

Mendocino County **Department of Social Services**

Healthy People, Healthy Communities



Memorandum

Date: March 22, 2023

Division: Adult & Aging Services / Special Projects Team / Housing Coordination Unit

Contract Info: Project Sanctuary Hotel-Based Non-Congregate Shelter

Amount: \$187,500

Meeting Date: April 9, 2024

History:

During the COVID-19 pandemic, Project Sanctuary began operating a motel-based non-congregate shelter project for persons fleeing or attempting to flee Domestic Violence. The project has become a key service in providing safety to individuals and families experiencing interpersonal violence. This is the second contract that supports this project, which is fully funded by State Grant Funds.

Funding:

Homeless Housing, Assistance, and Prevention (HHAP) Round 3 Grant Funds (\$0 Match); no County General Funds will be used to support this contract.

Numbers served through this agreement:

Total Number of Persons Served from January 1, 2021 – September 30, 2023: 121

• Children Under Age 18: 56 (46%)

• Youth Aged 18-24: 8 (7%)

Adults Aged 25-59: 51 (42%)

• Seniors Aged 60+: 6 (5%)