

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

Inter-Departmental Correspondence Health System



Date: May 16, 2013

Board Meeting Date: June 18, 2013

Special Notice / Hearing: None Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: Jean S. Fraser, Chief, Health System

SaraT L. Mayer, Director, Public Health and Policy Planning

Subject: Amendment A01 to Agreement 11-10059 with the California Department of

Public Health

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution authorizing an amendment to the agreement with the California Department of Public Health to provide sexually transmitted disease prevention and control services, extending the term through June 30, 2015, and increasing the amount by \$63,446 to an amount not to exceed \$145,046.

BACKGROUND:

Since 2005, the California Department of Public Health, Sexually Transmitted Diseases Control Branch (CDPH) has made funding available through the Chlamydia Screening and the Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) Community Interventions Projects. The purpose of these projects is to increase Chlamydia and other STD awareness and prevention, with special emphasis on at-risk youth populations. Chlamydia is the most frequently reported infectious disease in San Mateo County. In 2012, 1,780 cases of Chlamydia were reported to the San Mateo County Health System. Adolescents and young adults have the highest rates of Chlamydia, which can result in pelvic inflammatory disease, infertility, conjunctivitis and pneumonia in newborns of infected mothers, and increase the risk of sexually transmitted HIV infection.

DISCUSSION:

On November 9, 2011, the County Manager approved agreement 62000-12-C084 in the amount of \$81,600 with CDPH to provide sexually transmitted disease prevention and control services, for the period of July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2013.

Amendment A01 increases funding by \$63,446 and extends the term of the agreement by 2 years to June 30, 2015. These funds are designated to enhance the capacity of local health jurisdictions in planning and prevention of STDs. Services will target individuals at high-risk for Chlamydia, gonorrhea, and/or infectious syphilis, and will

incorporate various activities including outreach, awareness, education, counseling, testing, treatment, surveillance, partner services and reporting.

The San Mateo STD/HIV Program (SMSH) requests your Board to authorize the Chief of the Health System or designee to execute contract amendments which modify the County's maximum fiscal obligation by no more than \$25,000 (in aggregate), and/or modify the contract term and/or services so long as the modified term or services is/are within the current or revised fiscal provisions.

The Contract Compliance Committee has approved a waiver request to allow (SMSH) to continue providing STD services under a CDPH agreement which extends beyond three years for a four-year term.

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

Approval of this agreement contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Healthy Community by providing disease prevention and control services. It is anticipated that the sexually transmitted disease prevention and control services provided will enable 87% of clients to improve their knowledge of sexually transmitted diseases.

PERFORMANCE MEASURE(S):

Measure	FY 2012-13 Estimated*	FY 2013-14 Projected
Percentage of clients who reported	N/A	87%
that receiving education and testing		
services improved their knowledge of		
sexually transmitted diseases.		

^{*}New performance measure

FISCAL IMPACT:

The term of the agreement is July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2015. The amount of the agreement was \$81,600. Amendment A01 adds \$63,446, for a new total of \$145,046. Funds in the amount of \$31,723 will be included in the Public Health FY 2013-14 Recommended Budget. Similar arrangements will be made for future budget years. There is no Net County Cost.