



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
Health System



**Date:** April 29, 2016  
**Board Meeting Date:** June 7, 2016  
**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Louise Rogers, Chief, Health System  
Chester Kunnappilly, MD, Interim Chief Executive Officer, San Mateo Medical Center

**Subject:** Agreement with Community Gatepath and Acceptance of Grant Funds to Implement the Watch Me Grow, First 5 program at the Fair Oaks Health Center

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a resolution authorizing an agreement with Community Gatepath and accepting grant funding to implement the Watch Me Grow, First 5 San Mateo Special Needs Initiative at the Fair Oaks Health Center for the term of July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018, in an amount not to exceed \$55,925.

**BACKGROUND:**

Community Gatepath is the lead agency and fiscal agent for the Watch Me Grow (WMG) program in San Mateo County. Community Gatepath contracts with various agencies to promote WMG throughout San Mateo County.

**DISCUSSION:**

Fair Oaks Health Center (FOHC) has been selected by Community Gatepath to receive funds to promote WMG's First 5 San Mateo Special Needs Initiative at FOHC for children with special needs. WMG / First 5 supports children and families through care coordination and timely assessment and access to services. The agreement outlines goals that ensure that patients are getting the right care at the right place at the right time. This agreement is being sent to your Board after commencement of the grant period term due to prolonged legal counsel review and negotiations.

The agreement and Resolution have been reviewed and approved by County Counsel as to form.

This agreement contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 of a Healthy community by offering care coordination and timely access to health services for young children with special needs. It is anticipated that approximately 1,000 children will receive primary developmental screening under this agreement.

**PERFORMANCE MEASURE:**

<b>Measure</b>	<b>FY 2014-15 Actual</b>	<b>FY 2015-16 Projected</b>
Approximate number of children who will receive primary developmental screening	N/A*	Approximately 1,000 children

New Measure\*

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This three year grant is for \$55,925 beginning July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018. Funds in the amount \$18,641 are included in the SMMC FY 2015-16 Adopted Budget. Funds in the amount of \$18,642 are included in the FY 2016-17 Recommended Budget. Similar arrangements will be made for future budget years. Since this is a grant to the County, no Net County Cost is associated with this agreement.