

October 8, 2015

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Board of Commissioners
 Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Approval of Amendment No. 1 to an Agency Service Contract with
 Cascadia Behavioral Healthcare for
Assertive Community Treatment Programs

Purpose/Outcomes	Amendment #1 to contract that provides Assertive Community Treatment programs for people who are Oregon Health Plan (OHP) member's capitated to Clackamas County.
Dollar Amount and Fiscal Impact	Amendment #1 adds \$145,000.00 to the contract which brings the contract maximum to \$725,000.000
Funding Source	Oregon Health Authority - no County General Funds are involved.
Safety Impact	None
Duration	Effective July 1, 2015 and terminates on June 30, 2016
Previous Board Action	The original agreement was approved by the Board of County Commissioners on August 6, 2015 - agenda item 062615-4A18
Contact Person	Mary Rumbaugh, Interim Director- Behavioral Health Division 742-5305
Contract No.	7216

BACKGROUND:

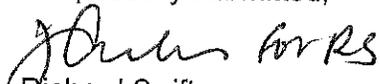
The Behavioral Health Division of the Health, Housing & Human Services Department requests the approval of Amendment #1 to the Agency Service Contract with Cascadia Behavioral Healthcare for Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) programs. ACT programs are for adults who have not responded well to traditional outpatient mental health services. Services include assessments, psychiatric services, case management, employment and housing assistance, family support and education, substance abuse services, etc. for persons enrolled in services through Clackamas County Behavioral Health Division. The Behavioral Health Division has partnered with Cascadia Behavioral Healthcare for behavioral health services since 2007. This contract is a continuation of these services.

This amendment adds \$145,000.00 to the contract to accurately reflect the increased number of beds added to the original contract. The total amended maximum is \$725,000. The amendment is effective July 1, 2015 and continues through June 30, 2016. County Counsel has reviewed and approved this agreement as part of the H3S contract standardization project.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board approval of this contract and authorizes Richard Swift, H3S Director to sign on behalf of Clackamas County.

Respectfully submitted,


 Richard Swift

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AGENCY shall be responsible for maintaining records in such a manner so as to ensure that all moneys collected from third-party resources on behalf of clients may be identified and reported to COUNTY on an individual client basis. AGENCY shall make these records available for audit and review consistent with the provisions upon request.

If AGENCY has knowledge that a client has third-party health insurance or health benefits, or that either client or AGENCY is entitled to payment by a third party, AGENCY shall immediately so advise COUNTY.

Pursuant to OAR 410-141-3160, "Integration and Care Coordination", COUNTY reserves the right to coordinate benefits with other health plans, insurance carriers, and government agencies. COUNTY may release medical information to such other parties as necessary to accomplish the coordination of benefits in conformity with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) 45 CFR 164 and 42 CFR Part 2. Coordination of benefits shall not result in compensation in excess of the amount determined by this agreement, except where State laws or regulations require the contrary.

d. Encounter Data

AGENCY shall submit to COUNTY accurate and complete encounter data in the form of a CMS 1500 claim form for each contact with a client. To encounter data and receive payment, when applicable, AGENCY shall submit a CMS 1500 claim form to COUNTY's Third Party Administrator, Performance Health Technology Ltd (PH Tech). AGENCY shall use its best efforts to supply encounter data once a month, and shall in all cases, supply encounter data no later than 120 calendar days after a contact with a client in accordance with OAR 410-141-3420, "Billing and Payment". Each encounter claim shall include such information as required in the Health Share of Oregon/Clackamas Risk Accepting Entity Participation Agreement and meet specifications as a Valid Claim. AGENCY shall use the most current DSM Multi-Axial Classification System. DSM codes shall be reported at the highest level of specificity. Claims may be submitted to PH Tech in either paper or electronic format.

PH Tech shall pay AGENCY on behalf of COUNTY, by the 45th business day after a valid claim is received, fee-for-service payments as specified in section 1 above. COUNTY shall have no obligation to make payment to AGENCY if AGENCY fails to obtain a valid authorization to provide services, fails to verify eligibility for Covered Services and the individual is not an eligible client on the date of service, or if the services provided are not Covered Services. The timely filing requirement is extended to 12 months when there is a Third Party Resource as the primary payor and to 12 months when Medicare is primary. To be considered for payment, claims resubmission requests submitted by AGENCY must be received by PH Tech within 120 days of the date of the first denial.

e. Non-Covered Services

AGENCY shall follow OAR 410-141-3420, "Billing and Payment", when submitting encounters for services provided to OHP Members that are not Covered Services.

f. Payment in Full

Except as expressly provided below, payments to AGENCY made by COUNTY for services provided under the terms of this agreement shall constitute payment in full. OAR 410-141-3420, "Billing and Payment", AGENCY shall not bill, charge, seek compensation, remuneration or reimbursement from, or have any recourse against OHA or any client for services contracted hereunder, either during the term of this agreement or at any time later, even if COUNTY

becomes insolvent. This provision shall not prohibit collection for non-covered services that may be the responsibility of the client or any permitted co-pays, co-insurance, deductibles or any other cost sharing, if any and as applicable. AGENCY may bill and collect separately for those costs which are lawfully the responsibility of the client. When combined with all sources of payment, COUNTY's payment to AGENCY shall not exceed the reimbursement amount in effect as of the date of service.

g. Overpayments

Any payments made by COUNTY to which AGENCY is not entitled under the terms of this agreement shall be considered an overpayment and shall be refunded by AGENCY within thirty (30) calendar days of the discovery, in accordance with OAR-410-120-1280, "Billing" and OAR 410-120-1397, "Recovery of Overpayments to Providers – Recoupments and Refunds". AGENCY must not seek payment from clients for any covered services, except any coinsurance, co-payments, and deductibles expressly authorized by OAR-410-120 or OAR-410-141. A client cannot be billed for services or treatment that have been denied due to provider error (e.g. required documentation not submitted, prior authorization not obtained, non-covered diagnosis, etc.).

TO READ:

4. Encounter Submissions

a. Usual and Customary Charges

AGENCY shall bill COUNTY according to their Usual and Customary fee schedule. AGENCY shall base their Usual and Customary charges on a cost study that is updated annually.

b. Compensation

AGENCY shall be reimbursed at the COUNTY reimbursement rates in effect as of the date of service or billed charges, whichever is less.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this amendment to be executed by their duly authorized officers.

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Signing on Behalf of the Board:

Richard Swift, Director
Health, Housing and Human Services Department

Date

