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Board Report

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

Through this Agreement, the Department of Social Services continues its support of children subjected to abuse and neglect, and the trauma experienced through removal from their homes, by providing a Public Health Nurse at the Cherish Receiving Center. Nursing support consists of completing medical assessments of youth who have been removed and temporarily placed at the 23-hour Cherish Receiving Center. Activities include screening and assessment of the health needs of children who are taken into protective custody and awaiting placement in a foster home.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Auditor-Controller and Purchasing have reviewed and approved this agreement. County Counsel has approved the agreement as to form.

FINANCING:

Funding is provided by Realignment revenues. Sufficient appropriations and estimated revenues in SOC005 are included in the FY 2015-16 Adopted Budget. Approval of this action has no impact on the County General Fund.

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Attachments: VNA Agreement (Cherish Center)

Proposed agreement is on file with Clerk of the Board as an attachment to this Board Report.