



traditional testing on meconium or urine. NMC laboratory does not have the specialized equipment needed to perform this type of testing. Utilizing the testing methods of the USDTL will enable NMC to provide a higher quality level of healthcare to its patients.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

County Counsel has reviewed and approved this Agreement as to legal form but not to risk provisions, and the Auditor-Controller has reviewed and approved as to payment provisions. The Agreement has also been reviewed and approved by NMC's Finance Committee on January 28, 2016 and by its Board of Trustees on February 5, 2016.

FINANCING:

The cost for this Agreement is \$180,000, \$60,000 of which has been included in the Fiscal Year 2016-17 Adopted Budget. Amounts for remaining years of the Agreement will be included in those budgets as appropriate. There is no impact to the General Fund.

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Attachments:

Agreement with United States Drug Testing Laboratories, Inc.

Attachments on file with the Clerk of the Board