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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: September 14, 2021

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Phebe Bell

SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of Amendment No. 1 to the agreement with Crestwood Behavioral Health, Inc. for IMD (Institutions for Mental Disease) services including the provision of 24-hour skilled nursing services and special treatment programs for chronic mentally ill clients, as well as, transitional home program services to increase the maximum amount from \$125,000 to \$130,000 (an increase of \$5,000) due to an increased demand in services and revising Exhibit "B" Schedule of Charges and Payments to reflect the increase in the maximum Contract price.(RES 20-215).

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: These services are mandated. IMD and Transitional Home Program Services are supported by Realignment dollars. The contract is within the department's FY 2020/21 budget and is based upon projected anticipated usage needs of County clients. There are no county general fund dollars required in the agreement and no budget amendment is needed.

BACKGROUND: Per Resolution 20-215, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of the Professional Services Agreement for with Crestwood Behavioral Health, Inc. for continuance of 24-hour long-term adult psychiatric care and supervision for referred Nevada County clients. The Contractor provides IMD services including 24-hour skilled nursing services for chronic mentally ill clients, plus provision of special treatment programs as identified under Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations. Crestwood Behavioral Health has been providing mental health care treatment and services in California since 1968. Crestwood offers a range of mental health services for people with chronic and persistent mental disorders and innovative programs focused on helping people transition from residential rehabilitation to independent

community living. The services for Crestwood IMDs and Transitional Homes are bundled in one contract. This contract allows access to various Crestwood facilities including: Sacramento, Redding, Eureka, Modesto, San Jose, Vallejo, Angwin, Sunnyvale, Stockton, Fruitridge, Fremont and to American River Residential Services. Individuals are placed in various facilities and programs depending on specialization of the hospital and the individual's needs.

It is recommended that the Board approve this Amendment No 1 as it allows continuation of essential, mandated services to eligible residents of Nevada County who require 24-hour skilled nursing services for chronic and persistent mental disorders.

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