



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Text

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**To: Board of Supervisors**

**From:** Health and Human Services Agency

**Meeting Date:** June 22, 2021

**Department Contact:** Jenine Miller

**Phone:** 472-2341

**Item Type:** Regular Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** 30 Minutes

**Agenda Title:**

Discussion and Possible Action Including Acceptance of Presentation Regarding Mendocino County Specialty Mental Health Services, Including Approval of Agreement with Redwood Quality Management Company in the Amount of \$17,361,861 to Arrange and Pay for Medically Necessary Specialty Mental Health Services and Mental Health Services Act Community Services and Support Programs for All Ages of Medi-Cal Beneficiaries and the Indigent Population, Effective July 1, 2021 Through June 30, 2022  
(Sponsor: Health and Human Services Agency)

**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Accept presentation related to Mendocino County Specialty Mental Health Services; approve Agreement with Redwood Quality Management Company in the amount of \$17,361,861 to arrange and pay for medically necessary Specialty Mental Health Services and Mental Health Services Act Community Services and Support Programs for all ages of Medi-Cal beneficiaries and the indigent population, effective July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022; authorize the Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Director or designee to sign any future amendments to the agreement that do not increase the annual maximum amount; and authorize Chair to sign same.

**Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

Ongoing Item. Last action: January 26, 2021, Item 5(e), BOS Agreement No. 19-193-A2.

**Summary of Request:**

Redwood Quality Management Company (RQMC) has been arranging and paying for specialty mental health services on behalf of Mendocino County, as delineated in the Mental Health Plan (MHP) controlled by the California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS), and Mental Health Services Act Programs, since July 1, 2017. Functioning as the County's Administrative Services Organization (ASO), RQMC oversees and manages the delivery of mental health services through a well-developed coalition of local subcontractors.

The 2021-22 contract with RQMC will provide for specialty mental health services for children, youth, and adults; medication support services; MHSA Community Services and Support services; and specialty mental health services for Mendocino County's indigent population, including Misdemeanor Competency Restoration. The contract also specifies provision of administrative and utilization review services along with detailed reporting requirements to include both demographics and services delivery timelines.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Return to staff for alternative handling.

**Supervisorial District:** All

**vote requirement:** Majority

**Supplemental Information Available Online At:** N/A

**Fiscal Details:**

**source of funding:** Medi-Cal FFP/ 1991  
Realignment/MHSA/2011 Realignment

**current f/y cost:** \$17,361,861

**annual recurring cost:** \$17,361,861

**budget clarification:** N/A

**budgeted in current f/y:** Yes

**if no, please describe:**

**revenue agreement:** No

**Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel:** Yes

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**CEO Liaison:** Executive Office

**CEO Review:** Yes

**CEO Comments:**

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Executed By: Atlas Pearson, Deputy Clerk I

Date: June 25, 2021

Final Status: **Approved**

Executed Item Type: Agreement Number: 21-138

**Note to Department** Number of Original Agreements  
Returned to Dept: 0 Original Agreement Delivered to Auditor?  
No

