



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
County Manager's Office



**Date:** October 7, 2016  
**Board Meeting Date:** October 18, 2016  
**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Mike Callagy, Assistant County Manager  
Louise Rogers, Chief of the Health System

**Subject:** Resolution Authorizing an Amendment to the Agreement with Health Management Associates, Inc.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a resolution authorizing an amendment to the agreement with Health Management Associates, Inc. to provide mental health continuum of care services, increase the Agreement amount by \$17,000, to an amount not to exceed \$104,000, and extend the Agreement's term to November 30, 2016.

**BACKGROUND:**

On January 25, 2016, the County entered into an agreement (i.e., Agreement Number 12000-16-D008) with Health Management Associates, Inc. (HMA) for the purpose of helping the County review and build best practices for its entire correctional system, especially in the delivery of medical, dental, mental health, alcohol and drug, and food services for adult inmates and food services for youth in juvenile detention. The Agreement was first amended on May 25, 2016 in order to extend the Agreement term's end date from May 31, 2016 to July 29, 2016, to add deliverables, including, but not limited to, deliverables related to considerations for an inpatient psychiatric unit. The maximum amount of the Agreement did not increase when the Agreement was first amended. The Agreement was amended again on July 29, 2016 in order to extend the Agreement term's end date from July 29, 2016 to August 31, 2016. Once again, the maximum amount of the Agreement did not increase when the Agreement was amended a second time.

**DISCUSSION:**

Since January 2016, when Santa Clara County terminated the contract held by Correctional Health to provide inpatient psychiatric treatment for inmates, two Mental Health Pods have been developed within the Sheriff's Office Maguire and Maple Street Correctional facilities. The on-site pods focus on inmates with psychiatric needs who require more intensive treatment than can be given on a general population pod.

While the aforementioned inpatient treatment pods provide more concentrated care and monitoring, there is a need for additional consultation from Health Management Associates to identify options for long-term solutions for acutely psychotic inmates who refuse mental health treatment, meet Lanterman Petris Short (LPS) criteria for involuntary treatment, and require such treatment in order to improve. HMA, in collaboration with Correctional Health Services, will develop options for models of care, staffing plans, and clinical case scenarios for the mental health continuum at the adult correctional facilities that will include services in general population, mental health pods, a sub-acute level of psychiatric care, and an acute inpatient level of care that conforms to the conditions of the LPS requirements for providing involuntary mental health services.

The Health System may bring additional recommendations related to Correctional Health Services to the Board as a result of this consultation.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the resolution as to form.

Approval of this amendment contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Collaborative and Healthy Community by responsively providing mental health continuum of care services to those in correctional facilities.

**PERFORMANCE MEASURE:**

Measure	FY 2015-16 Actual	FY 2016-17 Projected
Percent of mentally ill inmates who will participate in the development of their treatment plans.	N/A	50%
Percent of mentally ill inmates that will accomplish 50% of their goals in the treatment plans.	N/A	40%

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The maximum amount to be paid under this amendment is \$17,000, bringing the maximum agreement amount to \$104,000 for the term January 25, 2016 to November 30, 2016. The County Manager's Office has managed Agreement Number 12000-16-D008 and agreed that the services provided by HMA will be funded by Non-Departmental Services. There are sufficient funds appropriated in the Non-Departmental Services FY 2016-17 Adopted Budget for this purpose.