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FROM: Marvin J. Southard, D.S.W.
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SUBJECT: **AMENDMENTS TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AGREEMENTS**

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director of Mental Health by your Board, this is notification of the execution of 23 amendments to existing Legal Entity (LE) Agreements, Specialized Agreements, and Clinical Assessment programs processed in the month of August, as follows:

1. **Amendment No. 4 (DMH-01556) with Jackson Healthcare Staffing, LLC and Jackson & Coker Locum Tenens, LLC dba Jackson & Coker,** effective April 28, 2006, all of Jackson Healthcare Staffing, LLC rights and responsibilities under Agreement are assigned and delegated to Jackson & Coker Locum Tenens, LLC dba Jackson & Coker.

2. **Amendment No. 9 (DMH-02120) with SHIELDS For Families, Inc.,** increases the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT) Program-County General Funds (CGF) in the amount of $11,889, EPSDT-State General Funds (SGF) in the amount of $53,218, and EPSDT-Federal Financial Participation (FFP) in the amount of $65,107, for a net increase of $130,214, to the Maximum Contract Amount (MCA); and for Fiscal Year (FY) 2005-06, the revised MCA will be $6,174,956.

3. **Amendment No. 9 (DMH-02314) with Hathaway-Sycamore Child and Family Services,** amends Agreement to add the following services for FY 2005-06: Mode 15, Service Function Codes (SFC) 01-09 to Provider Number (PN) 7336; Mode 15, SFC 58 and Mode 45, SFCs 10-19 and 20-29, to PN 7600. Amends Agreement to change the service provision date to effective date of PN 7600 from original date of November 1, 2005, to the new effective date of April 17, 2006.

4. **Amendment No. 3 (DMH-02335) with Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD),** changes the method of reimbursement from Negotiated Rate (NR) to Cost Reimbursement (CR). The Provisional Cost Reimbursement Rates shall remain the same as the former NR for the same Short-Doyle/Medi-Cal (SD/MC) services.

5. **Amendment No. 1 (MH120012) with Childrens Hospital Los Angeles,** adds Department of Children and Family Services' (DCFS) Specialized Foster Care Program funds in the amount of $132,385, EPSDT-FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of $725,000, EPSDT-SGF funds in the amount of $592,615, for a combined total increase of $1,450,000 to the MCA for the Medi-Cal Hub use in the delivery of Enhanced Specialized Foster Care mental health services and for FY 2006-07. The MCA will be increased by $1,450,000 with a revised MCA of $9,508,002.

6. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-120033) with The Help Group Child and Family Center,** requests a new provider number To Be Announced (TBA) at the service delivery site located at 15339 Saticoy Street, Van Nuys, CA 91406.

7. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-120056) with Portals House,** changes the name of the Portals House, Inc., service site identified as Portals House-Wilshire located at 2500 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA 90057, to: Portals House-Wilshire Clubhouse Recovery & Wellness Center located at 2500 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 430, Los Angeles, CA 90057, under existing PN 6814. Changes the service site location of Portals House under PN 7512A, C, to 2500 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 541, Los Angeles, CA, 90057 with the same services and restores SD/MC services to the service site located at 238 S. Rampart, Los Angeles, CA 90057, under existing PN 7160B.

8. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-120111) with National Mental Health Association of Greater Los Angeles,** adds a new PN TBA and a new service site located at 2027 E. 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90804, to initiate a Transitional Age Youth (TAY) Academy and adds Target Case Management, Mental Health Services, Medication Support Services, and Outreach Services.

9. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-120119) with Phoenix Houses of Los Angeles, Inc.,** increases $18,260 in EPSDT-CGF Match funds, increases $100,000 in EPSDT-Medi-Cal FFP revenue, and increases $81,740 in EPSDT-SGF for a combined total increase of $200,000, to the MCA for additional medication support services. For FYs 2006-07 and 2007-08, the MCA will be increased with a revised MCA of $1,865,000.

10. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-120136) with Tarzana Treatment Center, Inc.,** decreases EPSDT-FFP in the amount of $159,500, EPSDT-CGF in the amount of $29,125, and EPSDT-SGF reduction of $130,375, for a total decrease of $319,000 from the MCA with a revised MCA of $506,300.

The following five (5) amendments to LE Agreements (11 to 15) add language to enable contractors to use, on a provisional basis, unspent CGF categorically linked in the LE Agreement as FFP local and/or baseline match ("Match"). This will allow contractors to use on a provisional basis such CGF to pay for uncompensated indigent/uninsured care services pending the State SD/MC Final Settlement to the Fiscal Audit Report for FY 2005-06. There is no change in the MCA.

11. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-02116) with The Rehab Program at PRCC, Inc.**

12. **Amendment No. 4 (DMH-02280) with Cedars-Sinai Medi-Cal Center.**

13. **Amendment No. 7 (DMH-02285) with Childrens Hospital Los Angeles.**

14. **Amendment No. 4 (DMH-02335) with Los Angeles Unified School District.**

15. **Amendment No. 3 (DMH-02373) with United American Indian Involvement, Inc.**

The following four (4) amendments to LE Agreements (16 to 19) allow the provider to be placed on the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Master List.

16. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-140010) with Excelsior Youth Center,** delivers Out of State Child Placement MHSA services.

17. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-160036) with Highland Manor,** delivers housing and residential (excluding Safe Havens Supportive Housing) and Institutions for Mental Disease (IMD) Step Down MHSA services.

18. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-160048) with Sunshine Manor, Inc., dba Sunshine Manor,** delivers housing and residential (excluding Safe Havens Supportive Housing), and IMD Step Down MHSA services.

19. **Amendment No. 1 (MH-190007) with Mental Health Advocacy Services, Inc.,** delivers Bridging and support services, and Benefits establishment and legal advocacy MHSA services.

The following four (4) amendments to LE Agreements (20 to 23) increase the administrative day rate from $296.03 to $374.75 effective August 1, 2005, pursuant to a directive by the California Department of Mental Health mandate and is authorized by Sections 1820.110, 1820.115, and 51542, Title 9, California Code of Regulations.

20. **Amendment No. 3 (DMH-01906) with College Hospital-Cerritos.**

21. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-01908) with Community Hospital of Long Beach.**

22. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01919) with Pacific Hospital of Long Beach.**

23. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01920) with Pacific Hospital of The Valley.**

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