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**Sent:** Wednesday, December 21, 2011 10:16 AM  
**To:** 'Mike Escaname'  
**Cc:** eddie.olivarez@hchd.org  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Review - HCHHS & United HealthCare Provider Services Agreement

Mike,

I have reviewed and approved as to the form of the agreement.

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**Cc:** eddie.olivarez@hchd.org  
**Subject:** Request for Review - HCHHS & United HealthCare Provider Services Agreement

Good morning Josephine,

Attached, please find a Provider Service Agreement that we will be presenting to Commissioner's Court  
on Tuesday, **January 3, 2012.**

I am forwarding it to you for review and approval as the Auditor's Office is requesting legal documents  
be reviewed.

There is no cost to the County as United Healthcare is part of an HMO under Medicaid and we have to be enrolled with them to be able to bill United Healthcare for the health services provided by our County Clinics and that are billable to Medicaid.

We'd appreciate if you can review and provide an "approval" if you conclude the document is in order.

Let Mr. Olivarez or me know if you have any questions.

Have a great and safe holiday!

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