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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: December 15, 2020
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: **Phebe Bell**
SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of Amendment No. 1 to the contract with California Psychiatric Transitions, Inc. for the provision of Mental Health Rehabilitation Center (MHRC) / Institute for Mental Disease (IMD) Services for Mentally Disordered persons to amend Section 20.3, Audit. (RES. 20-238)

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: These services are mandated. The contract is supported by Behavioral Health's 2011 Realignment funds for Managed Care, Medi-Cal Reimbursement, and 1991 Realignment as needed for referred uninsured indigent clients. There are no county general fund dollars required.

There is no fiscal change in this amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Per Resolution 20-238, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved the contract with California Psychiatric Transitions (CPT), a fully licensed Mental Health Rehabilitation Center. CPT offers inpatient psychiatric treatment and rehabilitation services to seriously mentally ill adults over the age of eighteen. With two on-site psychiatrists and a medical doctor along with a twenty-four hour nursing staff, CPT has the ability to render constant and immediate attention.

Contractor's Main Program is dedicated to addressing specific psychiatric needs of the mental health community as well as developing self-reliant individuals with good communication and social skills. CPT employs a highly structured daily program that allows both developmental growth and self-reliance.

Contractor's Disruptive Behavioral Unit Program provides individuals an intensive therapeutic program that will focus directly on disruptive behaviors. This highly structured program creates an atmosphere that minimizes distraction and focuses on recovery.

Contractor's Diversion Program is designed to serve court ordered diversion and Incompetent to Stand Trial- Penal Code 1370 (IST 1370) individuals. The program goal is to use a structured daily program to allow for competency restoration and diversionary programs. By treating these individuals, Contractor can assess whether or not an individual is competent to stand trial or is in need of further psychiatric evaluation and treatment.

The purpose of this Amendment is at the request of California Psychiatric Transitions, Inc. to revise the Professional Services Agreement, Section 20.3 as they do not meet the definition of a Non-Federal Entity under 2 CFR 200 and are exempt from the audit provisions applicable to such entities.

It is recommended that the Board approve this Amendment to allow for placement for Behavioral Health's most difficult cases to receive these critical services.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Phebe Bell, MSW, Director of Behavioral Health