



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 18-1817, **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 Agreement with Redwood Quality Management Company in the Amount of \$1,100,000 to Provide Mental Health Plan Specialty Mental Health Medication Support Services to Eligible Medi-Cal Beneficiaries in Mendocino County for the Term of July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019

**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Approve Agreement with Redwood Quality Management Company in the amount of \$1,100,000 to provide Mental Health Plan Specialty Mental Health Medication Support Services to eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries in Mendocino County for the term of July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019; authorize the Health and Human Services Agency 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:**

N/A

**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.

Pursuant to the proposed Agreement, RQMC will also maintain responsibility for the provision and management of Medication Support Services for eligible beneficiaries of all ages as mandated by the County's Mental Health Plan. Before July 1, 2016, the date the Ortnier Management Group contract ended, these services were incorporated into two ASO contracts (RQMC for services to children and youth, Ortnier Management Group for services to adults). BHRS assumed responsibility for adult Medication Support Services after the Ortnier contract ended while RQMC assumed responsibility for the remaining adult services. BHRS transferred Adult Medication Support Services to RQMC in January, 2018, midway through the 2017-18 contract. The proposed Agreement consolidates Medication Support Services for all Mendocino County beneficiaries for the 2018-19 fiscal year.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Return to staff for alternative handling.

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

**Fiscal Impact:**

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

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

**Current F/Y Cost:** \$1,100,000

**Annual Recurring Cost:** \$1,100,000

**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: 18-101

**Note to Department:**

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