Nonstudent (childcare)	23,673	13,316			36,989
Total Salaries and Benefits	256,281	58,746	34,451	122,372	471,850
Services and Supplies					
Mileage		3,000			3,000
Printing		5,770			5,770
Contract Services		187,740	6,000		193,740
Personal Service Contracts			5,000		5,000
Rents & Leases			-		-
Supplies	5,389	11,207	7,947	4,500	29,043
Bulk Mail					-
Total Services and Supplies	5,389	207,717	18,947	4,500	236,553
Total Direct Costs	261,670	266,463	53,398	126,872	708,403
Administrative (30% of TDC)	78,501	79,939	16,019	38,062	212,521
Total Training Costs	340,171	346,402	69,417	164,934	920,924
Less Hartnell In-kind Match (25%)	85,043	86,600	17,354	-	188,998
Less Hartnell In-kind Match (50%)	-	-	-		-
Net County Payment	255,128	259,801	52,063	164,934	731,926

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MONTEREY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES and HARTNELL COLLEGE

EXHIBIT D-1

Training and Recruitment Program

7/1/21 - 6/30/22

Invoice for the year and quarter of _____

INVOICE AND REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

Invoice Number: 4XXXXXX

Budget Item	Total Budget	Previous YTD Expenditures	Current Quarter Expenditures	Current YTD Expenditures	Remaining Balance	Additional Documentation Required *
Benefits	112,645					
Assistant II (75%)	79,240					
Director (75%)	74,870					
Nonstudent	110,592					
Nonstudent (childcare)	42,033					
Mileage	3,000					
Printing	10,770					
Contract Services	233,153					
Personal Services Contracts	5,000					
Rents & Leases	3,600					
Supplies	29,043					
Bulk Mail	2,850					
Administration @ 28% of total direct costs	212,039					
In-Kind Match @ 25% of total training costs	186,909					
TOTAL REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT	731,926					

* Attach cost allocation sheet for all funding sources.

As the authorized representative for the CONTRACTOR, I hereby certify that this report is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and that the costs have been charged in compliance with Section 1.02 of Exhibit B and are eligible for reimbursement pursuant to the terms of the contract.

Person completing the form: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Date: _____

Monterey County DSS Authorized Signature: _____

Date: _____

MONTEREY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES and HARTNELL COLLEGE

EXHIBIT D-2

Training and Recruitment Program

7/1/22 - 6/30/23

Invoice for the year and quarter of _____

INVOICE AND REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

Invoice Number: 4XXXXXX

Budget Item	Total Budget	Previous YTD Expenditures	Current Quarter Expenditures	Current YTD Expenditures	Remaining Balance	Additional Documentation Required *
Benefits	141,755					
Assistant II (75%)	82,687					
Director (75%)	99,827					
Nonstudent	110,592					
Nonstudent (childcare)	36,989					
Mileage	3,000					
Printing	5,770					
Contract Services	193,740					
Personal Services Contracts	5,000					
Rents & Leases	-					
Supplies	29,043					
Bulk Mail	-					
Administration @ 28% of total direct costs	212,521					
In-Kind Match @ 25% of total training costs	188,998					
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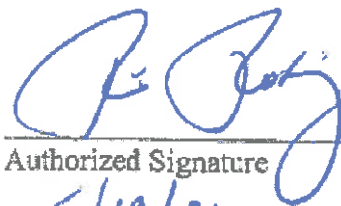
Monterey County DSS Authorized Signature: _____

Date: _____

**CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT REPORTING
CERTIFICATION**

CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges that this contract for services will bring CONTRACTOR in contact with children, and that CONTRACTOR has received from COUNTY a copy of Penal Code Sections 11165.7 and 11166 as required by the Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (Penal Code Sections 11164, et seq). CONTRACTOR further certifies that it has knowledge of the provisions of the Act, and will comply with its provisions, which define a mandated reporter and requires that reports of child abuse or neglect be made by a mandated reporter whenever, in his or her professional capacity or within the scope of his or her employment, he/she has knowledge or observes a child whom he/she knows or reasonably suspects has been a victim of neglect or abuse.

CONTRACTOR further gives assurance that all of its employees, consultants, and agents performing services under this Agreement, who are mandated reporters under the Act, sign statements indicating that they know of, and will comply with, the Act's reporting requirements.



Authorized Signature

5/19/21

Date

- ♦ 24-hour Bilingual Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-606-6618
- ♦ Mandated Child Abuse Reporter Training is available, at no cost, through the Child Abuse Prevention Council of Monterey County Please email CAPC@co.monterey.ca.us

EXHIBIT F

Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act (HIPAA) Certification

WHEREAS, Sections 261 through 264 of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, Public Law 104-191, known as "the Administrative Simplification provisions," direct the Department of Health and Human Services to develop standards to protect the security, confidentiality and integrity of health information; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Administrative Simplification provisions, the Secretary of Health and Human Services has issued regulations modifying 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164 (the "HIPAA Privacy Rule"); and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR and COUNTY have entered into an Agreement ("the Agreement") to which this Certification is an attachment whereby CONTRACTOR will provide certain services to COUNTY ; and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR may have access to Protected Health Information (as defined below) in fulfilling its responsibilities under the underlying Agreement.

THEREFORE, in consideration of the Parties' continuing obligations under the Agreement, compliance with the HIPAA Privacy Rule, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, CONTRACTOR agrees to the provisions of this Certification and of the HIPAA Privacy Rule and to protect the interests of COUNTY.

I. DEFINITIONS

Except as otherwise defined herein, any and all capitalized terms in this Section shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule. In the event of an inconsistency between the provisions of this Certification and mandatory provisions of the HIPAA Privacy Rule, as amended, the HIPAA Privacy Rule shall control. Where provisions of this Certification are different than those mandated in the HIPAA Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the HIPAA Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Certification shall control.

The term "Protected Health Information" means individually identifiable health information including, without limitation, all information, data, documentation, and materials, including without limitation, demographic, medical and financial information, that relates to the past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present, or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual.

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that all Protected Health Information that is created or received by COUNTY and disclosed or made available in any form, including paper record, oral communication, audio recording, and electronic display by COUNTY, or its operating units, to CONTRACTOR or is created or received by CONTRACTOR on COUNTY's behalf shall be subject to this Certification.

EXHIBIT F**II. CONFIDENTIALITY REQUIREMENTS**

- (a) **CONTRACTOR agrees:**
- (i) to use or disclose any Protected Health Information solely: (1) for meeting its obligations as set forth in any agreements between the Parties evidencing their business relationship or (2) as required by applicable law, rule or regulation, or by accrediting or credentialing organization to whom COUNTY is required to disclose such information, or as otherwise permitted under this Certification, or the underlying Agreement, (if consistent with this Certification and the HIPAA Privacy Rule), or the HIPAA Privacy Rule, and (3) as would be permitted by the HIPAA Privacy Rule if such use or disclosure were made by COUNTY; and
 - (ii) at termination of the Agreement, (or any similar documentation of the business relationship of the Parties), or upon request of COUNTY, whichever occurs first, if feasible CONTRACTOR will return or destroy all Protected Health Information received from or created or received by CONTRACTOR on behalf of COUNTY that CONTRACTOR still maintains in any form, and retain no copies of such information, or if such return or destruction is not feasible, CONTRACTOR will extend the protections of this Agreement to the information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information not feasible; and
 - (iii) to ensure that its agents, including a subcontractor(s), to whom it provides Protected Health Information received from or created by CONTRACTOR on behalf of COUNTY, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to CONTRACTOR with respect to such information. In addition, CONTRACTOR agrees to take reasonable steps to ensure that its employees' actions or omissions do not cause CONTRACTOR to breach the terms of the Agreement.
- (b) Notwithstanding the prohibitions set forth in this Certification or the Agreement, CONTRACTOR may use and disclose Protected Health Information as follows:
- (i) if necessary, for the proper management and administration of CONTRACTOR or to carry out the legal responsibilities of CONTRACTOR, provided that as to any such disclosure, the following requirements are met:
 - (A) the disclosure is required by law; or
 - (B) CONTRACTOR obtains reasonable assurances from the person to whom the information is disclosed that it will be held confidentially and used or further disclosed only as required by law, or for the purpose for which it was disclosed to the person, and the person notifies CONTRACTOR of any instances of which it is aware in which the confidentiality of the information has been breached;
 - (ii) for data aggregation services, if to be provided by CONTRACTOR for the health care operations of COUNTY pursuant to any agreements between the Parties evidencing their business relationship. For purposes of this Certification and the Agreement, data aggregation services means the combining of Protected Health Information by CONTRACTOR with the protected health information received by CONTRACTOR in its capacity as CONTRACTOR of another COUNTY, to permit data analyses that relate to the health care operations of the respective covered entities.

EXHIBIT F

- (c) CONTRACTOR will implement appropriate safeguards to prevent use or disclosure of Protected Health Information other than as permitted in this Certification. The Secretary of Health and Human Services shall have the right to audit CONTRACTOR's records and practices related to use and disclosure of Protected Health Information to ensure COUNTY's compliance with the terms of the HIPAA Privacy Rule. CONTRACTOR shall report to COUNTY any use or disclosure of Protected Health Information which is not in compliance with the terms of this Certification of which it becomes aware. In addition, CONTRACTOR agrees to mitigate, to the extent practicable, any harmful effect that is known to CONTRACTOR of a use or disclosure of Protected Health Information by CONTRACTOR in violation of the requirements of this Certification or the Agreement.

III. AVAILABILITY OF PHI

CONTRACTOR agrees to make available Protected Health Information to the extent and in the manner required by Section 164.524 of the HIPAA Privacy Rule. CONTRACTOR agrees to make Protected Health Information available for amendment and incorporate any amendments to Protected Health Information in accordance with the requirements of Section 164.526 of the HIPAA Privacy Rule. In addition, CONTRACTOR agrees to make Protected Health Information available for purposes of accounting of disclosures, as required by Section 164.528 of the HIPAA Privacy Rule.

IV. TERMINATION

Notwithstanding anything in this Certification or the Agreement to the contrary, COUNTY shall have the right to terminate the Agreement immediately if COUNTY determines that CONTRACTOR has violated any material term of this Certification and/or the Agreement. If COUNTY reasonably believes that CONTRACTOR will violate a material term of this Certification and/or the Agreement and, where practicable, COUNTY gives written notice to CONTRACTOR of such belief within a reasonable time after forming such belief, and CONTRACTOR fails to provide adequate written assurances to COUNTY that it will not breach the cited term of this Certification and/or the Agreement within a reasonable period of time given the specific circumstances, but in any event, before the threatened breach is to occur, then COUNTY shall have the right to terminate the Agreement immediately.

V. MISCELLANEOUS

Except as expressly stated herein or the HIPAA Privacy Rule, the parties to the Agreement do not intend to create any rights in any third parties. The obligations of CONTRACTOR under this Section shall survive the expiration, termination, or cancellation of this Certification and/or the Agreement, and/or the business relationship of the parties, and shall continue to bind CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees, contractors, successors, and assigns as set forth herein.

The parties agree that, in the event that any documentation of the arrangement pursuant to which CONTRACTOR provides services to COUNTY contains provisions relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Health Information which are more restrictive than the provisions of this Certification or the Agreement, the provisions of the more restrictive documentation will control. The provisions of this

EXHIBIT F

Certification and the Agreement are intended to establish the minimum requirements regarding CONTRACTOR's use and disclosure of Protected Health Information.

In the event that either party believes in good faith that any provision of this Certification and/or the Agreement fails to comply with the then current requirements of the HIPAA Privacy Rule, such party shall notify the other party in writing. For a period of up to thirty (30) days, the parties shall address in good faith such concern and amend the terms of this Certification and/or the Agreement, if necessary to bring it into compliance. If, after such thirty-day period, the Certification and/or the Agreement fails to comply with the HIPAA Privacy Rule, then either party has the right to terminate upon written notice to the other party.

CONTRACTOR:

By: 

Title:

Date: 5/19/21

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award document for sub-awards at all tiers (including sub-contracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements, and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Signature

Hartnell CCO

Agency/Organization

Title

Interim Superintendent / President

Date

6/19/21

Exhibit H**AUDIT & RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS REQUIREMENTS****I. CPA Audit on Termination:****1.01 Audit Requirement**

At the request of COUNTY, CONTRACTOR shall give to COUNTY an audit report(s) covering the contract period, prepared by an independent Certified Public Accountant. The purpose of the audit requirement is determining whether the reported costs are fair and reasonable and have been computed in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, with the provisions of this Agreement, and with all applicable COUNTY requirements. The audit must identify all federal, state, and matching funds issued under this Agreement as a note, or as a supplemental schedule of expenses within Contractor's audits.

If CONTRACTOR expends a total of \$750,000 or more of federal funding per fiscal year, CONTRACTOR is required to submit an annual audit report(s) that was performed in compliance with the Uniform Guidance.

If CONTRACTOR expends less than \$750,000 in federal funding per fiscal year, then the COUNTY shall require an annual audit report(s) be performed in accordance with the Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS).

1.02 Audit Submission /Fiscal Year-end

CONTRACTOR shall provide COUNTY with the audit report(s), required herein no later than six (6) months after the close of CONTRACTOR's Fiscal Year, except when CONTRACTOR has expended \$750,000 in federal funding and the Uniform Guidance allows a nine (9) month deadline. In the case where providing the required audit within the specified time period represents an unreasonable hardship, CONTRACTOR shall alert COUNTY and request an extension. Additional documentation may be requested by COUNTY to grant the extension.

1.03 Audit Format

CONTRACTOR may submit to COUNTY one of the following in satisfaction of this Audit requirement:

- 1) If CONTRACTOR expends a total of \$750,000 or more of federal funding per fiscal year, CONTRACTOR is required to submit an annual audit report(s) that was performed in compliance with the Uniform Guidance.

-OR-

- 2) If CONTRACTOR expends less than \$750,000 in federal funding per fiscal year, then the COUNTY shall require an annual audit report(s) be performed in accordance with the Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS).

-OR-

- 3) Additionally, at the discretion of the CONTRACTOR, a program specific audit report(s) may be submitted in accordance with the Uniform Guidance.

Exhibit H**All Audits must include the following information within their audit:**

- a) A separate schedule listing programs and funding, see recommended format, **Exhibit G-1**.
- b) All Management Letters received by the CONTRACTOR relating to the performed audit, shall be submitted in conjunction with the annual audit report(s) to the COUNTY.

1.04 Payment for Audit

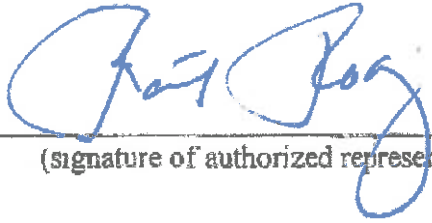
CONTRACTOR shall bear all costs in connection with, or resulting from, any audit and/or inspections including, but not limited to, actual cost incurred and the payment/repayment of any expenditures disallowed by COUNTY, State or Federal government entities, including any assessed interest and penalties.

If CONTRACTOR is exempt from federal audit procedures under UNIFORM ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS, COST PRINCIPLES, AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS (Uniform Guidance), then payment for this audit shall be made by CONTRACTOR with resources other than grant funds, or those used for matching purposes. If CONTRACTOR is not exempt from federal audit procedures under the UNIFORM ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS, COST PRINCIPLES, AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS (Uniform Guidance), the cost of audits made in accordance with the provisions of this part are allowable charges to Federal awards. The charges may be considered a direct cost or an allocated indirect cost, as determined in accordance with the provisions of applicable Uniform Guidance cost principles, other applicable cost principles or regulations.

II. Contractor Records

Funds provided by COUNTY shall be accounted for separately in CONTRACTOR's books and records. CONTRACTOR shall keep a systematic accounting record of the receipt and disbursement of COUNTY funds. CONTRACTOR shall permit COUNTY to audit, examine and to copy excerpts and transcripts from such records and to conduct audits or reviews of all records including, but not limited to, invoices, materials, personnel records, bank account records, business records, billing statements, payroll records, business expense records, and all other data related to matters covered by this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain such data and records in an accessible location and condition for a period of at least four (4) years from the close of this Agreement term, or until after the conclusion of any audit, whichever occurs last. The State of California and/or any Federal agency providing funds for this Agreement shall have the same rights conferred upon COUNTY herein. CONTRACTOR shall keep records that are sufficient to permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to ensure that the funds have not been unlawfully spent. CONTRACTOR's records shall describe and support the use of funds for the agreed upon project or services outlined in this Agreement.

III. Recovery of Overpayments: If any audit shows that COUNTY has paid to CONTRACTOR any amount in excess of properly allowable costs, then CONTRACTOR shall reimburse COUNTY for that amount, either by a cash payment made within thirty (30) days after COUNTY notifies CONTRACTOR of the overpayment, or by an offset made by COUNTY against any payments owed by COUNTY to CONTRACTOR under this or any other contract.



(signature of authorized representative)

5/19/21

(date)