

**PROCLAMATION DECLARING MAY 2015 AS
NATIONAL CHILDREN’S MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH**

WHEREAS, addressing the complex mental health needs of children, youth and families today is fundamental to the future of the Rio Grande Valley; and

WHEREAS, the need for comprehensive, coordinated mental health services for children, youth and families places upon our community a critical responsibility; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that a month should be set apart each year for the direction of our thoughts toward our children’s mental health and wellbeing; and

WHEREAS, Tropical Texas Behavioral Health, through its unique approach to serving children and adolescents, is effectively caring for the mental health needs of children, youth, and families in our community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Hidalgo County Commissioners Court hereby proclaims May 2015 as Children’s Mental Health Awareness Month and urges our citizens, agencies and organizations interested in meeting every child’s mental health needs to unite in the observance of such exercises as will acquaint the people of Hidalgo County with the fundamental necessity of a year-round program for children and youth with mental health needs and their families.

Dated this 5th day of May, 2015.

RAMON GARCIA
County Judge

A.C. CUELLAR, JR.
County Commissioner, Pct. 1

EDUARDO “EDDIE” CANTU
County Commissioner, Pct. 2

JOE M. FLORES
County Commissioner, Pct. 3

JOSEPH PALACIOS
County Commissioner, Pct. 4

Attest: ARTURO GUAJARDO, JR.
County Clerk