



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 18-1803, **Version:** 1

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Health and Human Services Agency

**Meeting Date:** June 19, 2018

**Department Contact:** Anne Molgaard

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**Item Type:** Consent Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** N/A

**Agenda Title:**

Approval of Amendment to BOS Agreement No. 17-041 with Redwood Quality Management Company Increasing the Amount from \$5,869,000 to \$7,584,000 to Provide Mental Health and Medication Support Services to Adults, Age 25 Years and Older, for the Term of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018

**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Approve Amendment to BOS Agreement No. 17-041 with Redwood Quality Management Company increasing the amount from \$5,869,000 to \$7,584,000 to provide Mental Health and Medication Support Services to adults, age 25 years and older, for the term of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018; authorize the Health and Human Services Agency Director or designee to sign any future amendment to the Agreement that does not increase the annual maximum amount; and authorize Chair to sign same.

**Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

June 20, 2017, Item 4(r), BOS Agreement No. 17-041

**Summary of Request:**

Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA), Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (BHRS) currently contracts with Redwood Quality Management Company (RQMC) for the provision of all mandated Specialty Mental Health Services on behalf of Mendocino County. RQMC, functioning as an Administrative Services Organization (ASO), oversees and manages the delivery of Specialty Mental Health Services, both to children and youth, age 24 and younger, and to adults, age 25 and older, through a well-developed coalition of local subcontractors.

Payment for specialty mental health services includes Federal Financial Participation (FFP), a federal portion of funding that is reimbursed by the state after qualifying services have been provided and invoiced. When contracting, FFP amounts must be anticipated, written into a contract, and then adjusted after the state issues payment for qualifying services. The proposed amendment will increase FFP amounts that were conservatively estimated in RQMC's original contract for services to adults, age 25 and older.

Additionally, the proposed amendment transfers provision and management of adult Medication Support Services to RQMC as of January 1, 2018. BHRS had been providing Medication Support Services since July 1, 2016, when the Ortnier Management Group contract ended.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Return to staff for alternative handling.

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

**Fiscal Impact:**

**Source of Funding:** Medi-Cal FFP/1991  
Realignment/MHSA/2011 Realignment

**Current F/Y Cost:** \$7,584,000

**Budgeted in Current F/Y:** Yes

**Annual Recurring Cost:** \$7,584,000

**Supervisory District:** All

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

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

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**CEO Liaison:** Janelle Rau, Deputy CEO

**CEO Review:** Yes

**CEO Comments:**



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Executed By: Meribeth Dermond

Final Status: **Approved**

Date: June 20, 2018

Executed Item No.: **Agreement** Number: 17-041-A1

Note to Department:

Executed Documents Returned to  
Department: Originals 3 Hand Delivered  
yes Executed Agreement Sent to Auditor?  
yes