



Monterey County Board of Supervisors

Board Order

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A motion was made by Supervisor Mary L. Adams, seconded by Supervisor Wendy Root Askew to:

Agreement No.: A-14569 ; Amendment No.: 3

- a. Authorize the Chief Executive Officer for Natividad Medical Center (NMC) or his designee to execute the Third Amendment to the Professional Services Agreement (A-14569) with Victoria Chew, M.D. to provide family medicine services, extending the term by twenty-four months (January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2025) for a revised full agreement term of November 1, 2018 to December 31, 2025, but with no change to the aggregate not to exceed amount of \$400,000; and
- b. Authorize the Chief Executive Officer for Natividad Medical Center (NMC) or his designee to sign up to three (3) future amendments to this Agreement where the total amendments do not significantly change the scope of work, do not exceed 10% (\$10,000) of the original contract amount and do not increase the total contract amount above \$410,000.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 5th day of December 2023, by roll call vote:

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

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

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 December 5, 2023.

Dated: December 13, 2023

File ID: A 23-521

Agenda Item No.: 21

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

Vicente Ramirez, Deputy

THIRD AMENDMENT TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS THIRD AMENDMENT TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT (the “**Amendment**”) is made and entered into as of January 1, 2024 by and between COUNTY OF MONTEREY (“**County**”) on behalf of NATIVIDAD MEDICAL CENTER (“**Hospital**”), and VICTORIA CHEW, M.D., an individual (“**Contractor**”) with respect to the following:

RECITALS

A. County owns and operates Hospital, a general acute care teaching hospital facility located in Salinas, California under its acute care license.

B. Contractor and Hospital have entered into that certain Professional Services Agreement dated effective as of November 1, 2018, and as amended effective January 1, 2020, and January 1, 2022 (collectively, the “**Agreement**”), pursuant to which Contractor provides Specialty services to Hospital’s Patients.

C. Hospital and Contractor desire to amend the Agreement to extend the term by twenty-four (24) months and increase the hourly rate for Professional Services compensation as set herein.

AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of the foregoing recitals and the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, Hospital and Contractor agree as follows:

1. **Defined Terms**. Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Agreement.
2. **Section 5.1**. Section 5.1 to the Agreement is hereby amended and restated to read in its entirety as follows:

“5.1 Term. This Agreement shall become effective on November 1, 2018 (the “**Effective Date**”), and shall continue until December 31, 2025 (the “**Expiration Date**”), subject to the termination provisions of this Agreement.”
3. **Exhibit 2.1**. Exhibit 2.1 to the Agreement shall be deleted and replaced in its entirety and attached hereto as Exhibit 2.1.
4. **Counterparts**. This Amendment may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
5. **Continuing Effect of Agreement**. Except as herein provided, all of the terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect from the Effective Date of the Agreement.

6. **Reference.** After the date of this Amendment, any reference to the Agreement shall mean the Agreement as amended by this Amendment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Hospital and Contractor have executed this Amendment as of the day and year first written above.

CONTRACTOR

VICTORIA CHEW, M.D., an individual

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Victoria Chew
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Date: 10/19/2023 | 9:32 AM PDT

NATIVIDAD MEDICAL CENTER

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Charles R. Harris
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Deputy Purchasing Agent

Date: 12/13/2023 | 11:03 AM PST

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL PROVISIONS:

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Stacy Saelta
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Stacy Saelta, Deputy County Counsel

Date: 10/19/2023 | 10:59 AM PDT

APPROVED AS TO FISCAL PROVISIONS:

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Patricia Ruiz
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Deputy Auditor/Controller

Date: 10/20/2023 | 7:15 AM PDT

Exhibit 2.1

COMPENSATION

1. **Professional Services.** Hospital shall pay to Contractor the amount of One Hundred Twelve Dollars (\$112) per hour for those Professional Services rendered by Contractor to Patients while providing on-site coverage for Hospital's labor and delivery unit; provided, however, that Contractor is in compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
2. **Professional Liability Reimbursement.** In the event that Contractor does not purchase the professional liability insurance set forth in the Agreement, Hospital will deduct Twenty-One Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$21.90) per day worked by Contractor to compensate for Hospital's payment of professional liability insurance premiums on behalf of Contractor. This amount reflects the then-current rate, rates are subject to change.
3. **Timing.** Hospital shall pay the compensation due for Services performed by Contractor after Contractor's submission of the monthly invoice of preceding month's activity and time report in accordance with this Agreement; provided, however, that if Contractor does not submit an invoice and time sheet within sixty (60) days of the end of the month during which Services were performed, Hospital shall not be obligated to pay Contractor for Services performed during that month. The County of Monterey Standard Payment Terms for contracts/PSAs and paying invoices is "30 days after receipt of the certified invoice in the Auditor-Controller's Office".