



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Health System



Date: July 22, 2015
Board Meeting Date: September 1, 2015
Special Notice / Hearing: None
Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Louise Rogers, Chief, Health System
SaraT L. Mayer, Director, Public Health, Policy and Planning

Subject: Agreement with the AIDS Community Research Consortium to provide a Food Program

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a resolution authorizing an agreement with the AIDS Community Research Consortium to provide a food program for the term of March 1, 2015 through February 29, 2016, in an amount not to exceed \$115,000.

BACKGROUND:

The San Mateo County STD/HIV Program (SMSH) has received federal funding through the City and County of San Francisco (CCSF) for food services. Since 1988, SMSH has contracted with the AIDS Community Research Consortium (ACRC) to provide food services to San Mateo County residents affected by HIV/AIDS. The food program has made it easier for numerous HIV/AIDS clients to obtain proper nutrition, maintain stable and healthier lifestyles, and adhere to increasingly complex medication regimens.

DISCUSSION:

A request for proposals for food services was released in December 2013. ACRC was selected to provide these services by the review committee. Under this agreement, ACRC will provide nutrition education and 9,175 bags of groceries to SMSH clients.

Delays in the authorization of federal funding prevented CCSF from sending SMSH a formal grant notice until mid-July 2015.

The resolution contains the County's standard provisions allowing amendment of the County's fiscal obligations by a maximum of \$25,000 (in aggregate).

The agreement and resolution have been reviewed and approved by County Counsel as to form. This agreement is on the Continuing Resolution.

The agreement contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Healthy Community by providing HIV prevention services to individuals affected by HIV/AIDS. It is anticipated that 96% of HIV-positive clients receiving food services will improve their nutrition and their quality of life.

PERFORMANCE MEASURE(S):

Measure	FY 2014-15 Actual	FY 2015-16 Projected
Percentage of clients who reported improved nutrition due to the receipt of food services provided.	95% 157 clients	96% 155 clients

FISCAL IMPACT:

The term of the agreement is March 1, 2015 through February 29, 2016. The amount of the agreement is \$115,000, of which \$33,333 is included in the Public Health, Policy and Planning (PHPP) FY 2014-15 Adopted Budget and \$81,667 will be included in the PHPP FY 2015-16 Recommended Budget. There is no net county cost associated with this agreement.