

- 1. EXEMPTION FROM COMPETITIVE BIDDING**
- 2. RESPONSES RECEIVED**
- 3. NEGOTIATE CONTRACTS**



Hidalgo County Head Start Program Policy Council Agenda

DATE: June 21, 2017

SUBJECT:

1. Requesting Exemption from Competitive Bidding Under the Texas Local Government Code 262.024 for Professional Services to Provide Medical & Dental, Mental Health Services, and Speech Interpreting Services
2. Presentation of Responses Received for the purpose of Commissioner’s Court Accepting the Providers as “Qualified” in Order to Proceed to the Next Phase of the Procurement Process-Negotiating Contracts:

A. Medical & Dental RFQ # 2017-002-04-28

1. Nuestra Clinica Del Valle, Inc. (Medical/Dental)
2. Dr. Bose, Industrial and Family Medicine, PLLC/dba, Industrial Health Works
3. Ashley Pediatric Day & Night Clinic

B. Mental Health RFQ #2017-003-04-28

1. Amando O. Gonzalez
2. Therapy Express Children’s Rehabilitation Center, LLC.

C. Speech Interpreting Services RFQ #2017-004-04-28

1. Amy Jane Hermansen, dba Sign Language Services
2. Sign Language Interpreters, LLC

3. Approval for Head Start to Negotiate Contracts (in a form approved by Legal Counsel) for all the Professional Service Providers as Requested through the Hidalgo County Head Start Program’s RFQ for said Services and as Detailed Above Attached Hereto.

RATIONALE/NEED: Administration needs to obtain services for all Head Start children for the new school year.

RECOMMENDATION: Administration recommends approval

COST: Head Start funds are available.

RELATED INFORMATION INCLUDED: Memo/Grading-Scoring/Contract

INITIATED BY: Ambrosio Tovar, Procurement Director

REVIEWED BY: Mr. Edmundo Garcia, Assistant Director

PROGRAM DIRECTOR’S APPROVAL:

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[Handwritten signature: Edmundo Garcia]
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Hidalgo County Head Start Program
MEDICAL HEALTH PROVIDERS
RFQ No 2017-003-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale for Points: <u>Nuestra Clinica Del Valle is licensed and able to provide comprehensive health services.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Nuestra Clinica Del Valle is established and a community resource.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Nuestra Clinica Del Valle always collaborates with us.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Nuestra Clinica Del Valle understands what services our children need.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Nuestra Clinica Del Valle is familiar with our rules and regulations.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Nuestra Clinica Del Valle - Medical
Evaluator(s): Alma Honey RD,BSW Date: 05/24/2017

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
MEDICAL AND DENTAL
C-17-002-08-01-A**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (The “**Contract**”) is made effective the 1st day of **August, 2017** by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “**Program**”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Nuestra Clinica Del Valle, Inc.** (hereinafter “**Provider**”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, **Program** requires certain services which **Provider** is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “**Services**”);

WHEREAS, the **Provider** has agreed to provide the **Services** enumerated in this **Contract** for the **Program**;

WHEREAS, the **Program** is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of **Services** to the participants of the **Program**;

WHEREAS, **Program** participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the **Provider**;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for an additional one year on the same terms and condition if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
- 2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
- 3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review

services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Lucy Ramirez-Torres
Nuestra Clinica del Valle, Inc.
P.O. BOX 1689
Pharr, TX 78577

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as negotiated by the parties. If the **Program** elects to extend

this **Contract, Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.

- G. **No amendment**, modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.
- H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only**. In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).
- I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.
- J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.
- K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in

HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.

M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Nuestra Clinica del Valle, Inc.

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM

This Business Associate Addendum (“Addendum”) is a part of the Contract effective as of August 1, 2017 between Nuestra Clinica del Valle, Inc. (the “Provider”) and the Hidalgo County Head Start Program (the “Program”). For purposes of this Addendum the Program is referred to as “Covered Entity” or “CE” and the Provider is referred to as “Associate”. Unless the context clearly requires a distinction between the Contract document and this Addendum, all references herein to “the Contract” or “this Contract” include this Addendum.

RECITALS

- A. CE wishes to disclose certain information to Associate pursuant to the terms of the Contract, some of which may constitute Protected Health Information (“PHI”) (defined below).
- B. CE and Associate intend to protect the privacy and provide for the security of PHI disclosed to Associate pursuant to this Contract in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 1320d-1320d-8 (“HIPAA”) as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (“ARRA”)/HITECH Act (P.L. 111-005), and its implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 (the “Privacy Rule”) and other applicable laws, as amended.
- C. As part of the HIPAA regulations, the Privacy Rule requires CE to enter into a contract containing specific requirements with Associate prior to the disclosure of PHI, as set forth in, but not limited to, Title 45, Sections 160.103, 164.502(e) and 164.504 (e) of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R”) and contained in this Addendum.

The parties agree as follows:

- 1. Definitions.
 - a. Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Addendum shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended. In the event of any conflict between the mandatory provisions of the Privacy Rule and the provisions of this Contract, the Privacy Rule shall control. Where the provisions of this Contract differ from those mandated by the Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Contract shall control.
 - b. “Protected Health Information” or “PHI”. means any information, whether oral or recorded in any form or medium: (i) that relates to the past, present or future

physical or mental condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (ii) that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual, and shall have the meaning given to such term under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Section 164.501.

- c. "Protected Information" shall mean PHI provided by CE to Associate or created or received by Associate on CE's behalf. To the extent Associate is a covered entity under HIPAA and creates or obtains its own PHI for treatment, payment and health care operations, Protected Information under this Contract does not include any PHI created or obtained by Associate as a covered entity and Associate shall follow its own policies and procedures for accounting, access and amendment of Associate's PHI

2. Obligations of Associate.

- a. Permitted Uses. Associate shall not use Protected Information except for the purpose of performing Associate's obligations under this Contract and as permitted under this Addendum. Further, Associate shall not use Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if so used by CE, except that Associate may use Protected Information: (i) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (ii) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Associate; or (iii) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE. Additional provisions, if any, governing permitted uses of Protected Information are set forth in Attachment A to this Addendum. Associate accepts full responsibility for any penalties incurred as a result of Associate's breach of the Privacy Rule.
- b. Permitted Disclosures. Associate shall not disclose Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if disclosed by CE, except that Associate may disclose Protected Information: (i) in a manner permitted pursuant to this Contract; (ii) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (iii) as required by law; (iv) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE; or (v) to report violations of law to appropriate federal or state authorities, consistent with 45 C.F.R. Section 164,502(j)(l). To the extent that Associate discloses
- c. Appropriate Safeguards. Associate shall implement appropriate safeguards as are necessary to prevent the use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as permitted by this Contract. Associate shall comply with the requirements of the Security Rules, 164.308, 164.310, 164.312, and 164.316. Associate shall maintain a comprehensive written information privacy and security program that includes

administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the size and complexity of the Associate's operations and the nature and scope of its activities.

- d. Reporting of Improper Use or Disclosure. Associate shall report to CE in writing any use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as provided for by this Contract within five (5) business days of becoming aware of such use or disclosure.
- e. Associate's Agents. If Associate uses one or more subcontractors or agents to provide services under the Contract, and such subcontractors or agents receive or have access to Protected Information, each subcontractor or agent shall sign an Contract with Associate containing substantially the same provisions as this Addendum and further identifying CE as a third party beneficiary with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such subcontractors or agents in the event of any violation of such subcontractor or agent Contract. Associate shall implement and maintain sanctions against agents and subcontractors that violate such restrictions and conditions and shall mitigate the effects of any such violation.
- f. Access to Protected Information. Associate shall make Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors in Designated Record Sets available to CE for inspection and copying within ten (10) business days of a request by CE to enable CE to fulfill its obligations to permit individual access to PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45, C.F.R. Section 164.524.
- g. Amendment of PHI. Within ten business (10) days of receipt of a request from CE for an amendment of Protected Information or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall make such Protected Information available to CE for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable CE to fulfill its obligations with respect to requests by individuals to amend their PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.526. If any individual requests an amendment of Protected Information directly from Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate must notify CE in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of the request. Any denial of amendment of Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall be the responsibility of CE.
- h. Accounting Rights. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a request for an accounting of disclosures of Protected Information, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall make available to CE the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to enable CE to fulfill its obligations under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528. As set forth in, and as limited by 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528, Associate shall not provide an accounting to CE of disclosures: (i) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.506;(ii) individuals of Protected Information about them as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.502; (iii) pursuant to an authorization as

provided in 45 C. F. R. Section 164.508; (iv) to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.510; (v) for national security or intelligence purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512(k)(2); (vi) to correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512 (k)(5); (vii) incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted by the Privacy Rule; (viii) as part of a limited data set under 45 C.F. R. Section 164.514(e); or (ix) disclosures prior to April 14, 2003. Associate agrees to implement a process that allows for an accounting to be collected and maintained by Associate and its agents or subcontractors for at least six (6) years prior to the request, but not before the compliance date of the Privacy Rule. At a minimum, such information shall include: (i) the date of disclosure; (ii) the name of the entity or person who received Protected Information and, if known, the address of the entity or person; (iii) a brief description of Protected Information disclosed; and (iv) a brief statement of purpose of the disclosure that reasonably informs the individual of the basis for the disclosure, or a copy of the individual's authorization, or a copy of the written request for disclosure. In the event that the request for an accounting is delivered directly to Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate shall within five (5) business days of the receipt of the request forward it to CE in writing. It shall be CE's responsibility to prepare and deliver any such accounting requested. Associate shall not disclose any Protected Information except as set forth in Section 2(b) of this Addendum.

- i. **Governmental Access to Records.** Associate shall make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Information available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"), in a time and manner designated by the Secretary, for purposes of determining CE's compliance with the Privacy Rule. Associate shall provide to CE a copy of any Protected Information that Associate provides to the Secretary concurrently with providing such Protected Information to the Secretary.
- j. **Minimum Necessary.** Associate (and its agents or subcontractors) shall only request, use and disclose the minimum amount of Protected Information necessary to accomplish the purpose of the request, use or disclosure, in accordance with the Minimum Necessary requirements of the Privacy Rule including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Sections 164.502(b) and 164.514 (d).
- k. **Data Ownership.** Associate acknowledges that Associate has no ownership rights with respect to the protected Information.
- l. **Retention of Protected Information.** Except upon termination of the Contract as provided in Section 4(d) of this Addendum, Associate and its subcontractors or agents shall retain all Protected Information throughout the term of this Contract and shall continue to maintain the information required under Section 2(h) of this Addendum for a period of six (6) years.

- m. Associate Insurance. Associate shall maintain casualty and liability insurance to cover loss of PHI data and claims based upon alleged violations of privacy rights through improper use or disclosure of PHI. All such policies shall meet or exceed the minimum insurance requirements of the Contract (e.g. occurrence basis, combined single dollar limits, annual aggregate dollar limits, additional insured status and notice of cancellation).
- n. Notification of Breach. During the term of this Contract, Associate shall notify CE within two business days of any suspected or actual breach of security, intrusion unauthorized use or disclosure of PHI and/or any actual or suspected use or disclosure of data in violation of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI has been, or is reasonably believed to have been accessed, acquired or disclosed during the breach. Associate shall take (i) prompt corrective action to cure any such deficiencies and (ii) any action pertaining to such unauthorized disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- o. Audits, Inspection and Enforcement. Within ten (10) business days of a written request by CE, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall allow CE to conduct a reasonable inspection of the facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Information pursuant to this Addendum for the purpose of determining whether Associate has complied with this Addendum; provided however, that: (i) Associate and CE shall mutually agree in advance upon the scope, timing and location of such an inspection; (ii) CE shall protect the confidentiality of all confidential and proprietary information of Associate to which CE has access during the course of such inspection; and (iii) CE shall execute a nondisclosure Contract, upon terms mutually agreed upon by the parties, if requested by Associate. The fact that CE inspects, or fails to inspect, or has the right to inspect, Associate's facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures does not relieve Associate of its responsibility to comply with this Addendum, nor does CE's (i) failure to detect or (ii) detection, but failure to notify Associate or require Associate's remediation of any unsatisfactory practices, constitute acceptance of such practice or waiver of CE's enforcement rights under the Contract.
- p. Safeguards During Transmission. Associate shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Information transmitted to CE pursuant to the Contract, in accordance with the standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such Protected Information is received by CE, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.

- q. Restrictions and Confidential Communications. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a restriction upon uses or disclosures or request for confidential communications pursuant to 45 C.F.R. 164.522, Associate will restrict the use or disclosure of an individual's Protected Information, provided Associate has agreed to such a restriction. Associate will not respond directly to an individual's requests to restrict the use or disclosure of Protected Information or to send all communication of Protected Information to an alternate address. Associate will refer such requests to the CE so that the CE can coordinate and prepare a timely response to the requesting individual and provide direction to Associate.

3. Obligations of CE.

- a. Safeguards During Transmission. CE shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of PHI transmitted to Associate pursuant to this Contract, in accordance with standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such PHI is received by Associate, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.
- b. Notice of Changes. CE shall provide Associate with a copy of its notice of privacy practices produced in accordance with 45 C.F.R Section 164.520, as well as any subsequent changes or limitation(s) to such notice, to the extent such changes or limitations may affect Associate's use or disclosure of Protected Information. CE shall provide Associate with any changes in, or revocation of, permission to use or disclose Protected Information, to the extent it may affect Associate's permitted use or disclosure of PHI, CE shall notify Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of Protected Information that CE has agreed to in accordance with 45 C.F.R. Section 164.522. CE may effectuate any and all such notices of non-private information via posting on CE's website. Associate shall review CE's designated website for notice of changes to CE's HIPAA privacy policies and practices on the last day of each calendar quarter.

4. Termination.

- a. Material Breach. In addition to any other provisions in the Contract regarding breach, a breach by Associate of any provision of this Addendum, as determined by CE, shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall provide grounds for immediate termination of this Contract by CE pursuant to the provisions of the Contract covering termination for cause, if any. If the Contract contains no express provisions regarding termination for cause, the following terms and conditions shall apply:
 - (1) Default. If Associate refuses or fails to timely perform any of the provisions of this Contract, CE may notify Associate in writing of the non-performance, and if not promptly corrected within the time specified, CE may terminate

this Contract. Associate shall continue performance of this Contract to the extent it is not terminated and shall be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods or services elsewhere.

- (2) Associate's Duties. Notwithstanding termination of this Contract, and subject to any directions from CE, Associate shall take timely, reasonable and necessary action to protect and preserve property in the possession of Associate in which CE has an interest.
 - (3) Compensation. Payment for completed supplies delivered and accepted by CE shall be at the Contract price. In the event of a material breach under paragraph 4a, CE may withhold amounts due Associate as CE deems necessary to protect CE against loss from third party claims of improper use or disclosure and to reimburse CE for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods and services elsewhere.
 - (4) Erroneous Termination for Default. If after such termination it is determined, for any reason, that Associate was not in default, or that Associate's action/inaction was excusable, such termination shall be treated as a termination for convenience, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if this Contract had been terminated for convenience, as described in this Contract.
- b. Reasonable Steps to Cure Breach. If CE Knows of a pattern of activity or practice of Associate that constitutes a material breach or violation of the Associate's obligations under the provisions of this Addendum or another arrangement and does not terminate this Contract pursuant to Section 4(a), then CE shall take reasonable steps to cure such breach or end such violation, as applicable. If CE's efforts to cure such breach or end such violation are unsuccessful, CE shall either (i) terminate the Contract, if feasible or (ii) if termination of this Contract is not feasible, CE shall report Associate's breach or violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.
- c. Judicial or Administrative Proceedings. Either party may terminate the Contract, effective immediately, if (i) the other party is named as a defendant in a criminal proceeding for a violation of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws or (ii) a finding or stipulation that the other party has violated any standard or requirement of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws is made in any administrative or civil proceeding in which the party has been joined.

d. Effective of Termination.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, upon termination of this Contract, for any reason, Associate shall return or destroy all Protected Information that Associate or its agents or subcontractors still maintain in any form, and shall retain no copies of such Protected Information. If Associate elects to destroy the PHI, Associate shall certify in writing to CE that such PHI has been destroyed.
 - (2) If Associate believes that returning or destroying the Protected Information is not feasible, Associate shall promptly provide CE notice of the conditions making return or destruction infeasible. Upon mutual Contract of CE and Associate that return or destruction of Protected Information is infeasible, Associate shall continue to extend the protections of Sections 2(a)2(b), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) of this Addendum to such information and shall limit further use of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction of such PHI infeasible.
5. Injunctive Relief. CE shall have the right to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief against Associate or any of its subcontractors or agents in the event of any use or disclosure of Protected Information in violation of this Contract or applicable law.
6. No waiver of Immunity. No term or condition of this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, CRS 24-10-101 *et seq.* or the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2671 *et seq.* as applicable, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
7. Limitation of Liability. Any limitation of Associate's liability in the Contract shall be inapplicable to the terms and conditions of this Addendum.
8. Disclaimer. CE makes no warranty or representation that compliance by Associate with this Contract, HIPAA or the HIPAA Regulations will be adequate or satisfactory for Associate's own purposes. Associate is solely responsible for all decisions made by Associate regarding the safeguarding of PHI.
9. Certification. To the extent that CE determines an examination is necessary in order to comply with CE's legal obligations pursuant to HIPAA relating to certification of its security practices, CE or its authorized agents or contractors, may, at CE's expense, examine Associate's facilities, systems, procedures and records as may be necessary for such agents or contractors to certify to CE the extent to which Associate's security safeguards comply with HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or this Addendum.

10. Amendment.

- a. Amendment to Comply with Law. The parties acknowledge that state and federal laws relating to data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this Addendum may be required to provide for procedures to ensure compliance with such developments. The parties specifically agree to take such action as is necessary to implement the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule, the final HIPAA Security regulations at 68 Fed. Reg. 8334 (Feb 20, 2003), 45 C.F.R. § 164.314 and other applicable laws relating to the security or privacy of PHI. The parties understand and agree that CE must receive satisfactory written assurance from Associate that Associate will adequately safeguard all Protected Information. Upon the request of either party, the other party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning the terms of an amendment to this Addendum embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other applicable laws. CE may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice in the event (i) Associate does not promptly enter into negotiations to amend this Contract when requested by CE pursuant to this Section or (ii) Associate does not enter into an amendment to this Contract providing assurances regarding the safeguarding of PHI that CE, in its sole discretion, deems sufficient to satisfy the standards and requirements of HIPAA and the Privacy Rule.
- b. Amendment of Attachment A. Attachment A may be modified or amended by mutual Contract of the parties in writing from time to time without formal amendment of this Addendum.

11. Assistance in Litigation or Administrative Proceedings. Associate shall make itself, and any subcontractors, employees or agents assisting Associate in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, available to CE, at no cost to CE up to a maximum of 30 hours, to testify as witnesses, or otherwise, in the event of litigation or administrative proceedings being commenced against CE, its directors, officers or employees based upon a claimed violation of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other laws relating to security and privacy or PHI, except where Associate or its subcontractor, employee or agent is a named adverse party.

12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. Nothing express or implied in this Contract is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than CE, Associate and their respective successors or assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities whatsoever.

13. Interpretation and Order of Precedence. The provisions of this Addendum shall prevail over any provisions in the Contract that may conflict or appear inconsistent with any provision in this Addendum. Together, the Contract and this Addendum shall be

interpreted as broadly as necessary to implement and comply with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. The parties agree that any ambiguity in this Contract shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that complies and is consistent with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. This Contract supersedes and replaces any previous separately executed HIPAA addendum between the parties.

14. **Survival of Certain Contract Terms.** Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Associate's obligations under Section 4 (d) ("Effect of Termination") and Section 12 ("No Third Party Beneficiaries") shall survive termination of this Contract and shall be enforceable by CE as provided herein in the event of such failure to perform or comply by the Associate. This Addendum shall remain in effect during the term of the Contract including any extensions.

15. **Representatives and Notice.**

- a. **Representatives.** For the purpose of the Contract, the individuals identified elsewhere in this Contract shall be the representatives of the respective parties. If no representatives are identified in the Contract, the individuals listed below are hereby designated as the parties' respective representatives for purposes of this Contract. Either party may from time to time designate in writing new or substitute representatives.
- b. **Notices.** All required notices shall be in writing and shall be hand delivered or given by certified or registered mail to the representatives at the address set forth below.

[INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

Program/Covered Entity Representative:

Name: Teresa Flores
Title: Executive Director
Address: Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P. O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Provider/Business Associate Representative

Name: Nuestra Clinica del Valle, Inc.
Title: _____
Department and Division: _____
Address: _____.

Provider/Associate

Program /Covered Entity
Hidalgo County Head Start Program

By: _____
Print Name

By: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

Signature

Title

Exhibit A

Description of Services – Medical Service

The Provider agrees to provide any services deemed necessary to evaluate any and all children referred to the Provider by Head Start.

The Provider agrees to continue such services until such time as the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) determine that there is no longer a need for the services.

Provider shall provide copies of records to Head Start for each child it affords services. Copies of these records shall be free of charge.

The services provided by the Provider will include the following and in addition all services will be provided on schedule with Head Start 1304:

1. The Provider will perform a complete physical examination (head to toe assessment) at his/her respective practice or center site on the initial visit. The form "**PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" will be shown with date of exam, signature of the Provider, referral and or treatment.
2. Any "abnormal findings" or "not evaluated" will be accompanied by an explanation
3. Minor acute illnesses will be referred to their own family physician, if none is available, clients will be treated on site and follow-up appointment made for a later date.
4. Chronic illnesses or other abnormalities encountered will be referred for further evaluation or treatment.
5. ALL MEDICAID CHILDREN WILL RECEIVE AN EXAM AS PER THE EPSDT MEDICAL PROCEDURES SCHEDULED BY AGE. (Medicaid Provider Procedure Manual)
6. Physical findings, treatments and or referrals will be discussed with parents upon completion of examination.
7. Confidentiality of medical records will be maintained in accordance of examination.
8. Upon completion of "**HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" signature of provider and date will be written on the bottom page. RECOMMENDATIONS will be written accordingly. Remit a copy to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM, a copy for the Provider's records and a copy to the parent. The same procedure will follow the same for a Texas Health Step exam.
9. The Provider's statement, which lists the child's name / center and the total cost of the exam provided, is to be returned to HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM for payment. Six (6) weeks may be required for processing payment.
10. The total number of children provided medical services will be submitted to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM with the Provider's name after every examination day.
11. Provider must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance.

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM will be responsible to:

1. Encourage the child's parent to be present during physical exam. If parent is unable to attend, a brief medical history will be obtained from parent.
2. Provide "**PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" form with child's name and address.
3. Schedule a minimum of twenty (20) patients for physical exams, when clinics are to be held at center site.

Exhibit B

Fee Schedule

NUUESTRA CLINICA DEL VALLE, INC
2016-2017

Fee Schedule for Services: Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.

1 The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description Of Service	FEE
1 Complete THS (Head To Toe Assessment) ----- to include the following:	
a. Medical History	No Charge
b. Physical Examination	\$25.00
c. Measurements (Height/Weight/BMI/Blood ----- Pressure)	\$10.00 each
d. Sensory Screening (Vision & Hearing)	No Charge
e. Tuberculin Screening-new patient	\$18.00
f. Tuberculin Screening-establish patient	\$13.00
g. Laboratory (Lead, Hgb or Hct) -----	\$10.00/Hct & Hgb \$20.00 Lead
h. Immunizations	\$5.00
i. Anticipatory Guidance	No Charge

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

Certificate Number:
2017-189085

Date Filed:
04/06/2017

Date Acknowledged:

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

Nuestra Clínica del Valle, Inc.
Pharr, TX United States

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

Hidalgo County Head Start Program

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

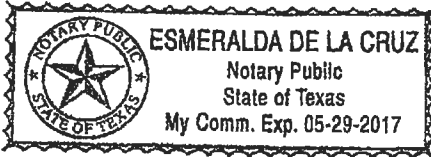
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4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermediary
	Ramirez Torres, Lucy	Pharr, TX United States	X	

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT

I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



Lucy Ramirez Torres
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Lucy Ramirez Torres, this the 11 day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

[Signature] Signature of officer administering oath
 Esmeralda de la Cruz Printed name of officer administering oath
 Notary Public Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

08/02/2016

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Phone: (512) 329-5959 Fax: (512) 329-9189 COMMUNITY HEALTH INSURANCE AGENCY, INC. 5900 SOUTHWEST PARKWAY, BUILDING 3 AUSTIN TX 78735	CONTACT NAME: Sandra K Thompson PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (512) 329-5959 FAX (A/C, No): (512) 329-9189 E-MAIL ADDRESS: sthompson@tachc.org														
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A	GENERAL LIABILITY			MP81837	06/30/16	06/30/17	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$ 500,000
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	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR						MED. EXP (Any one person)	\$
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Professional Gap Liab						PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$
	GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$
							Annual Aggregate	\$ 3,000,000
							COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$
							BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
							BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
			PROPERTY DAMAGE (per accident)	\$				
				\$				
	UMBRELLA LIAB						EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
	EXCESS LIAB						AGGREGATE	\$
	DED							\$
	RETENTION \$							\$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY						WC STATUTORY LIMITS	OTH ER
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							E.L. DISEASE-EA EMPLOYEE	\$
							E.L. DISEASE-POLICY LIMIT	\$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOGATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER CANCELLATION

Hidalgo County Head Start Program 1901 W. State Hwy. 107 McAllen TX 78504	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
Attention: Ambrosio Tovar, Procurement Director	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
4/7/2017

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PRODUCER Higginbotham Insurance Agency, Inc. 1400 N. McColl Rd. #105 McAllen TX 78501	CONTACT NAME: Martha Guerrero PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 956-668-3509 E-MAIL ADDRESS: mguerrero@higginbotham.net	FAX (A/C, No): 956-687-1286
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	
INSURED Nuestra Clinica Del Valle Inc. P.O. Box 1689 Pharr TX 78577	INSURER A: Texas Mutual Insurance Company	NAIC # 22945
	INSURER B: The Travelers Lloyds Insurance Co	41262
	INSURER C: Security National Insurance Co	33120
	INSURER D:	
	INSURER E: INSURER F:	

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 101400192** **REVISION NUMBER:**

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Hidalgo County Head Start Program
MEDICAL HEALTH PROVIDERS
RFQ No 2017-003-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale for Points: <u>Dr. Bose offers comprehensive health services.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose is our medical advisor and has been involved with Head Start for several years.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose & associates staff make themselves available for consultation.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose understands our program and requirements.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose is familiar with requirements.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Ashley Pediatric Day & Night Clinic
Evaluator(s): Quina Vanez RN, BSW Date: 05/24/2017

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
MEDICAL AND DENTAL
C-17-002-08-01-C**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (The "**Contract**") is made effective the **1st** day of **August, 2017** by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the "**Program**") a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Ashley Pediatrics Day and Night Clinic** (hereinafter "**Provider**") to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, **Program** requires certain services which **Provider** is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein for all purposes (the "**Services**");

WHEREAS, the **Provider** has agreed to provide the **Services** enumerated in this **Contract** for the **Program**;

WHEREAS, the **Program** is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of **Services** to the participants of the **Program**;

WHEREAS, **Program** participants' (clients) are examined and treated by the **Provider**;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A.
 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for an additional one year on the same terms and condition if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
 2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
 3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review

services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Ashley Pediatrics Day and Night Clinic
801 E. Nolana Ste. 13-A
McAllen, TX 78504

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as negotiated by the parties. If the **Program** elects to extend

this **Contract, Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract to Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.

G. **No amendment**, modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.

H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only**. In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).

I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.

J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in

HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.

M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM

This Business Associate Addendum (“Addendum”) is a part of the Contract effective as of August 1, 2017 between Ashley Pediatrics Day and Night Clinic (the “Provider”) and the Hidalgo County Head Start Program (the “Program”). For purposes of this Addendum the Program is referred to as “Covered Entity” or “CE” and the Provider is referred to as “Associate”. Unless the context clearly requires a distinction between the Contract document and this Addendum, all references herein to “the Contract” or “this Contract” include this Addendum.

RECITALS

- A. CE wishes to disclose certain information to Associate pursuant to the terms of the Contract, some of which may constitute Protected Health Information (“PHI”) (defined below).
- B. CE and Associate intend to protect the privacy and provide for the security of PHI disclosed to Associate pursuant to this Contract in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 1320d-1320d-8 (“HIPAA”) as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (“ARRA”)/HITECH Act (P.L. 111-005), and its implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 (the “Privacy Rule”) and other applicable laws, as amended.
- C. As part of the HIPAA regulations, the Privacy Rule requires CE to enter into a contract containing specific requirements with Associate prior to the disclosure of PHI, as set forth in, but not limited to, Title 45, Sections 160.103, 164.502(e) and 164.504 (e) of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R”) and contained in this Addendum.

The parties agree as follows:

- 1. Definitions.
 - a. Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Addendum shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended. In the event of any conflict between the mandatory provisions of the Privacy Rule and the provisions of this Contract, the Privacy Rule shall control. Where the provisions of this Contract differ from those mandated by the Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Contract shall control.

- b. "Protected Health Information" or "PHI". means any information, whether oral or recorded in any form or medium: (i) that relates to the past, present or future physical or mental condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (ii) that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual, and shall have the meaning given to such term under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Section 164.501.
- c. "Protected Information" shall mean PHI provided by CE to Associate or created or received by Associate on CE's behalf. To the extent Associate is a covered entity under HIPAA and creates or obtains its own PHI for treatment, payment and health care operations, Protected Information under this Contract does not include any PHI created or obtained by Associate as a covered entity and Associate shall follow its own policies and procedures for accounting, access and amendment of Associate's PHI

2. Obligations of Associate.

- a. Permitted Uses. Associate shall not use Protected Information except for the purpose of performing Associate's obligations under this Contract and as permitted under this Addendum. Further, Associate shall not use Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if so used by CE, except that Associate may use Protected Information: (i) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (ii) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Associate; or (iii) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE. Additional provisions, if any, governing permitted uses of Protected Information are set forth in Attachment A to this Addendum. Associate accepts full responsibility for any penalties incurred as a result of Associate's breach of the Privacy Rule.
- b. Permitted Disclosures. Associate shall not disclose Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if disclosed by CE, except that Associate may disclose Protected Information: (i) in a manner permitted pursuant to this Contract; (ii) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (iii) as required by law; (iv) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE; or (v) to report violations of law to appropriate federal or state authorities, consistent with 45 C.F.R. Section 164,502(j)(l). To the extent that Associate discloses
- c. Appropriate Safeguards. Associate shall implement appropriate safeguards as are necessary to prevent the use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as permitted by this Contract. Associate shall comply with the requirements of the Security Rules, 164.308, 164.310, 164.312, and 164.316. Associate shall maintain a

comprehensive written information privacy and security program that includes administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the size and complexity of the Associate's operations and the nature and scope of its activities.

- d. Reporting of Improper Use or Disclosure. Associate shall report to CE in writing any use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as provided for by this Contract within five (5) business days of becoming aware of such use or disclosure.
- e. Associate's Agents. If Associate uses one or more subcontractors or agents to provide services under the Contract, and such subcontractors or agents receive or have access to Protected Information, each subcontractor or agent shall sign an Contract with Associate containing substantially the same provisions as this Addendum and further identifying CE as a third party beneficiary with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such subcontractors or agents in the event of any violation of such subcontractor or agent Contract. Associate shall implement and maintain sanctions against agents and subcontractors that violate such restrictions and conditions and shall mitigate the effects of any such violation.
- f. Access to Protected Information. Associate shall make Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors in Designated Record Sets available to CE for inspection and copying within ten (10) business days of a request by CE to enable CE to fulfill its obligations to permit individual access to PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45, C.F.R. Section 164.524.
- g. Amendment of PHI. Within ten business (10) days of receipt of a request from CE for an amendment of Protected Information or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall make such Protected Information available to CE for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable CE to fulfill its obligations with respect to requests by individuals to amend their PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.526. If any individual requests an amendment of Protected Information directly from Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate must notify CE in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of the request. Any denial of amendment of Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall be the responsibility of CE.
- h. Accounting Rights. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a request for an accounting of disclosures of Protected Information, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall make available to CE the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to enable CE to fulfill its obligations under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528. As set forth in, and as limited by 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528, Associate shall not provide an accounting to CE of disclosures: (i) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.506;(ii) individuals of Protected Information about

them as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.502; (iii) pursuant to an authorization as provided in 45 C. F. R. Section 164.508; (iv) to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.510; (v) for national security or intelligence purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512(k)(2); (vi) to correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512 (k)(5); (vii) incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted by the Privacy Rule; (viii) as part of a limited data set under 45 C.F. R. Section 164.514(e); or (ix) disclosures prior to April 14, 2003. Associate agrees to implement a process that allows for an accounting to be collected and maintained by Associate and its agents or subcontractors for at least six (6) years prior to the request, but not before the compliance date of the Privacy Rule. At a minimum, such information shall include: (i) the date of disclosure; (ii) the name of the entity or person who received Protected Information and, if known, the address of the entity or person; (iii) a brief description of Protected Information disclosed; and (iv) a brief statement of purpose of the disclosure that reasonably informs the individual of the basis for the disclosure, or a copy of the individual's authorization, or a copy of the written request for disclosure. In the event that the request for an accounting is delivered directly to Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate shall within five (5) business days of the receipt of the request forward it to CE in writing. It shall be CE's responsibility to prepare and deliver any such accounting requested. Associate shall not disclose any Protected Information except as set forth in Section 2(b) of this Addendum.

- i. Governmental Access to Records. Associate shall make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Information available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"), in a time and manner designated by the Secretary, for purposes of determining CE's compliance with the Privacy Rule. Associate shall provide to CE a copy of any Protected Information that Associate provides to the Secretary concurrently with providing such Protected Information to the Secretary.
- j. Minimum Necessary. Associate (and its agents or subcontractors) shall only request, use and disclose the minimum amount of Protected Information necessary to accomplish the purpose of the request, use or disclosure, in accordance with the Minimum Necessary requirements of the Privacy Rule including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Sections 164.502(b) and 164.514 (d).
- k. Data Ownership. Associate acknowledges that Associate has no ownership rights with respect to the protected information.
- l. Retention of Protected Information. Except upon termination of the Contract as provided in Section 4(d) of this Addendum, Associate and its subcontractors or agents shall retain all Protected Information throughout the term of this Contract

and shall continue to maintain the information required under Section 2(h) of this Addendum for a period of six (6) years.

- m. Associate Insurance. Associate shall maintain casualty and liability insurance to cover loss of PHI data and claims based upon alleged violations of privacy rights through improper use or disclosure of PHI. All such policies shall meet or exceed the minimum insurance requirements of the Contract (e.g. occurrence basis, combined single dollar limits, annual aggregate dollar limits, additional insured status and notice of cancellation).
- n. Notification of Breach. During the term of this Contract, Associate shall notify CE within two business days of any suspected or actual breach of security, intrusion unauthorized use or disclosure of PHI and/or any actual or suspected use or disclosure of data in violation of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI has been, or is reasonably believed to have been accessed, acquired or disclosed during the breach. Associate shall take (i) prompt corrective action to cure any such deficiencies and (ii) any action pertaining to such unauthorized disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- o. Audits, Inspection and Enforcement. Within ten (10) business days of a written request by CE, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall allow CE to conduct a reasonable inspection of the facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Information pursuant to this Addendum for the purpose of determining whether Associate has complied with this Addendum; provided however, that: (i) Associate and CE shall mutually agree in advance upon the scope, timing and location of such an inspection; (ii) CE shall protect the confidentiality of all confidential and proprietary information of Associate to which CE has access during the course of such inspection; and (iii) CE shall execute a nondisclosure Contract, upon terms mutually agreed upon by the parties, if requested by Associate. The fact that CE inspects, or fails to inspect, or has the right to inspect, Associate's facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures does not relieve Associate of its responsibility to comply with this Addendum, nor does CE's (i) failure to detect or (ii) detection, but failure to notify Associate or require Associate's remediation of any unsatisfactory practices, constitute acceptance of such practice or waiver of CE's enforcement rights under the Contract.
- p. Safeguards During Transmission. Associate shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Information transmitted to CE pursuant to the Contract, in accordance with the standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such Protected Information is received by CE, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.

- q. Restrictions and Confidential Communications. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a restriction upon uses or disclosures or request for confidential communications pursuant to 45 C.F.R. 164.522, Associate will restrict the use or disclosure of an individual's Protected Information, provided Associate has agreed to such a restriction. Associate will not respond directly to an individual's requests to restrict the use or disclosure of Protected Information or to send all communication of Protected Information to an alternate address. Associate will refer such requests to the CE so that the CE can coordinate and prepare a timely response to the requesting individual and provide direction to Associate.

3. Obligations of CE.

- a. Safeguards During Transmission. CE shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of PHI transmitted to Associate pursuant to this Contract, in accordance with standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such PHI is received by Associate, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.
- b. Notice of Changes. CE shall provide Associate with a copy of its notice of privacy practices produced in accordance with 45 C.F.R Section 164.520, as well as any subsequent changes or limitation(s) to such notice, to the extent such changes or limitations may affect Associate's use or disclosure of Protected Information. CE shall provide Associate with any changes in, or revocation of, permission to use or disclose Protected Information, to the extent it may affect Associate's permitted use or disclosure of PHI, CE shall notify Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of Protected Information that CE has agreed to in accordance with 45 C.F.R. Section 164.522. CE may effectuate any and all such notices of non-private information via posting on CE's website. Associate shall review CE's designated website for notice of changes to CE's HIPAA privacy policies and practices on the last day of each calendar quarter.

4. Termination.

- a. Material Breach. In addition to any other provisions in the Contract regarding breach, a breach by Associate of any provision of this Addendum, as determined by CE, shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall provide grounds for immediate termination of this Contract by CE pursuant to the provisions of the Contract covering termination for cause, if any. If the Contract contains no express provisions regarding termination for cause, the following terms and conditions shall apply:

- (1) Default. If Associate refuses or fails to timely perform any of the provisions of this Contract, CE may notify Associate in writing of the non-performance,

and if not promptly corrected within the time specified, CE may terminate this Contract. Associate shall continue performance of this Contract to the extent it is not terminated and shall be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods or services elsewhere.

- (2) Associate's Duties. Notwithstanding termination of this Contract, and subject to any directions from CE, Associate shall take timely, reasonable and necessary action to protect and preserve property in the possession of Associate in which CE has an interest.
 - (3) Compensation. Payment for completed supplies delivered and accepted by CE shall be at the Contract price. In the event of a material breach under paragraph 4a, CE may withhold amounts due Associate as CE deems necessary to protect CE against loss from third party claims of improper use or disclosure and to reimburse CE for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods and services elsewhere.
 - (4) Erroneous Termination for Default. If after such termination it is determined, for any reason, that Associate was not in default, or that Associate's action/inaction was excusable, such termination shall be treated as a termination for convenience, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if this Contract had been terminated for convenience, as described in this Contract.
- b. Reasonable Steps to Cure Breach. If CE Knows of a pattern of activity or practice of Associate that constitutes a material breach or violation of the Associate's obligations under the provisions of this Addendum or another arrangement and does not terminate this Contract pursuant to Section 4(a), then CE shall take reasonable steps to cure such breach or end such violation, as applicable. If CE's efforts to cure such breach or end such violation are unsuccessful, CE shall either (i) terminate the Contract, if feasible or (ii) if termination of this Contract is not feasible, CE shall report Associate's breach or violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.
 - c. Judicial or Administrative Proceedings. Either party may terminate the Contract, effective immediately, if (i) the other party is named as a defendant in a criminal proceeding for a violation of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws or (ii) a finding or stipulation that the other party has violated any standard or requirement of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws is made in any administrative or civil proceeding in which the party has been joined.

d. Effective of Termination.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, upon termination of this Contract, for any reason, Associate shall return or destroy all Protected Information that Associate or its agents or subcontractors still maintain in any form, and shall retain no copies of such Protected Information. If Associate elects to destroy the PHI, Associate shall certify in writing to CE that such PHI has been destroyed.
 - (2) If Associate believes that returning or destroying the Protected Information is not feasible, Associate shall promptly provide CE notice of the conditions making return or destruction infeasible. Upon mutual agreement of CE and Associate that return or destruction of Protected Information is infeasible, Associate shall continue to extend the protections of Sections 2(a)2(b), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) of this Addendum to such information and shall limit further use of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction of such PHI infeasible.
5. Injunctive Relief. CE shall have the right to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief against Associate or any of its subcontractors or agents in the event of any use or disclosure of Protected Information in violation of this Contract or applicable law.
6. No waiver of Immunity. No term or condition of this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, CRS 24-10-101 *et seq.* or the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2671 *et seq.* as applicable, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
7. Limitation of Liability. Any limitation of Associate's liability in the Contract shall be inapplicable to the terms and conditions of this Addendum.
8. Disclaimer. CE makes no warranty or representation that compliance by Associate with this Contract, HIPAA or the HIPAA Regulations will be adequate or satisfactory for Associate's own purposes. Associate is solely responsible for all decisions made by Associate regarding the safeguarding of PHI.
9. Certification. To the extent that CE determines an examination is necessary in order to comply with CE's legal obligations pursuant to HIPAA relating to certification of its security practices, CE or its authorized agents or contractors, may, at CE's expense, examine Associate's facilities, systems, procedures and records as may be necessary for such agents or contractors to certify to CE the extent to which Associate's security safeguards comply with HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or this Addendum.

10. Amendment.

- a. Amendment to Comply with Law. The parties acknowledge that state and federal laws relating to data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this Addendum may be required to provide for procedures to ensure compliance with such developments. The parties specifically agree to take such action as is necessary to implement the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule, the final HIPAA Security regulations at 68 Fed. Reg. 8334 (Feb 20, 2003), 45 C.F.R. § 164.314 and other applicable laws relating to the security or privacy of PHI. The parties understand and agree that CE must receive satisfactory written assurance from Associate that Associate will adequately safeguard all Protected Information. Upon the request of either party, the other party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning the terms of an amendment to this Addendum embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other applicable laws. CE may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice in the event (i) Associate does not promptly enter into negotiations to amend this Contract when requested by CE pursuant to this Section or (ii) Associate does not enter into an amendment to this Contract providing assurances regarding the safeguarding of PHI that CE, in its sole discretion, deems sufficient to satisfy the standards and requirements of HIPAA and the Privacy Rule.
- b. Amendment of Attachment A. Attachment A may be modified or amended by mutual Contract of the parties in writing from time to time without formal amendment of this Addendum.

11. Assistance in Litigation or Administrative Proceedings. Associate shall make itself, and any subcontractors, employees or agents assisting Associate in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, available to CE, at no cost to CE up to a maximum of 30 hours, to testify as witnesses, or otherwise, in the event of litigation or administrative proceedings being commenced against CE, its directors, officers or employees based upon a claimed violation of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other laws relating to security and privacy or PHI, except where Associate or its subcontractor, employee or agent is a named adverse party.

12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. Nothing express or implied in this Contract is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than CE, Associate and their respective successors or assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities whatsoever.

13. Interpretation and Order of Precedence. The provisions of this Addendum shall prevail over any provisions in the Contract that may conflict or appear inconsistent with any

provision in this Addendum. Together, the Contract and this Addendum shall be interpreted as broadly as necessary to implement and comply with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. The parties agree that any ambiguity in this Contract shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that complies and is consistent with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. This Contract supersedes and replaces any previous separately executed HIPAA addendum between the parties.

14. Survival of Certain Contract Terms. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Associate's obligations under Section 4 (d) ("Effect of Termination") and Section 12 ("No Third Party Beneficiaries") shall survive termination of this Contract and shall be enforceable by CE as provided herein in the event of such failure to perform or comply by the Associate. This Addendum shall remain in effect during the term of the Contract including any extensions.

15. Representatives and Notice.

- a. Representatives. For the purpose of the Contract, the individuals identified elsewhere in this Contract shall be the representatives of the respective parties. If no representatives are identified in the Contract, the individuals listed below are hereby designated as the parties' respective representatives for purposes of this Contract. Either party may from time to time designate in writing new or substitute representatives.
- b. Notices. All required notices shall be in writing and shall be hand delivered or given by certified or registered mail to the representatives at the address set forth below.

[INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

Program/Covered Entity Representative:

Name: Teresa Flores
Title: Executive Director
Address: Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P. O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Provider/Business Associate Representative

Name: _____
Title: _____
Department and Division: _____
Address: _____.

Provider/Associate

By: _____
Print Name

Signature

Title

**Program /Covered Entity
Hidalgo County Head Start Program**

By: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

Exhibit A

Description of Services – Medical Service

The Provider agrees to provide any services deemed necessary to evaluate any and all children referred to the Provider by Head Start.

The Provider agrees to continue such services until such time as the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) determine that there is no longer a need for the services.

Provider shall provide copies of records to Head Start for each child it affords services. Copies of these records shall be free of charge.

The services provided by the Provider will include the following and in addition all services will be provided on schedule with Head Start 1304:

1. The Provider will perform a complete physical examination (head to toe assessment) at his/her respective practice or center site on the initial visit. The form **"PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT"** will be shown with date of exam, signature of the Provider, referral and or treatment.
2. Any "abnormal findings" or "not evaluated" will be accompanied by an explanation
3. Minor acute illnesses will be referred to their own family physician, if none is available, clients will be treated on site and follow-up appointment made for a later date.
4. Chronic illnesses or other abnormalities encountered will be referred for further evaluation or treatment.
5. ALL MEDICAID CHILDREN WILL RECEIVE AN EXAM AS PER THE EPSDT MEDICAL PROCEDURES SCHEDULED BY AGE. (Medicaid Provider Procedure Manual)
6. Physical findings, treatments and or referrals will be discussed with parents upon completion of examination.
7. Confidentiality of medical records will be maintained in accordance of examination.
8. Upon completion of **"HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT"** signature of provider and date will be written on the bottom page. RECOMMENDATIONS will be written accordingly. Remit a copy to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM, a copy for the Provider's records and a copy to the parent. The same procedure will follow the same for a Texas Health Step exam.
9. The Provider's statement, which lists the child's name / center and the total cost of the exam provided, is to be returned to HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM for payment. Six (6) weeks may be required for processing payment.
10. The total number of children provided medical services will be submitted to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM with the Provider's name after every examination day.
11. Provider must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance.

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM will be responsible to:

1. Encourage the child's parent to be present during physical exam. If parent is unable to attend, a brief medical history will be obtained from parent.
2. Provide **"PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT"** form with child's name and address.
3. Schedule a minimum of twenty (20) patients for physical exams, when clinics are to be held at center site.

Exhibit B

Fee Schedule-Medical Services

Ashley Pediatrics Day & Night Clinic 2017-2018

Fee Schedule for Services: Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.

1 The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description Of Service	FEE
1. complete THS (Head To Toe Assessment)	\$
to include the following:	
a Medical History	Inclusive with physical exam fee
b Physical Examination	\$ \$35.00
c. Measurements (Heights/Weights/BMI/Blood Pressure)	Inclusive with physical exam fee
d. Sensory Screening (Visions & Hearing)	Inclusive with physical exam fee
e Tuberculin Screening	\$ \$15.00
f Tuberculin Screening-establish patient	\$ \$15.00
g Laboratory (Lead, Hgb or Hct)	Inclusive with physical exam fee
h Immunizations	\$ \$5.00 vaccine admin
i. Anticipatory Guidance	Inclusive with physical exam fee

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
 Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

**OFFICE USE ONLY
 CERTIFICATION OF FILING**

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

Ashley Pediatrics Day & Night Clinic
 Mcallen, TX United States

Certificate Number:
 2017-187161

Date Filed:
 04/04/2017

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

HIDALGO CO. HEADSTART PROGRAM

Date Acknowledged:

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

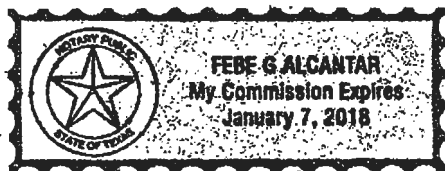
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4 Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of Interest (check applicable)	
		Controlling	Intermediary
ASHLEY PEDIATRICS DAY & NIGHT CLINIC	MCALLEN, TX United States	X	

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT

I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



Sarajini Bose
 Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Sarajini Bose, this the 7th day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

Febe G. Alcantar
 Signature of officer administering oath

Febe G-Alcantar
 Printed name of officer administering oath

Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
06/01/2016

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

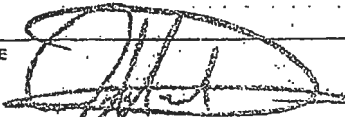
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INSURED Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PLLC DBA Industrial Health Works 801 EE Nolana Ste 9 McAllen TX 78504		INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
		INSURER A: Truck Insurance Exchange		
		INSURER B: Texas Mutual		
		INSURER C:		
		INSURER D:		
		INSURER E:		
		INSURER F:		

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL SUBR INSR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC	Y N	604082557	05/24/2016	05/24/2017	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 2,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 75,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 2,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 4,000,000 PRODUCTS & COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000
A	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS		604082557	05/24/2016	05/24/2017	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$ \$
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B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under SPECIAL PROVISIONS below	Y/N Y N/A N	0001288105	05/22/2016	05/22/2017	WC STATUTORY LIMITS OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Hidalgo County Head Start Program 1901 W State Highway 107 McAllen TX 78504	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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MISCELLANEOUS MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY, INFORMATION SECURITY AND PRIVACY LIABILITY INSURANCE INCLUDING BREACH RESPONSE SERVICES

DECLARATIONS

INSURING AGREEMENTS I.A., I.B., I.D., AND I.E OF THIS POLICY PROVIDE COVERAGE ON A CLAIMS MADE AND REPORTED BASIS AND APPLY ONLY TO THOSE CLAIMS WHICH ARE FIRST MADE AGAINST THE INSURED AND REPORTED IN WRITING TO THE UNDERWRITERS DURING THE POLICY PERIOD OR THE EXTENDED REPORTING PERIOD (IF APPLICABLE). DAMAGES AND CLAIMS EXPENSES SHALL BE APPLIED AGAINST THE DEDUCTIBLE. CLAIMS EXPENSES UNDER THIS POLICY SHALL REDUCE AND MAY EXHAUST THE LIMIT OF LIABILITY. CERTAIN WORDS AND PHRASES WHICH APPEAR IN BOLD TYPE HAVE SPECIAL MEANING; PLEASE REFER TO CLAUSE VI., DEFINITIONS. PLEASE REVIEW THE COVERAGE AFFORDED UNDER THIS INSURANCE POLICY CAREFULLY AND DISCUSS THE COVERAGE HEREUNDER WITH YOUR INSURANCE AGENT OR BROKER.

INSURING AGREEMENT I.C. OF THIS POLICY PROVIDES FIRST PARTY COVERAGE ON AN INCIDENT OR LOSS DISCOVERED AND REPORTED BASIS; COVERAGE UNDER THIS INSURING AGREEMENT APPLIES ONLY TO INCIDENTS OR LOSSES FIRST DISCOVERED BY THE INSURED AND REPORTED TO THE UNDERWRITERS DURING THE POLICY PERIOD.

THESE DECLARATIONS ALONG WITH THE COMPLETED AND SIGNED APPLICATION AND THE POLICY WITH ENDORSEMENTS SHALL CONSTITUTE THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE INSUREDS AND UNDERWRITERS.

Underwriters: Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.

Jose M Davila Insurance
3000 N McCall Ste. A1
McAllen, Texas 78501

Policy Number: V1DD5E170101

Item 1. Named Insured: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

Address:
801 East Nolana
Suite 6
McAllen, TX 78504

Item 2. Policy Period: From: 15-Feb-2017
To: 15-Feb-2018

Both dates at 12:01 a.m. Local Time at the Principal Address stated in Item 1.

Item 3. Limit of Liability:

A. Professional Liability Tower

1. Each Claim including Claims Expenses \$1,000,000

But sublimited to:

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

- i. Sexual/Physical Misconduct Each Claim including Claims Expenses \$100,000

- 2. Professional Liability Term Aggregate Including Claims Expenses \$3,000,000
- But sublimited to:
 - i. Sexual/Physical Misconduct Aggregate Including Claims Expenses \$300,000

- B. Information Security & Privacy Liability, Regulatory Defense and Penalties and PCI Fines, Expenses and Costs
- Limit of Liability, Insuring Agreements, I.B., I.D., and, I.E.,:
 - 1. Aggregate including Claims Expenses \$1,000,000
 - But sublimited to:
 - i. Aggregate sublimit of liability applicable to Insuring Agreement I.D. \$1,000,000
 - ii. Aggregate sublimit of liability applicable to Insuring Agreement I.I. \$100,000

- C. Beazley Breach Response Services Tower
- Limit of Liability for Insuring Agreement I.C.
 - 1. Notified Individuals Limit of Coverage 25,000 Notified Individuals in the aggregate.

 - 2. Aggregate Limit of Coverage for all Computer Expert Services, Legal Services and Public Relations and Crisis Management Expenses combined: \$100,000

The Limits of Liability shall apply separately from each tower. Under no circumstances shall any one Claim trigger multiple towers.

Item 4. Deductible:

A. Insuring Agreements I.A., I.B., I.D., and I.E

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

Each Claim (including each Claim in the form of a Regulatory Proceeding) including Claims Expenses \$2,500

B. Insuring Agreement I.C., Threshold and Deductible

Each incident, event or related incidents or events giving rise to an obligation to provide Privacy Breach Response Services:

- i. Notification Services, Call Center Services and Breach Solution and Mitigation Services for each incident involving at least: 100 Notified Individuals
- ii. Deductible applicable to Computer Expert Services, Legal Services and Public Relations and Crisis Management Expenses: \$2,500 combined, but one-half (1/2) of the amount shown herein for Legal Services (which deductible is part of and not in addition to the combined deductible)

Item 5. Premium:

The premium paid in respect of the entire Policy Period of Insurance

\$6,916

Plus taxes as applicable, which shall be payable in full at inception of this Insurance as designated in Item 2. of the Declarations.

Item 6. Extended Reporting Period

- a. Premium for Extended Reporting Period: 100% of the annualized premium for this Policy
- b. Length of Extended Reporting Period: 12 Months

Item 7. Retroactive Date 15-Feb-2017

Item 8. Notification Under This Policy

- Recipient of Notice of Insured's Cancellation:
Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.
30 Batterson Park Road
Farmington, CT 06032
Tel: (860) 677-3700
Fax: (860) 679-0247

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

- Recipient of Notice of Insured's intention to purchase Extended Reporting Period Coverage and premium for Extended Reporting Period Coverage:
Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.
30 Batterson Park Road
Farmington, CT 06032
Tel: (860) 677-3700
Fax: (860) 679-0247

Item 9. Notice of Claim, Circumstances and/or Privacy Breaches in accordance with Clause XI.

- Recipient of Notice under Insuring Agreements I.A,

Beazley Healthcare Claims
1270 Avenue of the Americas
Suite 1200
New York, NY 10020
Tel: +1 (646) 943 5900
Fax: +1 (646) 378 4039
Email: healthcareclaims@beazley.com
- Recipient of Notice under Insuring Agreements I.B, I.D, and I.E

Beazley Group
TMB Claims Group
1270 Avenue of the Americas, 12th Floor
New York, NY 10020
Email: bbr.claims@beazley.com
- Recipient of Privacy Breaches under Insuring Agreements I.C
Toll-Free 24-Hour Hotline: (866) 567-8570
Email: bbr.claims@beazley.com
(Emails and calls reports from the toll-free hotline are forwarded to the Breach Response Services team for response)

Item 10. Additional Insureds/Scheduled Physicians:

N/A

Item 11. Scheduled Professional Services:

Outpatient medical clinic services

Item 12. Terrorism Coverage

Coverage Purchased: Yes No

If "Yes: Terrorism Coverage Premium:

Not Purchased

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

Item 13. Endorsements Effective at Inception:

1. A01110TX 022014 ed. Important Notice
2. A0004 112007 ed. Notification Of The Availability of Loss Control Information/Services- Texas
3. BICMU05090406 Nuclear Exclusion
4. E07745TX-C 082015 ed. Reliance on Another Insurance Company's Application - Texas
5. E08480-C 062016 ed. Retroactive Date and Deductible Clarification
6. E02804 032011 ed. Sanction Limitation and Exclusion Clause
7. A01438TX-C 082015 ed. Texas Amendatory Endorsement
8. BICMU05070406 War and Civil War Exclusion
9. E07175-C 082015 ed. Additional Scheduled Locations/Facilities Coverage
10. E07176-C 082015 ed. Additional Services Exclusion
11. E07207-C 082015 ed. Limits of Liability Drop Down Endorsement
12. E08434-C 062016 ed. Warranty of General Liability Coverage

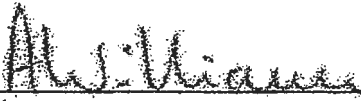
The Underwriters have caused this Policy to be signed and attested to by its authorized officers, but it shall not be valid unless also signed by another duly authorized representative of the Underwriters.



Authorized Representative

22-Feb-2017

Date



Secretary



President

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
MEDICAL HEALTH PROVIDERS
 RFQ № 2017-003-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale for Points: <u>Dr. Bose Industrial and Family Medicine Clinic offers comprehensive health services</u>	20	<u>20</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose is licensed and experienced.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose makes herself readily available at all times.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose is very involved with our program.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Dr. Bose is familiar with rules and regulations.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine Clinic, PLLC.
 Evaluator(s): Christa Ibanez RN, BSN Date: 05/24/2017

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
MEDICAL AND DENTAL
C-17-002-08-01-D**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (The “Contract”) is made effective the 1st day of August, 2017 by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “Program”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine dba Industrial Health Works** (hereinafter “Provider”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Program requires certain services which Provider is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “Services”);

WHEREAS, the Provider has agreed to provide the Services enumerated in this Contract for the Program;

WHEREAS, the Program is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of Services to the participants of the Program;

WHEREAS, Program participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the Provider;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for an additional one year on the same terms and condition if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In

addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies.

Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to

be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PLLC
dba Industrial Health Works
801 E. Nolana Ste9
McAllen, TX 78504

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request

of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

- F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as negotiated by the parties. If the **Program** elects to extend this **Contract**, **Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.
- G. **No amendment,** modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.
- H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only.** In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).
- I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.
- J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

- K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.
- L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.
- M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PPL

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM

This Business Associate Addendum (“Addendum”) is a part of the Contract effective as of August 1, 2017 between Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PLLC dba Industrial Health Works (the “Provider”) and the Hidalgo County Head Start Program (the “Program”). For purposes of this Addendum the Program is referred to as “Covered Entity” or “CE” and the Provider is referred to as “Associate”. Unless the context clearly requires a distinction between the Contract document and this Addendum, all references herein to “the Contract” or “this Contract” include this Addendum.

RECITALS

- A. CE wishes to disclose certain information to Associate pursuant to the terms of the Contract, some of which may constitute Protected Health Information (“PHI”) (defined below).
- B. CE and Associate intend to protect the privacy and provide for the security of PHI disclosed to Associate pursuant to this Contract in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 1320d-1320d-8 (“HIPAA”) as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (“ARRA”)/HITECH Act (P.L. 111-005), and its implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 (the “Privacy Rule”) and other applicable laws, as amended.
- C. As part of the HIPAA regulations, the Privacy Rule requires CE to enter into a contract containing specific requirements with Associate prior to the disclosure of PHI, as set forth in, but not limited to, Title 45, Sections 160.103, 164.502(e) and 164.504 (e) of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R”) and contained in this Addendum.

The parties agree as follows:

- 1. Definitions.
 - a. Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Addendum shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended. In the event of any conflict between the mandatory provisions of the Privacy Rule and the provisions of this Contract, the Privacy Rule shall control. Where the provisions of this Contract differ from those mandated by the Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Contract shall control.

- b. "Protected Health Information" or "PHI". means any information, whether oral or recorded in any form or medium: (i) that relates to the past, present or future physical or mental condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (ii) that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual, and shall have the meaning given to such term under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Section 164.501.
- c. "Protected Information" shall mean PHI provided by CE to Associate or created or received by Associate on CE's behalf. To the extent Associate is a covered entity under HIPAA and creates or obtains its own PHI for treatment, payment and health care operations, Protected Information under this Contract does not include any PHI created or obtained by Associate as a covered entity and Associate shall follow its own policies and procedures for accounting, access and amendment of Associate's PHI

2. Obligations of Associate.

- a. Permitted Uses. Associate shall not use Protected Information except for the purpose of performing Associate's obligations under this Contract and as permitted under this Addendum. Further, Associate shall not use Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if so used by CE, except that Associate may use Protected Information: (i) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (ii) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Associate; or (iii) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE. Additional provisions, if any, governing permitted uses of Protected Information are set forth in Attachment A to this Addendum. Associate accepts full responsibility for any penalties incurred as a result of Associate's breach of the Privacy Rule.
- b. Permitted Disclosures. Associate shall not disclose Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if disclosed by CE, except that Associate may disclose Protected Information: (i) in a manner permitted pursuant to this Contract; (ii) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (iii) as required by law; (iv) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE; or (v) to report violations of law to appropriate federal or state authorities, consistent with 45 C.F.R. Section 164,502(j)(l). To the extent that Associate discloses
- c. Appropriate Safeguards. Associate shall implement appropriate safeguards as are necessary to prevent the use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as permitted by this Contract. Associate shall comply with the requirements of the Security Rules, 164.308, 164.310, 164.312, and 164.316. Associate shall maintain a

comprehensive written information privacy and security program that includes administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the size and complexity of the Associate's operations and the nature and scope of its activities.

- d. Reporting of Improper Use or Disclosure. Associate shall report to CE in writing any use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as provided for by this Contract within five (5) business days of becoming aware of such use or disclosure.
- e. Associate's Agents. If Associate uses one or more subcontractors or agents to provide services under the Contract, and such subcontractors or agents receive or have access to Protected Information, each subcontractor or agent shall sign an Contract with Associate containing substantially the same provisions as this Addendum and further identifying CE as a third party beneficiary with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such subcontractors or agents in the event of any violation of such subcontractor or agent Contract. Associate shall implement and maintain sanctions against agents and subcontractors that violate such restrictions and conditions and shall mitigate the effects of any such violation.
- f. Access to Protected Information. Associate shall make Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors in Designated Record Sets available to CE for inspection and copying within ten (10) business days of a request by CE to enable CE to fulfill its obligations to permit individual access to PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45, C.F.R. Section 164.524.
- g. Amendment of PHI. Within ten business (10) days of receipt of a request from CE for an amendment of Protected Information or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall make such Protected Information available to CE for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable CE to fulfill its obligations with respect to requests by individuals to amend their PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.526. If any individual requests an amendment of Protected Information directly from Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate must notify CE in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of the request. Any denial of amendment of Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall be the responsibility of CE.
- h. Accounting Rights. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a request for an accounting of disclosures of Protected Information, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall make available to CE the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to enable CE to fulfill its obligations under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528. As set forth in, and as limited by 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528, Associate shall not provide an accounting to CE of disclosures: (i) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.506;(ii) individuals of Protected Information about

them as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.502; (iii) pursuant to an authorization as provided in 45 C. F. R. Section 164.508; (iv) to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.510; (v) for national security or intelligence purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512(k)(2); (vi) to correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512 (k)(5); (vii) incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted by the Privacy Rule; (viii) as part of a limited data set under 45 C.F. R. Section 164.514(e); or (ix) disclosures prior to April 14, 2003. Associate agrees to implement a process that allows for an accounting to be collected and maintained by Associate and its agents or subcontractors for at least six (6) years prior to the request, but not before the compliance date of the Privacy Rule. At a minimum, such information shall include: (i) the date of disclosure; (ii) the name of the entity or person who received Protected Information and, if known, the address of the entity or person; (iii) a brief description of Protected Information disclosed; and (iv) a brief statement of purpose of the disclosure that reasonably informs the individual of the basis for the disclosure, or a copy of the individual's authorization, or a copy of the written request for disclosure. In the event that the request for an accounting is delivered directly to Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate shall within five (5) business days of the receipt of the request forward it to CE in writing. It shall be CE's responsibility to prepare and deliver any such accounting requested. Associate shall not disclose any Protected Information except as set forth in Section 2(b) of this Addendum.

- i. **Governmental Access to Records.** Associate shall make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Information available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"), in a time and manner designated by the Secretary, for purposes of determining CE's compliance with the Privacy Rule. Associate shall provide to CE a copy of any Protected Information that Associate provides to the Secretary concurrently with providing such Protected Information to the Secretary.
- j. **Minimum Necessary.** Associate (and its agents or subcontractors) shall only request, use and disclose the minimum amount of Protected Information necessary to accomplish the purpose of the request, use or disclosure, in accordance with the Minimum Necessary requirements of the Privacy Rule including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Sections 164.502(b) and 164.514 (d).
- k. **Data Ownership.** Associate acknowledges that Associate has no ownership rights with respect to the protected information.
- l. **Retention of Protected Information.** Except upon termination of the Contract as provided in Section 4(d) of this Addendum, Associate and its subcontractors or agents shall retain all Protected Information throughout the term of this Contract

and shall continue to maintain the information required under Section 2(h) of this Addendum for a period of six (6) years.

- m. Associate Insurance. Associate shall maintain casualty and liability insurance to cover loss of PHI data and claims based upon alleged violations of privacy rights through improper use or disclosure of PHI. All such policies shall meet or exceed the minimum insurance requirements of the Contract (e.g. occurrence basis, combined single dollar limits, annual aggregate dollar limits, additional insured status and notice of cancellation).
- n. Notification of Breach. During the term of this Contract, Associate shall notify CE within two business days of any suspected or actual breach of security, intrusion unauthorized use or disclosure of PHI and/or any actual or suspected use or disclosure of data in violation of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI has been, or is reasonably believed to have been accessed, acquired or disclosed during the breach. Associate shall take (i) prompt corrective action to cure any such deficiencies and (ii) any action pertaining to such unauthorized disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- o. Audits, Inspection and Enforcement. Within ten (10) business days of a written request by CE, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall allow CE to conduct a reasonable inspection of the facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Information pursuant to this Addendum for the purpose of determining whether Associate has complied with this Addendum; provided however, that: (i) Associate and CE shall mutually agree in advance upon the scope, timing and location of such an inspection; (ii) CE shall protect the confidentiality of all confidential and proprietary information of Associate to which CE has access during the course of such inspection; and (iii) CE shall execute a nondisclosure Contract, upon terms mutually agreed upon by the parties, if requested by Associate. The fact that CE inspects, or fails to inspect, or has the right to inspect, Associate's facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures does not relieve Associate of its responsibility to comply with this Addendum, nor does CE's (i) failure to detect or (ii) detection, but failure to notify Associate or require Associate's remediation of any unsatisfactory practices, constitute acceptance of such practice or waiver of CE's enforcement rights under the Contract.
- p. Safeguards During Transmission. Associate shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Information transmitted to CE pursuant to the Contract, in accordance with the standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such Protected Information is received by CE, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.

- q. Restrictions and Confidential Communications. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a restriction upon uses or disclosures or request for confidential communications pursuant to 45 C.F.R. 164.522, Associate will restrict the use or disclosure of an individual's Protected Information, provided Associate has agreed to such a restriction. Associate will not respond directly to an individual's requests to restrict the use or disclosure of Protected Information or to send all communication of Protected Information to an alternate address. Associate will refer such requests to the CE so that the CE can coordinate and prepare a timely response to the requesting individual and provide direction to Associate.

3. Obligations of CE.

- a. Safeguards During Transmission. CE shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of PHI transmitted to Associate pursuant to this Contract, in accordance with standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such PHI is received by Associate, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.
- b. Notice of Changes. CE shall provide Associate with a copy of its notice of privacy practices produced in accordance with 45 C.F.R Section 164.520, as well as any subsequent changes or limitation(s) to such notice, to the extent such changes or limitations may affect Associate's use or disclosure of Protected Information. CE shall provide Associate with any changes in, or revocation of, permission to use or disclose Protected Information, to the extent it may affect Associate's permitted use or disclosure of PHI, CE shall notify Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of Protected Information that CE has agreed to in accordance with 45 C.F.R. Section 164.522. CE may effectuate any and all such notices of non-private information via posting on CE's website. Associate shall review CE's designated website for notice of changes to CE's HIPAA privacy policies and practices on the last day of each calendar quarter.

4. Termination.

- a. Material Breach. In addition to any other provisions in the Contract regarding breach, a breach by Associate of any provision of this Addendum, as determined by CE, shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall provide grounds for immediate termination of this Contract by CE pursuant to the provisions of the Contract covering termination for cause, if any. If the Contract contains no express provisions regarding termination for cause, the following terms and conditions shall apply:

- (1) Default. If Associate refuses or fails to timely perform any of the provisions of this Contract, CE may notify Associate in writing of the non-performance,

and if not promptly corrected within the time specified, CE may terminate this Contract. Associate shall continue performance of this Contract to the extent it is not terminated and shall be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods or services elsewhere.

- (2) Associate's Duties. Notwithstanding termination of this Contract, and subject to any directions from CE, Associate shall take timely, reasonable and necessary action to protect and preserve property in the possession of Associate in which CE has an interest.
 - (3) Compensation. Payment for completed supplies delivered and accepted by CE shall be at the Contract price. In the event of a material breach under paragraph 4a, CE may withhold amounts due Associate as CE deems necessary to protect CE against loss from third party claims of improper use or disclosure and to reimburse CE for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods and services elsewhere.
 - (4) Erroneous Termination for Default. If after such termination it is determined, for any reason, that Associate was not in default, or that Associate's action/inaction was excusable, such termination shall be treated as a termination for convenience, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if this Contract had been terminated for convenience, as described in this Contract.
- b. Reasonable Steps to Cure Breach. If CE Knows of a pattern of activity or practice of Associate that constitutes a material breach or violation of the Associate's obligations under the provisions of this Addendum or another arrangement and does not terminate this Contract pursuant to Section 4(a), then CE shall take reasonable steps to cure such breach or end such violation, as applicable. If CE's efforts to cure such breach or end such violation are unsuccessful, CE shall either (i) terminate the Contract, if feasible or (ii) if termination of this Contract is not feasible, CE shall report Associate's breach or violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.
 - c. Judicial or Administrative Proceedings. Either party may terminate the Contract, effective immediately, if (i) the other party is named as a defendant in a criminal proceeding for a violation of HIPPA, the HIPPA Regulations or other security or privacy laws or (ii) a finding or stipulation that the other party has violated any standard or requirement of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws is made in any administrative or civil proceeding in which the party has been joined.

d. Effective of Termination.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, upon termination of this Contract, for any reason, Associate shall return or destroy all Protected Information that Associate or its agents or subcontractors still maintain in any form, and shall retain no copies of such Protected Information. If Associate elects to destroy the PHI, Associate shall certify in writing to CE that such PHI has been destroyed.
 - (2) If Associate believes that returning or destroying the Protected Information is not feasible, Associate shall promptly provide CE notice of the conditions making return or destruction infeasible. Upon mutual Contract of CE and Associate that return or destruction of Protected Information is infeasible, Associate shall continue to extend the protections of Sections 2(a)2(b), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) of this Addendum to such information and shall limit further use of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction of such PHI infeasible.
5. Injunctive Relief. CE shall have the right to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief against Associate or any of its subcontractors or agents in the event of any use or disclosure of Protected Information in violation of this Contract or applicable law.
 6. No waiver of Immunity. No term or condition of this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, CRS 24-10-101 *et seq.* or the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2671 *et seq.* as applicable, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
 7. Limitation of Liability. Any limitation of Associate's liability in the Contract shall be inapplicable to the terms and conditions of this Addendum.
 8. Disclaimer. CE makes no warranty or representation that compliance by Associate with this Contract, HIPAA or the HIPAA Regulations will be adequate or satisfactory for Associate's own purposes. Associate is solely responsible for all decisions made by Associate regarding the safeguarding of PHI.
 9. Certification. To the extent that CE determines an examination is necessary in order to comply with CE's legal obligations pursuant to HIPAA relating to certification of its security practices, CE or its authorized agents or contractors, may, at CE's expense, examine Associate's facilities, systems, procedures and records as may be necessary for such agents or contractors to certify to CE the extent to which Associate's security safeguards comply with HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or this Addendum.

10. Amendment.

- a. Amendment to Comply with Law. The parties acknowledge that state and federal laws relating to data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this Addendum may be required to provide for procedures to ensure compliance with such developments. The parties specifically agree to take such action as is necessary to implement the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule, the final HIPAA Security regulations at 68 Fed. Reg. 8334 (Feb 20, 2003), 45 C.F.R. § 164.314 and other applicable laws relating to the security or privacy of PHI. The parties understand and agree that CE must receive satisfactory written assurance from Associate that Associate will adequately safeguard all Protected Information. Upon the request of either party, the other party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning the terms of an amendment to this Addendum embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other applicable laws. CE may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice in the event (i) Associate does not promptly enter into negotiations to amend this Contract when requested by CE pursuant to this Section or (ii) Associate does not enter into an amendment to this Contract providing assurances regarding the safeguarding of PHI that CE, in its sole discretion, deems sufficient to satisfy the standards and requirements of HIPAA and the Privacy Rule.
- b. Amendment of Attachment A. Attachment A may be modified or amended by mutual Contract of the parties in writing from time to time without formal amendment of this Addendum.

11. Assistance in Litigation or Administrative Proceedings. Associate shall make itself, and any subcontractors, employees or agents assisting Associate in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, available to CE, at no cost to CE up to a maximum of 30 hours, to testify as witnesses, or otherwise, in the event of litigation or administrative proceedings being commenced against CE, its directors, officers or employees based upon a claimed violation of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other laws relating to security and privacy or PHI, except where Associate or its subcontractor, employee or agent is a named adverse party.

12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. Nothing express or implied in this Contract is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than CE, Associate and their respective successors or assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities whatsoever.

13. Interpretation and Order of Precedence. The provisions of this Addendum shall prevail over any provisions in the Contract that may conflict or appear inconsistent with any

provision in this Addendum. Together, the Contract and this Addendum shall be interpreted as broadly as necessary to implement and comply with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. The parties agree that any ambiguity in this Contract shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that complies and is consistent with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. This Contract supersedes and replaces any previous separately executed HIPAA addendum between the parties.

14. Survival of Certain Contract Terms. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Associate's obligations under Section 4 (d) ("Effect of Termination") and Section 12 ("No Third Party Beneficiaries") shall survive termination of this Contract and shall be enforceable by CE as provided herein in the event of such failure to perform or comply by the Associate. This Addendum shall remain in effect during the term of the Contract including any extensions.

15. Representatives and Notice.

- a. Representatives. For the purpose of the Contract, the individuals identified elsewhere in this Contract shall be the representatives of the respective parties. If no representatives are identified in the Contract, the individuals listed below are hereby designated as the parties' respective representatives for purposes of this Contract. Either party may from time to time designate in writing new or substitute representatives.
- b. Notices. All required notices shall be in writing and shall be hand delivered or given by certified or registered mail to the representatives at the address set forth below.

[INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

Program/Covered Entity Representative:

Name: Teresa Flores
Title: Executive Director
Address: Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P. O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Provider/Business Associate Representative

Name: _____
Title: _____
Department and Division: _____
Address: _____

Provider/Associate

**Program /Covered Entity
Hidalgo County Head Start Program**

By: _____
Print Name

By: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

Signature

Title

Exhibit A

Description of Services – Medical Service

The Provider agrees to provide any services deemed necessary to evaluate any and all children referred to the Provider by Head Start.

The Provider agrees to continue such services until such time as the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) determine that there is no longer a need for the services.

Provider shall provide copies of records to Head Start for each child it affords services. Copies of these records shall be free of charge.

The services provided by the Provider will include the following and in addition all services will be provided on schedule with Head Start 1304:

1. The Provider will perform a complete physical examination (head to toe assessment) at his/her respective practice or center site on the initial visit. The form "**PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" will be shown with date of exam, signature of the Provider, referral and or treatment.
2. Any "abnormal findings" or "not evaluated" will be accompanied by an explanation
3. Minor acute illnesses will be referred to their own family physician, if none is available, clients will be treated on site and follow-up appointment made for a later date.
4. Chronic illnesses or other abnormalities encountered will be referred for further evaluation or treatment.
5. ALL MEDICAID CHILDREN WILL RECEIVE AN EXAM AS PER THE EPSDT MEDICAL PROCEDURES SCHEDULED BY AGE. (Medicaid Provider Procedure Manual)
6. Physical findings, treatments and or referrals will be discussed with parents upon completion of examination.
7. Confidentiality of medical records will be maintained in accordance of examination.
8. Upon completion of "**HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" signature of provider and date will be written on the bottom page. RECOMMENDATIONS will be written accordingly. Remit a copy to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM, a copy for the Provider's records and a copy to the parent. The same procedure will follow the same for a Texas Health Step exam.
9. The Provider's statement, which lists the child's name / center and the total cost of the exam provided, is to be returned to HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM for payment. Six (6) weeks may be required for processing payment.
10. The total number of children provided medical services will be submitted to the HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM with the Provider's name after every examination day.
11. Provider must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance.

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM will be responsible to:

1. Encourage the child's parent to be present during physical exam. If parent is unable to attend, a brief medical history will be obtained from parent.
2. Provide "**PROJECT HEAD START: PHYSICAL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT**" form with child's name and address.
3. Schedule a minimum of twenty (20) patients for physical exams, when clinics are to be held at center site.

Exhibit B

Fee Schedule-Medical Services

Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PLLC. 2017-2018

Fee Schedule for Services: Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.

1 The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description Of Service	FEE
1. complete THS (Head To Toe Assessment)	\$
to include the following:	
a Medical History	Inclusive with physical exam fee \$
b Physical Examination	\$ \$35.00
c. Measurements (Heights/Weights/BMI/Blood Pressure)	Inclusive with physical exam fee \$
d. Sensory Screening (Visions & Hearing)	Inclusive with physical exam fee \$
e Tuberculin Screening	\$ \$15.00
f Tuberculin Screening-establish patient	\$ \$15.00
g Laboratory (Lead, Hgb or Hct)	Inclusive with physical exam fee \$
h Immunizations	\$ \$5.00
i. Anticipatory Guidance	Inclusive with physical exam fee \$

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

Certificate Number:
2017-184722

Date Filed:
03/29/2017

Date Acknowledged:

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

DR BOSE INDUSTRIAL & FAMILY MEDICINE
MCALLEN, TX United States

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

HIDALGO CO. HEADSTART PROGRAM

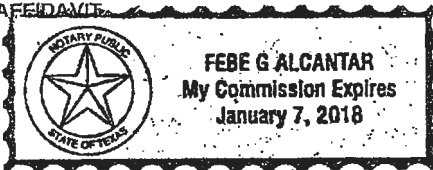
3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

2017-002-04-28
MEDICAL CLINIC

4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermed.ary
	DR BOSE INDUSTRIAL & FAMILY MEDICINE	MCALLEN, TX United States	X	

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT



I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.

Sarajini Bose
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Sarajini Bose, this the 7th day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

Febe G. Alcantar
Signature of officer administering oath

Febe G. Alcantar
Printed name of officer administering oath

Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
06/01/2016

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Jose M Davila Insurance Agency 3000 N McColl Rd Ste A1 McAllen TX 78501		CONTACT NAME: Jose Davila PHONE (A/C No, Ext): 956-683-0500 FAX (A/C, No): 956-686-5391 E-MAIL ADDRESS: jdavila@farmersagent.com PRODUCER CUSTOMER ID #:	
INSURED Dr. Bose Industrial & Family Medicine, PLLC DBA Industrial Health Works 801 EE Nolana Ste 9 McAllen TX 78504		INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: Truck Insurance Exchange INSURER B: Texas Mutual INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:	

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: REVISION NUMBER:

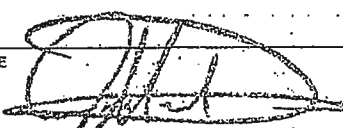
THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSR	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC			604082557	05/24/2016	05/24/2017	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 2,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 75,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 2,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 4,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000
A	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS			604082557	05/24/2016	05/24/2017	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$ \$
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B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under SPECIAL PROVISIONS below			0001288105	05/22/2016	05/22/2017	W/C STATUTORY LIMITS OTHER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

Hidalgo County Head Start Program 1901 W State Highway 107 McAllen TX 78504	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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MISCELLANEOUS MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY, INFORMATION SECURITY AND PRIVACY
LIABILITY INSURANCE INCLUDING BREACH RESPONSE SERVICES

DECLARATIONS

INSURING AGREEMENTS I.A., I.B., I.D., AND I.E OF THIS POLICY PROVIDE COVERAGE ON A CLAIMS MADE AND REPORTED BASIS AND APPLY ONLY TO THOSE CLAIMS WHICH ARE FIRST MADE AGAINST THE INSURED AND REPORTED IN WRITING TO THE UNDERWRITERS DURING THE POLICY PERIOD OR THE EXTENDED REPORTING PERIOD (IF APPLICABLE). DAMAGES AND CLAIMS EXPENSES SHALL BE APPLIED AGAINST THE DEDUCTIBLE. CLAIMS EXPENSES UNDER THIS POLICY SHALL REDUCE AND MAY EXHAUST THE LIMIT OF LIABILITY. CERTAIN WORDS AND PHRASES WHICH APPEAR IN BOLD TYPE HAVE SPECIAL MEANING; PLEASE REFER TO CLAUSE VI., DEFINITIONS. PLEASE REVIEW THE COVERAGE AFFORDED UNDER THIS INSURANCE POLICY CAREFULLY AND DISCUSS THE COVERAGE HEREUNDER WITH YOUR INSURANCE AGENT OR BROKER.

INSURING AGREEMENT I.C. OF THIS POLICY PROVIDES FIRST PARTY COVERAGE ON AN INCIDENT OR LOSS DISCOVERED AND REPORTED BASIS; COVERAGE UNDER THIS INSURING AGREEMENT APPLIES ONLY TO INCIDENTS OR LOSSES FIRST DISCOVERED BY THE INSURED AND REPORTED TO THE UNDERWRITERS DURING THE POLICY PERIOD.

THESE DECLARATIONS ALONG WITH THE COMPLETED AND SIGNED APPLICATION AND THE POLICY WITH ENDORSEMENTS SHALL CONSTITUTE THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE INSURED AND UNDERWRITERS.

Underwriters: Beazley Insurance Company, Inc. **Jose M Davila Insurance**
Policy Number: V1DD5E170101 **3000 N McCall Ste, A1**
McAllen, Texas 78501

Item 1. Named Insured: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine
Address:
801 East Nolana
Suite 6
McAllen, TX 78504

Item 2. **Policy Period:** From: 15-Feb-2017
To: 15-Feb-2018

Both dates at 12:01 a.m. Local Time at the Principal Address stated in Item 1.

Item 3. **Limit of Liability:**

A. **Professional Liability Tower**

1. Each Claim including Claims Expenses \$1,000,000

But sublimited to:

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

- i. Sexual/Physical Misconduct Each Claim including Claims Expenses \$100,000
- 2. Professional Liability Term Aggregate Including Claims Expenses \$3,000,000
 - But sublimited to:
 - i. Sexual/Physical Misconduct Aggregate Including Claims Expenses \$300,000
- B. Information Security & Privacy Liability, Regulatory Defense and Penalties and PCI Fines, Expenses and Costs
 - Limit of Liability, Insuring Agreements, I.B., I.D., and, I.E.,:
 - 1. Aggregate including Claims Expenses \$1,000,000
 - But sublimited to:
 - i. Aggregate sublimit of liability applicable to Insuring Agreement I.D. \$1,000,000
 - ii. Aggregate sublimit of liability applicable to Insuring Agreement I.I. \$100,000
 - C. Beazley Breach Response Services Tower
 - Limit of Liability for Insuring Agreement I.C.
 - 1. Notified Individuals Limit of Coverage 25,000 Notified Individuals in the aggregate.
 - 2. Aggregate Limit of Coverage for all Computer Expert Services, Legal Services and Public Relations and Crisis Management Expenses combined: \$100,000

The Limits of Liability shall apply separately from each tower. Under no circumstances shall any one Claim trigger multiple towers.

Item 4. Deductible:

A. Insuring Agreements I.A., I.B., I.D., and I.E

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

Each **Claim** (including each Claim in the form of a **Regulatory Proceeding**) including **Claims Expenses** \$2,500

B. Insuring Agreement I.C., Threshold and Deductible

Each incident, event or related incidents or events giving rise to an obligation to provide **Privacy Breach Response Services**:

- i. **Notification Services, Call Center Services and Breach Solution and Mitigation Services** for each incident involving at least: **100 Notified Individuals**
- ii. **Deductible applicable to Computer Expert Services, Legal Services and Public Relations and Crisis Management Expenses:** **\$2,500 combined, but one-half (1/2) of the amount shown herein for Legal Services (which deductible is part of and not in addition to the combined deductible)**

Item 5. Premium:

The premium paid in respect of the entire Policy Period of Insurance

\$6,916

Plus taxes as applicable, which shall be payable in full at inception of this Insurance as designated in Item 2. of the Declarations.

Item 6. Extended Reporting Period

- a. **Premium for Extended Reporting Period:** 100% of the annualized premium for this Policy
- b. **Length of Extended Reporting Period:** 12 Months

Item 7. Retroactive Date 15-Feb-2017

Item 8. Notification Under This Policy

- **Recipient of Notice of Insured's Cancellation:**
Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.
30 Batterson Park Road
Farmington, CT 06032
Tel: (860) 677-3700
Fax: (860) 679-0247

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

- Recipient of Notice of Insured's intention to purchase Extended Reporting Period Coverage and premium for Extended Reporting Period Coverage:
Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.
30 Batterson Park Road
Farmington, CT 06032
Tel: (860) 677-3700
Fax: (860) 679-0247

Item 9. Notice of Claim, Circumstances and/or Privacy Breaches in accordance with Clause XI.

- Recipient of Notice under Insuring Agreements I.A,

Beazley Healthcare Claims
1270 Avenue of the Americas
Suite 1200
New York, NY 10020
Tel: +1 (646) 943 5900
Fax: +1 (646) 378 4039
Email: healthcareclaims@beazley.com
- Recipient of Notice under Insuring Agreements I.B, I.D, and I.E

Beazley Group
TMB Claims Group
1270 Avenue of the Americas, 12th Floor
New York, NY 10020
Email: bbr.claims@beazley.com
- Recipient of Privacy Breaches under Insuring Agreements I.C
Toll-Free 24-Hour Hotline: (866) 567-8570
Email: bbr.claims@beazley.com
(Emails and calls reports from the toll-free hotline are forwarded to the Breach Response Services team for response)

Item 10. Additional Insureds/Scheduled Physicians:

N/A

Item 11. Scheduled Professional Services:

Outpatient medical clinic services

Item 12. Terrorism Coverage

Coverage Purchased: Yes No

If "Yes: Terrorism Coverage Premium:

Not Purchased

INSURED: Dr Bose Industrial & Family Medicine

Item 13. **Endorsements Effective at Inception:**

1. A01110TX 022014 ed. Important Notice
2. A0004 112007 ed. Notification Of The Availability of Loss Control Information/Services- Texas
3. BICMU05090406 Nuclear Exclusion
4. E07745TX-C 082015 ed. Reliance on Another Insurance Company's Application - Texas
5. E08480-C 062016 ed. Retroactive Date and Deductible Clarification
6. E02804 032011 ed. Sanction Limitation and Exclusion Clause
7. A01438TX-C 082015 ed. Texas Amendatory Endorsement
8. BICMU05070406 War and Civil War Exclusion
9. E07175-C 082015 ed. Additional Scheduled Locations/Facilities Coverage
10. E07176-C 082015 ed. Additional Services Exclusion
11. E07207-C 082015 ed. Limits of Liability Drop Down Endorsement
12. E08434-C 062016 ed. Warranty of General Liability Coverage

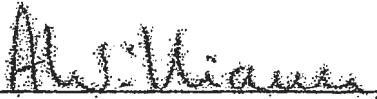
The Underwriters have caused this Policy to be signed and attested to by its authorized officers, but it shall not be valid unless also signed by another duly authorized representative of the Underwriters.



Authorized Representative

22-Feb-2017

Date



Secretary



President



HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM
P.O. BOX 0117
EDINBURG, TX. 78540-0117
TEL. (956) 383-0706 FAX (956) 380-4178

TO: Ambrosio Tovar, Procurement Director
FROM: Melissa Gallegos, Mental Health Counselor
SUBJECT: Mental Health RFQ Recommendation
DATE: June 13, 2017

The Mental Health RFQ packets have been reviewed.
The following companies are being recommended:

- Amando O. Gonzalez
- Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center, LLC.

For any questions please call us.
956-383-0706

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDERS
 RFQ № 2017-002-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale for Points: <u>Applicant meets all professional qualifications to conduct and provide services.</u>	20	20
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has over nineteen years of experience working in the social services field.</u>	25	25
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has experience working in school settings and community agencies as a social worker (LBSW) and currently as a Licensed Professional Counselor.</u>	20	20
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has experience in private practice and has served on committees Has delivered services to community agencies TMC, Migrant Head Start, AVANCE.</u>	25	25
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>All documents are in compliance with regulations.</u>	10	10

Provider: Amando D. Gonzalez, M. Ed, LBSW, LPC
 Evaluator(s): Melissa Gallegos Date: 5-30-17

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
MENTAL HEALTH
C-17-003-08-01-A**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (The “**Contract**”) is made effective the 1st day of **August, 2017** by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “**Program**”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Amando O. Gonzalez** (hereinafter “**Provider**”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, **Program** requires certain services which **Provider** is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “**Services**”);

WHEREAS, the **Provider** has agreed to provide the **Services** enumerated in this **Contract** for the **Program**;

WHEREAS, the **Program** is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of **Services** to the participants of the **Program**;

WHEREAS, **Program** participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the **Provider**;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“**PHI**”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“**ePHI**”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for an additional one year on the same terms and conditions if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review

services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Amando O. Gonzalez
1010 Lost Meadows Dr.
Donna, TX 78537

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** at the same terms and conditions for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as contained herein. If

the **Program** elects to extend this **Contract**, **Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.

G. **No amendment**, modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.

H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only**. In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).

I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.

J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is

disclosed in a form that identifies the child without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.

M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Amando O. Gonzalez

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM

This Business Associate Addendum (“Addendum”) is a part of the Contract effective as of August 1, 2017 between Amando O. Gonzalez (the “Provider”) and the Hidalgo County Head Start Program (the “Program”). For purposes of this Addendum the Program is referred to as “Covered Entity” or “CE” and the Provider is referred to as “Associate”. Unless the context clearly requires a distinction between the Contract document and this Addendum, all references herein to “the Contract” or “this Contract” include this Addendum.

RECITALS

- A. CE wishes to disclose certain information to Associate pursuant to the terms of the Contract, some of which may constitute Protected Health Information (“PHI”) (defined below).
- B. CE and Associate intend to protect the privacy and provide for the security of PHI disclosed to Associate pursuant to this Contract in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 1320d-1320d-8 (“HIPAA”) as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (“ARRA”)/HITECH Act (P.L. 111-005), and its implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 (the “Privacy Rule”) and other applicable laws, as amended.
- C. As part of the HIPAA regulations, the Privacy Rule requires CE to enter into a contract containing specific requirements with Associate prior to the disclosure of PHI, as set forth in, but not limited to, Title 45, Sections 160.103, 164.502(e) and 164.504 (e) of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R”) and contained in this Addendum.

The parties agree as follows:

- 1. Definitions.
 - a. Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Addendum shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended. In the event of any conflict between the mandatory provisions of the Privacy Rule and the provisions of this Contract, the Privacy Rule shall control. Where the provisions of this Contract differ from those mandated by the Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Contract shall control.
 - b. “Protected Health Information” or “PHI”. means any information, whether oral or recorded in any form or medium: (i) that relates to the past, present or future

physical or mental condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (ii) that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual, and shall have the meaning given to such term under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Section 164.501.

- c. "Protected Information" shall mean PHI provided by CE to Associate or created or received by Associate on CE's behalf. To the extent Associate is a covered entity under HIPAA and creates or obtains its own PHI for treatment, payment and health care operations, Protected Information under this Contract does not include any PHI created or obtained by Associate as a covered entity and Associate shall follow its own policies and procedures for accounting, access and amendment of Associate's PHI

2. Obligations of Associate.

- a. Permitted Uses. Associate shall not use Protected Information except for the purpose of performing Associate's obligations under this Contract and as permitted under this Addendum. Further, Associate shall not use Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if so used by CE, except that Associate may use Protected Information: (i) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (ii) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Associate; or (iii) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE. Additional provisions, if any, governing permitted uses of Protected Information are set forth in Attachment A to this Addendum. Associate accepts full responsibility for any penalties incurred as a result of Associate's breach of the Privacy Rule.
- b. Permitted Disclosures. Associate shall not disclose Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if disclosed by CE, except that Associate may disclose Protected Information: (i) in a manner permitted pursuant to this Contract; (ii) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (iii) as required by law; (iv) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE; or (v) to report violations of law to appropriate federal or state authorities, consistent with 45 C.F.R. Section 164,502(j)(l). To the extent that Associate discloses
- c. Appropriate Safeguards. Associate shall implement appropriate safeguards as are necessary to prevent the use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as permitted by this Contract. Associate shall comply with the requirements of the Security Rules, 164.308, 164.310, 164.312, and 164.316. Associate shall maintain a comprehensive written information privacy and security program that includes

administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the size and complexity of the Associate's operations and the nature and scope of its activities.

- d. Reporting of Improper Use or Disclosure. Associate shall report to CE in writing any use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as provided for by this Contract within five (5) business days of becoming aware of such use or disclosure.
- e. Associate's Agents. If Associate uses one or more subcontractors or agents to provide services under the Contract, and such subcontractors or agents receive or have access to Protected Information, each subcontractor or agent shall sign an Contract with Associate containing substantially the same provisions as this Addendum and further identifying CE as a third party beneficiary with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such subcontractors or agents in the event of any violation of such subcontractor or agent Contract. Associate shall implement and maintain sanctions against agents and subcontractors that violate such restrictions and conditions and shall mitigate the effects of any such violation.
- f. Access to Protected Information. Associate shall make Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors in Designated Record Sets available to CE for inspection and copying within ten (10) business days of a request by CE to enable CE to fulfill its obligations to permit individual access to PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45, C.F.R. Section 164.524.
- g. Amendment of PHI. Within ten business (10) days of receipt of a request from CE for an amendment of Protected Information or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall make such Protected Information available to CE for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable CE to fulfill its obligations with respect to requests by individuals to amend their PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.526. If any individual requests an amendment of Protected Information directly from Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate must notify CE in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of the request. Any denial of amendment of Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall be the responsibility of CE.
- h. Accounting Rights. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a request for an accounting of disclosures of Protected Information, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall make available to CE the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to enable CE to fulfill its obligations under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528. As set forth in, and as limited by 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528, Associate shall not provide an accounting to CE of disclosures: (i) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.506;(ii) individuals of Protected Information about them as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.502; (iii) pursuant to an authorization as

provided in 45 C. F. R. Section 164.508; (iv) to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.510; (v) for national security or intelligence purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512(k)(2); (vi) to correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512 (k)(5); (vii) incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted by the Privacy Rule; (viii) as part of a limited data set under 45 C.F. R. Section 164.514(e); or (ix) disclosures prior to April 14, 2003. Associate agrees to implement a process that allows for an accounting to be collected and maintained by Associate and its agents or subcontractors for at least six (6) years prior to the request, but not before the compliance date of the Privacy Rule. At a minimum, such information shall include: (i) the date of disclosure; (ii) the name of the entity or person who received Protected Information and, if known, the address of the entity or person; (iii) a brief description of Protected Information disclosed; and (iv) a brief statement of purpose of the disclosure that reasonably informs the individual of the basis for the disclosure, or a copy of the individual's authorization, or a copy of the written request for disclosure. In the event that the request for an accounting is delivered directly to Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate shall within five (5) business days of the receipt of the request forward it to CE in writing. It shall be CE's responsibility to prepare and deliver any such accounting requested. Associate shall not disclose any Protected Information except as set forth in Section 2(b) of this Addendum.

- i. **Governmental Access to Records.** Associate shall make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Information available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"), in a time and manner designated by the Secretary, for purposes of determining CE's compliance with the Privacy Rule. Associate shall provide to CE a copy of any Protected Information that Associate provides to the Secretary concurrently with providing such Protected Information to the Secretary.
- j. **Minimum Necessary.** Associate (and its agents or subcontractors) shall only request, use and disclose the minimum amount of Protected Information necessary to accomplish the purpose of the request, use or disclosure, in accordance with the Minimum Necessary requirements of the Privacy Rule including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Sections 164.502(b) and 164.514 (d).
- k. **Data Ownership.** Associate acknowledges that Associate has no ownership rights with respect to the protected Information.
- l. **Retention of Protected Information.** Except upon termination of the Contract as provided in Section 4(d) of this Addendum, Associate and its subcontractors or agents shall retain all Protected Information throughout the term of this Contract and shall continue to maintain the information required under Section 2(h) of this Addendum for a period of six (6) years.

- m. Associate Insurance. Associate shall main casualty and liability insurance to cover loss of PHI data and claims based upon alleged violations of privacy rights through improper use or disclosure of PHI. All such policies shall meet or exceed the minimum insurance requirements of the Contract (e.g. occurrence basis, combined single dollar limits, annual aggregate dollar limits, additional insured status and notice of cancellation).
- n. Notification of Breach. During the term of this Contract, Associate shall notify CE within two business days of any suspected or actual breach of security, intrusion unauthorized use or disclosure of PHI and/or any actual or suspected use or disclosure of data in violation of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI has been, or is reasonably believed to have been accessed, acquired or disclosed during the breach. Associate shall take (i) prompt corrective action to cure any such deficiencies and (ii) any action pertaining to such unauthorized disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- o. Audits, Inspection and Enforcement. Within ten (10) business days of a written request by CE, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall allow CE to conduct a reasonable inspection of the facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Information pursuant to this Addendum for the purpose of determining whether Associate has complied with this Addendum; provided however, that: (i) Associate and CE shall mutually agree in advance upon the scope, timing and location of such an inspection; (ii) CE shall protect the confidentiality of all confidential and proprietary information of Associate to which CE has access during the course of such inspection; and (iii) CE shall execute a nondisclosure Contract, upon terms mutually agreed upon by the parties, if requested by Associate. The fact that CE inspects, or fails to inspect, or has the right to inspect, Associate's facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures does not relieve Associate of its responsibility to comply with this Addendum, nor does CE's (i) failure to detect or (ii) detection, but failure to notify Associate or require Associate's remediation of any unsatisfactory practices, constitute acceptance of such practice or waiver of CE's enforcement rights under the Contract.
- p. Safeguards During Transmission. Associate shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Information transmitted to CE pursuant to the Contract, in accordance with the standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such Protected Information is received by CE, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.

- q. Restrictions and Confidential Communications. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a restriction upon uses or disclosures or request for confidential communications pursuant to 45 C.F.R. 164.522, Associate will restrict the use or disclosure of an individual's Protected Information, provided Associate has agreed to such a restriction. Associate will not respond directly to an individual's requests to restrict the use or disclosure of Protected Information or to send all communication of Protected Information to an alternate address. Associate will refer such requests to the CE so that the CE can coordinate and prepare a timely response to the requesting individual and provide direction to Associate.

3. Obligations of CE.

- a. Safeguards During Transmission. CE shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of PHI transmitted to Associate pursuant to this Contract, in accordance with standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such PHI is received by Associate, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.
- b. Notice of Changes. CE shall provide Associate with a copy of its notice of privacy practices produced in accordance with 45 C.F.R Section 164.520, as well as any subsequent changes or limitation(s) to such notice, to the extent such changes or limitations may affect Associate's use or disclosure of Protected Information. CE shall provide Associate with any changes in, or revocation of, permission to use or disclose Protected Information, to the extent it may affect Associate's permitted use or disclosure of PHI, CE shall notify Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of Protected Information that CE has agreed to in accordance with 45 C.F.R. Section 164.522. CE may effectuate any and all such notices of non-private information via posting on CE's website. Associate shall review CE's designated website for notice of changes to CE's HIPAA privacy policies and practices on the last day of each calendar quarter.

4. Termination.

- a. Material Breach. In addition to any other provisions in the Contract regarding breach, a breach by Associate of any provision of this Addendum, as determined by CE, shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall provide grounds for immediate termination of this Contract by CE pursuant to the provisions of the Contract covering termination for cause, if any. If the Contract contains no express provisions regarding termination for cause, the following terms and conditions shall apply:

- (1) Default. If Associate refuses or fails to timely perform any of the provisions of this Contract, CE may notify Associate in writing of the non-performance, and if not promptly corrected within the time specified, CE may terminate

this Contract. Associate shall continue performance of this Contract to the extent it is not terminated and shall be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods or services elsewhere.

- (2) Associate's Duties. Notwithstanding termination of this Contract, and subject to any directions from CE, Associate shall take timely, reasonable and necessary action to protect and preserve property in the possession of Associate in which CE has an interest.
 - (3) Compensation. Payment for completed supplies delivered and accepted by CE shall be at the Contract price. In the event of a material breach under paragraph 4a, CE may withhold amounts due Associate as CE deems necessary to protect CE against loss from third party claims of improper use or disclosure and to reimburse CE for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods and services elsewhere.
 - (4) Erroneous Termination for Default. If after such termination it is determined, for any reason, that Associate was not in default, or that Associate's action/inaction was excusable, such termination shall be treated as a termination for convenience, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if this Contract had been terminated for convenience, as described in this Contract.
- b. Reasonable Steps to Cure Breach. If CE Knows of a pattern of activity or practice of Associate that constitutes a material breach or violation of the Associate's obligations under the provisions of this Addendum or another arrangement and does not terminate this Contract pursuant to Section 4(a), then CE shall take reasonable steps to cure such breach or end such violation, as applicable. If CE's efforts to cure such breach or end such violation are unsuccessful, CE shall either (i) terminate the Contract, if feasible or (ii) if termination of this Contract is not feasible, CE shall report Associate's breach or violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.
- c. Judicial or Administrative Proceedings. Either party may terminate the Contract, effective immediately, if (i) the other party is named as a defendant in a criminal proceeding for a violation of HIPPA, the HIPPA Regulations or other security or privacy laws or (ii) a finding or stipulation that the other party has violated any standard or requirement of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws is made in any administrative or civil proceeding in which the party has been joined.

d. Effective of Termination.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, upon termination of this Contract, for any reason, Associate shall return or destroy all Protected Information that Associate or its agents or subcontractors still maintain in any form, and shall retain no copies of such Protected Information. If Associate elects to destroy the PHI, Associate shall certify in writing to CE that such PHI has been destroyed.
 - (2) If Associate believes that returning or destroying the Protected Information is not feasible, Associate shall promptly provide CE notice of the conditions making return or destruction infeasible. Upon mutual Contract of CE and Associate that return or destruction of Protected Information is infeasible, Associate shall continue to extend the protections of Sections 2(a)2(b), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) of this Addendum to such information and shall limit further use of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction of such PHI infeasible.
5. Injunctive Relief. CE shall have the right to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief against Associate or any of its subcontractors or agents in the event of any use or disclosure of Protected Information in violation of this Contract or applicable law.
6. No waiver of Immunity. No term or condition of this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, CRS 24-10-101 *et seq.* or the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2671 *et seq.* as applicable, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
7. Limitation of Liability. Any limitation of Associate's liability in the Contract shall be inapplicable to the terms and conditions of this Addendum.
8. Disclaimer. CE makes no warranty or representation that compliance by Associate with this Contract, HIPAA or the HIPAA Regulations will be adequate or satisfactory for Associate's own purposes. Associate is solely responsible for all decisions made by Associate regarding the safeguarding of PHI.
9. Certification. To the extent that CE determines an examination is necessary in order to comply with CE's legal obligations pursuant to HIPAA relating to certification of its security practices, CE or its authorized agents or contractors, may, at CE's expense, examine Associate's facilities, systems, procedures and records as may be necessary for such agents or contractors to certify to CE the extent to which Associate's security safeguards comply with HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or this Addendum.

10. Amendment.

- a. Amendment to Comply with Law. The parties acknowledge that state and federal laws relating to data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this Addendum may be required to provide for procedures to ensure compliance with such developments. The parties specifically agree to take such action as is necessary to implement the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule, the final HIPAA Security regulations at 68 Fed. Reg. 8334 (Feb 20, 2003), 45 C.F.R. § 164.314 and other applicable laws relating to the security or privacy of PHI. The parties understand and agree that CE must receive satisfactory written assurance from Associate that Associate will adequately safeguard all Protected Information. Upon the request of either party, the other party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning the terms of an amendment to this Addendum embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other applicable laws. CE may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice in the event (i) Associate does not promptly enter into negotiations to amend this Contract when requested by CE pursuant to this Section or (ii) Associate does not enter into an amendment to this Contract providing assurances regarding the safeguarding of PHI that CE, in its sole discretion, deems sufficient to satisfy the standards and requirements of HIPAA and the Privacy Rule.
 - b. Amendment of Attachment A. Attachment A may be modified or amended by mutual Contract of the parties in writing from time to time without formal amendment of this Addendum.
11. Assistance in Litigation or Administrative Proceedings. Associate shall make itself, and any subcontractors, employees or agents assisting Associate in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, available to CE, at no cost to CE up to a maximum of 30 hours, to testify as witnesses, or otherwise, in the event of litigation or administrative proceedings being commenced against CE, its directors, officers or employees based upon a claimed violation of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other laws relating to security and privacy or PHI, except where Associate or its subcontractor, employee or agent is a named adverse party.
12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. Nothing express or implied in this Contract is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than CE, Associate and their respective successors or assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities whatsoever.
13. Interpretation and Order of Precedence. The provisions of this Addendum shall prevail over any provisions in the Contract that may conflict or appear inconsistent with any provision in this Addendum. Together, the Contract and this Addendum shall be

interpreted as broadly as necessary to implement and comply with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. The parties agree that any ambiguity in this Contract shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that complies and is consistent with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. This Contract supersedes and replaces any previous separately executed HIPAA addendum between the parties.

14. Survival of Certain Contract Terms. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Associate's obligations under Section 4 (d) ("Effect of Termination") and Section 12 ("No Third Party Beneficiaries") shall survive termination of this Contract and shall be enforceable by CE as provided herein in the event of such failure to perform or comply by the Associate. This Addendum shall remain in effect during the term of the Contract including any extensions.

15. Representatives and Notice.

a. Representatives. For the purpose of the Contract, the individuals identified elsewhere in this Contract shall be the representatives of the respective parties. If no representatives are identified in the Contract, the individuals listed below are hereby designated as the parties' respective representatives for purposes of this Contract. Either party may from time to time designate in writing new or substitute representatives.

b. Notices. All required notices shall be in writing and shall be hand delivered or given by certified or registered mail to the representatives at the address set forth below.

[INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

Program/Covered Entity Representative:

Name: Teresa Flores
Title: Executive Director
Address: Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P. O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Provider/Business Associate Representative

Name: Amando O. Gonzalez
Title: Owner
Department and Division: _____
Address: 1010 Lost Meadows Dr. Weslaco, TX

Provider/Associate

**Program /Covered Entity
Hidalgo County Head Start Program**

By: _____
Print Name

By: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

Signature

Title

Exhibit A

Description of Mental Health Services

The Providers shall in a satisfactory and proper manner, as determined by the Program, perform the following Behavioral Health Services on an “as needed basis”.

- (a) Assist in planning mental program activities.
- (b) Provide workshop/in-service training on mental health topics to Head Start staff/parents
- (c) Perform Classroom Observations.
- (d) Submit a typed written report on findings and recommendations to the Head Start Program two weeks from date of referral.
- (e) Provide Developmental Evaluation for children to determine nature of problem and / or rule out medical problems.
- (f) Provide individual and / or family counseling to those Head Start Children and Families that are referred.
- (g) Advise in the utilization of other community resources and referrals.
- (h) A summary report of services rendered will be submitted to the Head Start Program on a monthly basis and at the completion of therapy.
- (i) Indemnification – The contractor agreed to indemnify and hold harmless the Program, it’s director, officers, employees, servants, and agents for any and all reasonable expenses, claims lawsuits, and judgments which may incur as a result of any negligence on malpractice of the part of the provider in rendering services contemplated by this Contract.

The program shall furnish the following services, date and information to Provider:

- (a) A completed referral on children exhibiting a typical and emotional behavior is referred by site staff or parental concern.
- (b) Information released on a referral form will remain specific to the need for referral and services being requested.
- (c) The program will identify and provide names of children referred whose families have health insurance of Medicaid. The provider will submit insurance on Medicaid claims directly to insurance companies for services provided to minimize cost reimbursement due to Program.

IN – KIND SERVICE BY CONTRACTOR:

1. The provider will provide the Program with a monthly listing of the following in-kind services provided when deemed appropriate:
 - (a) Classroom Observation and recommendation
 - (b) Developmental evaluation
 - (c) Individual / family counseling (per hour)
 - (d) Workshop / In-Service / Training

Exhibit B
Fee Schedule-Mental Health

AMANDO O. GONZALEZ

Fee Schedule for Services:

Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.

The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description Of Services	Fee
a. Clinical Intake/Developmental Assessment/Written Assessment	\$135.00
b. Medication Management Follow-Up	N/A
c. Workshops/Training/or In-Service (Upon Arrangements Made)	\$135.00
d. Classroom Observations	\$100.00
e. Individual and/or family counseling to those children and families	\$90.00
Family	
f. Play Therapy(individual)	\$90.00
g. Psychological Testing	N/A

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

**OFFICE USE ONLY
CERTIFICATION OF FILING**

Certificate Number:
2017-196622

Date Filed:
04/21/2017

Date Acknowledged:

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

Amando Gonzalez
Weslaco, TX United States

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

Hidalgo County Head Start Program

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

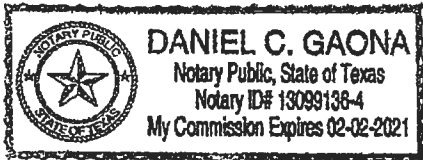
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Mental Health Services

4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermediary
	Gonzalez, Amando	Weslaco, TX United States	X	

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT

I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said _____, this the 24th day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of officer administering oath

Daniel C. Gaona
Printed name of officer administering oath

Banker
Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
03/30/2017

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed, if SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER	JULIAN GARZA, AGENT 1529 W EXPRESSWAY 83, SUITE A WESLAGO, TX 78566-4300	CONTACT NAME: MARL CHAVEZ PHONE (AC, No. Ext): 956-447-9796 FAX (AC, No.): 956-447-2754 EMAIL ADDRESS: ADDRESS:
INSURED	AMANDO & LETICIA GONZALEZ 1010 LOST MEADOWS DR DONNA, TX 78537-9536	INSURER(S) PROVIDING COVERAGE INSURER A: State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:

COVERAGES: CERTIFICATE NUMBER: REVISION NUMBER:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN. THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

TYPE OF COV.	TYPE OF INSURANCE	MODELS	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF. DATE	POLICY EXPIRATION DATE	LIMITS
	COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:					EACH OCCURRENCE \$ DAMAGE SUFFERED BY OTHERS (per occurrence) \$ MED EXP (Any one person) \$ PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ PRODUCTS - COMMER AGG \$ \$
A	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY ANY AUTO: ALL-OWNED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIMS <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIMS <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> DED <input type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$	N N	290 9668 E01-53	08/01/2017	11/01/2017	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (per accident) \$ BODILY INJURY (per person) \$ 500,000 BODILY INJURY (per accident) \$ 500,000 PROPERTY DAMAGE (per accident) \$ 100,000 \$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE/OFFICER/OWNER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory for NE) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS/VEHICLES					PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> E/L EACH ACCIDENT \$ E/L DISEASE - SA EMPLOYEE \$ E/L DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS/LOCATIONS/VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
2011 FORD F150 PICKUP
VIN# 1FTTF1E18RF009457

CERTIFICATE HOLDER HIDALGO COUNTY HEADSTART PROGRAM 1901 W. STE. HWY 107 MCALLEN, TX 78504	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE <i>Julian Garza by ABC</i>
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HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS SERVICE ORGANIZATION PURCHASING GROUP



Certificate of Insurance OCCURRENCE POLICY FORM

Print Date: 11/08/2016

Producer Branch Prefix Policy Number Policy Period
018098 970 HPG 0285306314 from 11/07/16 to 11/07/17 at 12:01 AM Standard Time

Named Insured and Address:
Amando O Gonzalez
1010 Lost Meadows Dr
Donna, TX 78537-9536

Program Administered by:
Healthcare Providers Service Organization
159 E. County Line Road
Hatboro, PA 19040-1218
1-800-982-9491
www.hpsso.com

Medical Specialty:
Licensed Professional Counselor

Code:
80723

Insurance is provided by:
American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania
333 S. Wabash Avenue, Chicago, IL 60604

Excludes Cosmetic Procedures

Professional Liability \$1,000,000 each claim \$ 3,000,000 aggregate

Your professional liability limits shown above include the following:

- * Good Samaritan Liability * Malplacement Liability * Personal Injury Liability
* Sexual Misconduct Included in the PL limit shown above subject to \$ 25,000 aggregate sublimit

Coverage Extensions

Table with 5 columns: Coverage Extension, Amount, Unit, Amount, Aggregate. Includes License Protection, Defendant Expense Benefit, Deposition Representation, Medical Payments, First Aid, Damage to Property of Others, Information Privacy (HIPAA) Fines and Penalties.

General Liability

General Liability \$1,000,000 each claim / \$1,000,000 aggregate
Fire & Water Legal Liability Included in the GL limit shown above subject to \$250,000 aggregate sublimit
Personal Liability \$1,000,000 aggregate

Policy Forms & Endorsements (Please see attached list for a general description of many common policy forms and endorsements.)

Table with 6 columns of policy form numbers: G-121500-D, G-121501-C, G-53752-E42, G-145184-A, G-147292-A, GSL15563, etc.

Handwritten signatures of Thomas F. Mohamed and Jonathan Z. Khan with titles Chairman of the Board and Secretary.

Keep this document in a safe place. It and proof of payment are your proof of coverage. There is no coverage in force unless the premium is paid in full. In order to activate your coverage, please remit premium in full by the effective date of this Certificate of Insurance. Master Policy # 188711433

G-141241-B (03/2010)

Coverage Change Date:

Endorsement Change Date:

Affidavit & Indemnity Agreement

Date: 5/24/2017

Affiant: Amando O. Gonzalez

Affiant on oath swears that the following statements are true and are within the personal knowledge of Affiant.

Affiant: Amando O. Gonzalez (s)he is a single member of Gonzalez Counseling Services. As a Mental Health Provider for Hidalgo County Head Start Program under Contract # C-17-003-08-01-A. Affiant will provide services for Hidalgo County Head Start Program.

Affiant further states that she has no employees and does not anticipate employing any during the term of this contract. In the event Affiant does employ any staff during the contract, Affiant shall immediately notify Hidalgo County Head Start Program and obtain the Workers Compensation required by law. Affiant further acknowledges that failure to do so will result in cancellation of the purchase order.

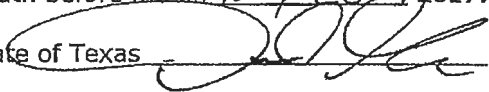
Affiant agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the County of Hidalgo and its agents, employees and elected officials from and against any and all claims, suits, demands and causes of action, of any kind of nature, arising out of or in any way relating to the services performed by Affiant.

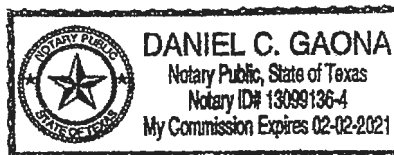
Further Affiant sayeth not.



Amando O. Gonzalez Printed Name of Affiant:

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO under oath before me on May 25th 2017.

Notary Public, State of Texas 



Hidalgo County Head Start Program
MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDERS
RFQ № 2017-002-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale for Points: <u>Applicant meets all Professional Qualifications.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has experience in the mental health field.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has experience working with children in the mental health field.</u>	20	<u>20</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Applicant has performed similar work with other agencies and school districts.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>All documents are in compliance with regulations.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center, LLC

Evaluator(s): Meissa Gallegos Date: 5-30-17

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
MENTAL HEALTH
C-17-003-08-01-D**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (The “**Contract**”) is made effective the 1st day of **August, 2017** by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “**Program**”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Therapy Express Rehabilitation Center, LLC**. (hereinafter “**Provider**”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, **Program** requires certain services which **Provider** is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “**Services**”);

WHEREAS, the **Provider** has agreed to provide the **Services** enumerated in this **Contract** for the **Program**;

WHEREAS, the **Program** is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of **Services** to the participants of the **Program**;

WHEREAS, **Program** participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the **Provider**;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for an additional one year on the same terms and conditions if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review

services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies.

Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Angela Treviño
Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center, LLC.
111 W. US Highway 83
San Juan, TX 78589

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONSTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** at the same terms and conditions for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as contained herein. If

the **Program** elects to extend this **Contract**, **Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.

G. **No amendment**, modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.

H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only**. In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).

I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.

J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is

disclosed in a form that identifies the child without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.

M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Angela Treviño
Therapy Exp. Rehab. Center, LLC.

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM

This Business Associate Addendum (“Addendum”) is a part of the Contract effective as of August 1, 2017 between Therapy Express Rehabilitation Center, LLC. (the “Provider) and the Hidalgo County Head Start Program (the “Program”). For purposes of this Addendum the Program is referred to as “Covered Entity” or “CE” and the Provider is referred to as “Associate”. Unless the context clearly requires a distinction between the Contract document and this Addendum, all references herein to “the Contract” or “this Contract” include this Addendum.

RECITALS

- A. CE wishes to disclose certain information to Associate pursuant to the terms of the Contract, some of which may constitute Protected Health Information (“PHI”) (defined below).
- B. CE and Associate intend to protect the privacy and provide for the security of PHI disclosed to Associate pursuant to this Contract in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 1320d-1320d-8 (“HIPAA”) as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (“ARRA”)/HITECH Act (P.L. 111-005), and its implementing regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 (the “Privacy Rule”) and other applicable laws, as amended.
- C. As part of the HIPAA regulations, the Privacy Rule requires CE to enter into a contract containing specific requirements with Associate prior to the disclosure of PHI, as set forth in, but not limited to, Title 45, Sections 160.103, 164.502(e) and 164.504 (e) of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R”) and contained in this Addendum.

The parties agree as follows:

1. Definitions.
 - a. Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Addendum shall have the definitions set forth in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended. In the event of any conflict between the mandatory provisions of the Privacy Rule and the provisions of this Contract, the Privacy Rule shall control. Where the provisions of this Contract differ from those mandated by the Privacy Rule, but are nonetheless permitted by the Privacy Rule, the provisions of this Contract shall control.

- b. "Protected Health Information" or "PHI". means any information, whether oral or recorded in any form or medium: (i) that relates to the past, present or future physical or mental condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (ii) that identifies the individual or with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual, and shall have the meaning given to such term under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Section 164.501.
- c. "Protected Information" shall mean PHI provided by CE to Associate or created or received by Associate on CE's behalf. To the extent Associate is a covered entity under HIPAA and creates or obtains its own PHI for treatment, payment and health care operations, Protected Information under this Contract does not include any PHI created or obtained by Associate as a covered entity and Associate shall follow its own policies and procedures for accounting, access and amendment of Associate's PHI

2. Obligations of Associate.

- a. Permitted Uses. Associate shall not use Protected Information except for the purpose of performing Associate's obligations under this Contract and as permitted under this Addendum. Further, Associate shall not use Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if so used by CE, except that Associate may use Protected Information: (i) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (ii) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Associate; or (iii) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE. Additional provisions, if any, governing permitted uses of Protected Information are set forth in Attachment A to this Addendum. Associate accepts full responsibility for any penalties incurred as a result of Associate's breach of the Privacy Rule.
- b. Permitted Disclosures. Associate shall not disclose Protected Information in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy Rule if disclosed by CE, except that Associate may disclose Protected Information: (i) in a manner permitted pursuant to this Contract; (ii) for the proper management and administration of Associate; (iii) as required by law; (iv) for Data Aggregation purposes for the Health Care Operations of CE; or (v) to report violations of law to appropriate federal or state authorities, consistent with 45 C.F.R. Section 164,502(j)(l). To the extent that Associate discloses
- c. Appropriate Safeguards. Associate shall implement appropriate safeguards as are necessary to prevent the use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as permitted by this Contract. Associate shall comply with the requirements of the Security Rules, 164.308, 164.310, 164.312, and 164.316. Associate shall maintain a

comprehensive written information privacy and security program that includes administrative, technical and physical safeguards appropriate to the size and complexity of the Associate's operations and the nature and scope of its activities.

- d. Reporting of Improper Use or Disclosure. Associate shall report to CE in writing any use or disclosure of Protected Information other than as provided for by this Contract within five (5) business days of becoming aware of such use or disclosure.
- e. Associate's Agents. If Associate uses one or more subcontractors or agents to provide services under the Contract, and such subcontractors or agents receive or have access to Protected Information, each subcontractor or agent shall sign an Contract with Associate containing substantially the same provisions as this Addendum and further identifying CE as a third party beneficiary with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such subcontractors or agents in the event of any violation of such subcontractor or agent Contract. Associate shall implement and maintain sanctions against agents and subcontractors that violate such restrictions and conditions and shall mitigate the effects of any such violation.
- f. Access to Protected Information. Associate shall make Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors in Designated Record Sets available to CE for inspection and copying within ten (10) business days of a request by CE to enable CE to fulfill its obligations to permit individual access to PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to 45, C.F.R. Section 164.524.
- g. Amendment of PHI. Within ten business (10) days of receipt of a request from CE for an amendment of Protected Information or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall make such Protected Information available to CE for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable CE to fulfill its obligations with respect to requests by individuals to amend their PHI under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.526. If any individual requests an amendment of Protected Information directly from Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate must notify CE in writing within five (5) business days of receipt of the request. Any denial of amendment of Protected Information maintained by Associate or its agents or subcontractors shall be the responsibility of CE.
- h. Accounting Rights. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a request for an accounting of disclosures of Protected Information, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall make available to CE the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to enable CE to fulfill its obligations under the Privacy Rule, including, but not limited to, 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528. As set forth in, and as limited by 45 C.F.R. Section 164.528, Associate shall not provide an accounting to CE of disclosures: (i) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations, as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.506;(ii) individuals of Protected Information about

them as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.502; (iii) pursuant to an authorization as provided in 45 C. F. R. Section 164.508; (iv) to persons involved in the individual's care or other notification purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.510; (v) for national security or intelligence purposes as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512(k)(2); (vi) to correctional institutions or law enforcement officials as set forth in 45 C.F.R. Section 164.512 (k)(5); (vii) incident to a use or disclosure otherwise permitted by the Privacy Rule; (viii) as part of a limited data set under 45 C.F. R. Section 164.514(e); or (ix) disclosures prior to April 14, 2003. Associate agrees to implement a process that allows for an accounting to be collected and maintained by Associate and its agents or subcontractors for at least six (6) years prior to the request, but not before the compliance date of the Privacy Rule. At a minimum, such information shall include: (i) the date of disclosure; (ii) the name of the entity or person who received Protected Information and, if known, the address of the entity or person; (iii) a brief description of Protected Information disclosed; and (iv) a brief statement of purpose of the disclosure that reasonably informs the individual of the basis for the disclosure, or a copy of the individual's authorization, or a copy of the written request for disclosure. In the event that the request for an accounting is delivered directly to Associate or its agents or subcontractors, Associate shall within five (5) business days of the receipt of the request forward it to CE in writing. It shall be CE's responsibility to prepare and deliver any such accounting requested. Associate shall not disclose any Protected Information except as set forth in Section 2(b) of this Addendum.

- i. Governmental Access to Records. Associate shall make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Information available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"), in a time and manner designated by the Secretary, for purposes of determining CE's compliance with the Privacy Rule. Associate shall provide to CE a copy of any Protected Information that Associate provides to the Secretary concurrently with providing such Protected Information to the Secretary.
- j. Minimum Necessary. Associate (and its agents or subcontractors) shall only request, use and disclose the minimum amount of Protected Information necessary to accomplish the purpose of the request, use or disclosure, in accordance with the Minimum Necessary requirements of the Privacy Rule including, but not limited to 45 C.F.R. Sections 164.502(b) and 164.514 (d).
- k. Data Ownership. Associate acknowledges that Associate has no ownership rights with respect to the protected Information.
- l. Retention of Protected Information. Except upon termination of the Contract as provided in Section 4(d) of this Addendum, Associate and its subcontractors or agents shall retain all Protected Information throughout the term of this Contract

and shall continue to maintain the information required under Section 2(h) of this Addendum for a period of six (6) years.

- m. Associate Insurance. Associate shall maintain casualty and liability insurance to cover loss of PHI data and claims based upon alleged violations of privacy rights through improper use or disclosure of PHI. All such policies shall meet or exceed the minimum insurance requirements of the Contract (e.g. occurrence basis, combined single dollar limits, annual aggregate dollar limits, additional insured status and notice of cancellation).
- n. Notification of Breach. During the term of this Contract, Associate shall notify CE within two business days of any suspected or actual breach of security, intrusion unauthorized use or disclosure of PHI and/or any actual or suspected use or disclosure of data in violation of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI has been, or is reasonably believed to have been accessed, acquired or disclosed during the breach. Associate shall take (i) prompt corrective action to cure any such deficiencies and (ii) any action pertaining to such unauthorized disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- o. Audits, Inspection and Enforcement. Within ten (10) business days of a written request by CE, Associate and its agents or subcontractors shall allow CE to conduct a reasonable inspection of the facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures relating to the use or disclosure of Protected Information pursuant to this Addendum for the purpose of determining whether Associate has complied with this Addendum; provided however, that: (i) Associate and CE shall mutually agree in advance upon the scope, timing and location of such an inspection; (ii) CE shall protect the confidentiality of all confidential and proprietary information of Associate to which CE has access during the course of such inspection; and (iii) CE shall execute a nondisclosure Contract, upon terms mutually agreed upon by the parties, if requested by Associate. The fact that CE inspects, or fails to inspect, or has the right to inspect, Associate's facilities, systems, books, records, Contracts, policies and procedures does not relieve Associate of its responsibility to comply with this Addendum, nor does CE's (i) failure to detect or (ii) detection, but failure to notify Associate or require Associate's remediation of any unsatisfactory practices, constitute acceptance of such practice or waiver of CE's enforcement rights under the Contract.
- p. Safeguards During Transmission. Associate shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Information transmitted to CE pursuant to the Contract, in accordance with the standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such Protected Information is received by CE, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.

- q. Restrictions and Confidential Communications. Within ten (10) business days of notice by CE of a restriction upon uses or disclosures or request for confidential communications pursuant to 45 C.F.R. 164.522, Associate will restrict the use or disclosure of an individual's Protected Information, provided Associate has agreed to such a restriction. Associate will not respond directly to an individual's requests to restrict the use or disclosure of Protected Information or to send all communication of Protected Information to an alternate address. Associate will refer such requests to the CE so that the CE can coordinate and prepare a timely response to the requesting individual and provide direction to Associate.

3. Obligations of CE.

- a. Safeguards During Transmission. CE shall be responsible for using appropriate safeguards to maintain and ensure the confidentiality, privacy and security of PHI transmitted to Associate pursuant to this Contract, in accordance with standards and requirements of the Privacy Rule, until such PHI is received by Associate, and in accordance with any specifications set forth in Attachment A.
- b. Notice of Changes. CE shall provide Associate with a copy of its notice of privacy practices produced in accordance with 45 C.F.R Section 164.520, as well as any subsequent changes or limitation(s) to such notice, to the extent such changes or limitations may affect Associate's use or disclosure of Protected Information. CE shall provide Associate with any changes in, or revocation of, permission to use or disclose Protected Information, to the extent it may affect Associate's permitted use or disclosure of PHI, CE shall notify Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of Protected Information that CE has agreed to in accordance with 45 C.F.R. Section 164.522. CE may effectuate any and all such notices of non-private information via posting on CE's website. Associate shall review CE's designated website for notice of changes to CE's HIPAA privacy policies and practices on the last day of each calendar quarter.

4. Termination.

- a. Material Breach. In addition to any other provisions in the Contract regarding breach, a breach by Associate of any provision of this Addendum, as determined by CE, shall constitute a material breach of this Contract and shall provide grounds for immediate termination of this Contract by CE pursuant to the provisions of the Contract covering termination for cause, if any. If the Contract contains no express provisions regarding termination for cause, the following terms and conditions shall apply:

- (1) Default. If Associate refuses or fails to timely perform any of the provisions of this Contract, CE may notify Associate in writing of the non-performance,

and if not promptly corrected within the time specified, CE may terminate this Contract. Associate shall continue performance of this Contract to the extent it is not terminated and shall be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods or services elsewhere.

- (2) Associate's Duties. Notwithstanding termination of this Contract, and subject to any directions from CE, Associate shall take timely, reasonable and necessary action to protect and preserve property in the possession of Associate in which CE has an interest.
 - (3) Compensation. Payment for completed supplies delivered and accepted by CE shall be at the Contract price. In the event of a material breach under paragraph 4a, CE may withhold amounts due Associate as CE deems necessary to protect CE against loss from third party claims of improper use or disclosure and to reimburse CE for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar goods and services elsewhere.
 - (4) Erroneous Termination for Default. If after such termination it is determined, for any reason, that Associate was not in default, or that Associate's action/inaction was excusable, such termination shall be treated as a termination for convenience, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if this Contract had been terminated for convenience, as described in this Contract.
- b. Reasonable Steps to Cure Breach. If CE Knows of a pattern of activity or practice of Associate that constitutes a material breach or violation of the Associate's obligations under the provisions of this Addendum or another arrangement and does not terminate this Contract pursuant to Section 4(a), then CE shall take reasonable steps to cure such breach or end such violation, as applicable. If CE's efforts to cure such breach or end such violation are unsuccessful, CE shall either (i) terminate the Contract, if feasible or (ii) if termination of this Contract is not feasible, CE shall report Associate's breach or violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.
 - c. Judicial or Administrative Proceedings. Either party may terminate the Contract, effective immediately, if (i) the other party is named as a defendant in a criminal proceeding for a violation of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws or (ii) a finding or stipulation that the other party has violated any standard or requirement of HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or other security or privacy laws is made in any administrative or civil proceeding in which the party has been joined.

d. Effective of Termination.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, upon termination of this Contract, for any reason, Associate shall return or destroy all Protected Information that Associate or its agents or subcontractors still maintain in any form, and shall retain no copies of such Protected Information. If Associate elects to destroy the PHI, Associate shall certify in writing to CE that such PHI has been destroyed.
 - (2) If Associate believes that returning or destroying the Protected Information is not feasible, Associate shall promptly provide CE notice of the conditions making return or destruction infeasible. Upon mutual Contract of CE and Associate that return or destruction of Protected Information is infeasible, Associate shall continue to extend the protections of Sections 2(a)2(b), 2(c), 2(d) and 2(e) of this Addendum to such information and shall limit further use of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction of such PHI infeasible.
5. Injunctive Relief. CE shall have the right to injunctive and other equitable and legal relief against Associate or any of its subcontractors or agents in the event of any use or disclosure of Protected Information in violation of this Contract or applicable law.
6. No waiver of Immunity. No term or condition of this Contract shall be construed or interpreted as a waiver, express or implied, of any of the immunities, rights, benefits, protection, or other provisions of the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, CRS 24-10-101 *et seq.* or the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2671 *et seq.* as applicable, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
7. Limitation of Liability. Any limitation of Associate's liability in the Contract shall be inapplicable to the terms and conditions of this Addendum.
8. Disclaimer. CE makes no warranty or representation that compliance by Associate with this Contract, HIPAA or the HIPAA Regulations will be adequate or satisfactory for Associate's own purposes. Associate is solely responsible for all decisions made by Associate regarding the safeguarding of PHI.
9. Certification. To the extent that CE determines an examination is necessary in order to comply with CE's legal obligations pursuant to HIPAA relating to certification of its security practices, CE or its authorized agents or contractors, may, at CE's expense, examine Associate's facilities, systems, procedures and records as may be necessary for such agents or contractors to certify to CE the extent to which Associate's security safeguards comply with HIPAA, the HIPAA Regulations or this Addendum.

10. Amendment.

- a. Amendment to Comply with Law. The parties acknowledge that state and federal laws relating to data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this Addendum may be required to provide for procedures to ensure compliance with such developments. The parties specifically agree to take such action as is necessary to implement the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule, the final HIPAA Security regulations at 68 Fed. Reg. 8334 (Feb 20, 2003), 45 C.F.R. § 164.314 and other applicable laws relating to the security or privacy of PHI. The parties understand and agree that CE must receive satisfactory written assurance from Associate that Associate will adequately safeguard all Protected Information. Upon the request of either party, the other party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning the terms of an amendment to this Addendum embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other applicable laws. CE may terminate this Contract upon thirty (30) days written notice in the event (i) Associate does not promptly enter into negotiations to amend this Contract when requested by CE pursuant to this Section or (ii) Associate does not enter into an amendment to this Contract providing assurances regarding the safeguarding of PHI that CE, in its sole discretion, deems sufficient to satisfy the standards and requirements of HIPAA and the Privacy Rule.
- b. Amendment of Attachment A. Attachment A may be modified or amended by mutual Contract of the parties in writing from time to time without formal amendment of this Addendum.

11. Assistance in Litigation or Administrative Proceedings. Associate shall make itself, and any subcontractors, employees or agents assisting Associate in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, available to CE, at no cost to CE up to a maximum of 30 hours, to testify as witnesses, or otherwise, in the event of litigation or administrative proceedings being commenced against CE, its directors, officers or employees based upon a claimed violation of HIPAA, the Privacy Rule or other laws relating to security and privacy or PHI, except where Associate or its subcontractor, employee or agent is a named adverse party.

12. No Third Party Beneficiaries. Nothing express or implied in this Contract is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than CE, Associate and their respective successors or assigns, any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities whatsoever.

13. Interpretation and Order of Precedence. The provisions of this Addendum shall prevail over any provisions in the Contract that may conflict or appear inconsistent with any

provision in this Addendum. Together, the Contract and this Addendum shall be interpreted as broadly as necessary to implement and comply with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. The parties agree that any ambiguity in this Contract shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that complies and is consistent with HIPAA and the Privacy Rule. This Contract supersedes and replaces any previous separately executed HIPAA addendum between the parties.

14. Survival of Certain Contract Terms. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Associate's obligations under Section 4 (d) ("Effect of Termination") and Section 12 ("No Third Party Beneficiaries") shall survive termination of this Contract and shall be enforceable by CE as provided herein in the event of such failure to perform or comply by the Associate. This Addendum shall remain in effect during the term of the Contract including any extensions.

15. Representatives and Notice.

- a. Representatives. For the purpose of the Contract, the individuals identified elsewhere in this Contract shall be the representatives of the respective parties. If no representatives are identified in the Contract, the individuals listed below are hereby designated as the parties' respective representatives for purposes of this Contract. Either party may from time to time designate in writing new or substitute representatives.
- b. Notices. All required notices shall be in writing and shall be hand delivered or given by certified or registered mail to the representatives at the address set forth below.

[INTENTIONALLY LEFT BLANK]

Program/Covered Entity Representative:

Name: Teresa Flores
Title: Executive Director
Address: Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P. O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Provider/Business Associate Representative

Name: Angela Treviño
Title: Owner
Department and Division: Therapy Express Rehabilitation Center, LLC.
Address: 111 W. US Highway 83 San Juan, TX 78589.

Provider/Associate

**Program /Covered Entity
Hidalgo County Head Start Program**

By: _____
Print Name

By: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

Signature

Title

Exhibit A

Description of Mental Health Services

The Providers shall in a satisfactory and proper manner, as determined by the Program, perform the following Behavioral Health Services on an “as needed basis”.

- (a) Assist in planning mental program activities.
- (b) Provide workshop/in-service training on mental health topics to Head Start staff/parents
- (c) Perform Classroom Observations.
- (d) Submit a typed written report on findings and recommendations to the Head Start Program two weeks from date of referral.
- (e) Provide Developmental Evaluation for children to determine nature of problem and / or rule out medical problems.
- (f) Provide individual and / or family counseling to those Head Start Children and Families that are referred.
- (g) Advise in the utilization of other community resources and referrals.
- (h) A summary report of services rendered will be submitted to the Head Start Program on a monthly basis and at the completion of therapy.
- (i) Indemnification – The contractor agreed to indemnify and hold harmless the Program, it’s director, officers, employees, servants, and agents for any and all reasonable expenses, claims lawsuits, and judgments which may incur as a result of any negligence on malpractice of the part of the provider in rendering services contemplated by this Contract.

The program shall furnish the following services, date and information to Provider:

- (a) A completed referral on children exhibiting a typical and emotional behavior is referred by site staff or parental concern.
- (b) Information released on a referral form will remain specific to the need for referral and services being requested.
- (c) The program will identify and provide names of children referred whose families have health insurance of Medicaid. The provider will submit insurance on Medicaid claims directly to insurance companies for services provided to minimize cost reimbursement due to Program.

IN – KIND SERVICE BY CONTRACTOR:

1. The provider will provide the Program with a monthly listing of the following in-kind services provided when deemed appropriate:
 - (a) Classroom Observation and recommendation
 - (b) Developmental evaluation
 - (c) Individual / family counseling (per hour)
 - (d) Workshop / In-Service / Training

Exhibit B Fee Schedule-Mental Health

Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center , LLC 2017-2018

Fee Schedule for Services:

Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.

The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description Of Services	Fee
a. Clinical Intake/Developmental Assessment/Written Assessment	\$ 110.00
b. Medication Management Follow-Up	\$ 0
c. Workshops/Training/or In-Service (Upon Arrangements Made)	100.00 \$ p/hr.
d. Classroom Observations	100.00 \$ p/hr. 50.00 p/report
e. Individual and/or family counseling to those children and families	\$ 70.00
Family	
f. Play Therapy(individual)	\$ 65.00
g. Psychological Testing	\$ 0

**All reports will made available within a 72 hr time frame from date of service.

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

**OFFICE USE ONLY
CERTIFICATION OF FILING**

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.
Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center, L.L.C
San Juan, TX United States

Certificate Number:
2017-199623

Date Filed:
04/27/2017

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.
Hidalgo County Head Start Program

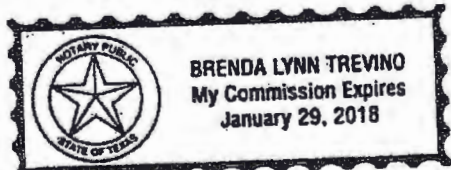
Date Acknowledged:

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.
C-17-003-08-01-D
Mental Health

4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermediary

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



Angela Trevino Delgado
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Angela Trevino Delgado, this the 28th day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

Brenda Lynn Trevino
Signature of officer administering oath

Brenda Lynn Trevino
Printed name of officer administering oath

Notary Public
Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE ISSUED: 12/23/15
02/12/2015

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Kasina Martinez Insurance Agency Kasina Martinez 4413 W. US Highway 83 Ste 2 McAllen TX 78501 INSURED Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation Center L.L.C. Angela Trevino 111 W US Highway 83 San Juan TX 78589	CONTACT NAME: Kasina Martinez PHONE (A/C, Ext): (958) 627-2926 FAX (A/C, Ext): (958) 383-8881 E-MAIL ADDRESS: kasina@kasinainsurance.com INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE: INSURER A: Farmers Texas County Mutual Insurance Company NAIC # 24382 INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:
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COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER REVISION NUMBER

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INSR. TYPE	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDRESS (BUS, HOME)	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF. DATE	POLICY EXPI. DATE	LIMITS
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	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> APPLIED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> HOME AUTOS ONLY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS (NON-CARVED AUTOS ONLY)		4555-57-30	12/12/2015	12/21/2018	GOVERNMENT TOLLS (per accident) BODILY INJURY (per person) BODILY INJURY (per accident) PROPERTY DAMAGE (per accident) UNM/LIM Bl (per a)
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	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY EMPLOYER OR PARTNER/REGULATORY DETACHMENT BENEFIT/EXCLUSIVITY (Provision in NH) If you describe state DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below					<input type="checkbox"/> SATELLITE <input type="checkbox"/> OPT-INS FD EACH ACCIDENT FD DISEASE EMPLOYEE FL DISEASE POLICY LIMIT

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	E-MAIL ADDRESS: contact@hiscox.com		
INSURED Therapy Express Children's Rehabilitation L. L. C. 111 W US Highway 83 San Juan, TX 78589	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
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A	Professional Liability		N	UDC-1808636-EO-16	08/31/2016	08/31/2017	Each Claim: \$ 1,000,000 Aggregate: \$ 1,000,000

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PROFESSIONAL LICENSED COUNSELOR

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 EDINBURG TX 78504

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	E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC#
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INSURED THERAPY EXPRESS CHILDREN'S REHABILITATION L.L.C. 111 W US HIGHWAY 83 SAN JUAN TX 78589		INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:

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A	COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Liab			83 SBM NX2233	02/13/2017	02/13/2018	EACH OCCURRENCE \$1,000,000
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HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM
P.O. BOX 0117
EDINBURG, TX. 78540-0117
TEL. (956) 380-4190 FAX (956) 380-4146

TO: Ambrosio Tovar, Procurement Director
FROM: Edna Snider, Special Services Director
THROUGH: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
SUBJECT: RFQ Recommendation
DATE: June 2, 2017

The RFQ packets have been reviewed. The following company(s) are being recommended:

- *Sign Language Services dba Amy Hermansen
- *Sign Language Interpreters

If you have any questions, feel free to call us at 380-4164 or 380-4190.

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING SERVICES
 RFQ № 2017-004-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company has the qualified professional interpreters requested in the RFQ.</u> <u>Will continue to receive their staff qualifications.</u> _____	20	<u>20</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company has many years of experience in the field of sign language</u> <u>interpreting.</u> _____	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company has worked with the HCHSP in the past and is readily available</u> <u>for the programs requests.</u> _____	20	<u>20</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company understands/meets the guidelines set forth in the RFQ.</u> _____	25	<u>25</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: <u>Follows rules set forth in the RFQ. The</u> <u>Hidalgo County Head Start Program has a good working relationship with this</u> <u>company.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Sign Language Services dba Amy Hermansen

Evaluator(s): Edna Snider Date: 6/2/17

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING SERVICES
C-17-004-08-01-A**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (the “Contract”) is made effective the 1st day of August, 2017 by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “Program”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and Amy Jane Hermansen dba Sign Language Services (hereinafter “Provider”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Program requires certain services which Provider is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “Services”);

WHEREAS, the Provider has agreed to provide the Services enumerated in this Contract for the Program;

WHEREAS, the Program is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of Services to the participants of the Program;

WHEREAS, Program participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the Provider;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for one additional year on the same terms and condition if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In

addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to

be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Amy Jane Hermansen dba Sign Language Services
1409 Rio Grande St.
San Juan, Texas 78589

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request

of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

- F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as negotiated by the parties. If the **Program** elects to extend this **Contract**, **Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.
- G. **No amendment,** modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.
- H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only.** In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).
- I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.
- J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

- K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.
- L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.
- M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Amy Jane Hermansen dba
Sign Language Services

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

Exhibit A

Description of Interpreting Services

The Provider agrees to provide any services deemed necessary to interpret to any and all families referred to the Provider by the Hidalgo County Head Start Program. The Provider agrees to continue such services until such time as the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) determine that there is no longer a need for the services.

The services provided by the Provider will include the following and in addition all services will be provided on schedule with Head Start 1308.4.

- (a) Must be willing to travel within the County.
- (b) Interpret at Monthly Parent Committee Meetings.
- (c) Interpret as needed for children's applications.
- (d) Interpret for Parent / Teacher home visits and Parent Conferences.
- (e) Interpret for ARD / IEP Meetings
- (f) Interpret at scheduled staffing and as needed for other functions.
- (g) Provide trilingual interpretation.

The Provider agrees that it will permit the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) to examine and evaluate its scope of services provided under this contract and to inspect its records relating to said services, as they apply to clients of the Program. Provider will also furnish the Hidalgo County Head Start Program such information as may be requested relating to the services herein described.

The Hidalgo County Head Start Program agrees to ensure that:

- (a) Will honor the Provider's scheduling procedure, making every effort to coordinate referring schedules with the existing patient load of the Provider.

TERMS ON CONTRACT:

1. The provider shall commence services on, August 1, 2017 and shall complete services no later than July 31, 2018. **NOTE:** All initial referrals to be assessed within five (5) days of the date of referral.
2. The contract may be terminated by either party by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other party.
3. Confidentiality: Each party shall maintain the confidentiality of information of the records of "Covered Person" in accordance with applicable state and federal laws and regulations of other applicable laws, and shall not divulge or release such information, Except as permitted by law and in accordance with a validity executed written release or upon lawful order of a court or public authority which order right to business. In the event of any such disclosure, the disclosing party shall immediately notify the other party in writing, detailing the circumstances and extent of such disclosure.
4. Providers must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance.

Exhibit B Fee Schedule

AMY JANE HERMANSEN 2017 - 2018

Fee Schedule for Services: Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.
(if applicable)

- The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description of Service	FEE
Level I: Interpreting Services (Regular)	
Rate Per Hour	\$ 49 per hour
OT Rate Per Hour - Same day request before 5pm - Sat - Sunday all day rate until 5pm	\$ 73.50 per hour
ER-Weekend/after 5pm same day request-holidays	\$98
Trilingual Non-certified	\$5 ADDITIONAL PER HOUR
Level II: Interpreting Services (Holidays) Regular Advanced	
ER-Weekend and after 5pm same day request- holidays	\$ 110 per hour
OT Rate per Hour - Same day request before 5 pm and Sat - Sunday all day rate until 5pm	\$ 82.50 per hour

TRILINGUAL CERTIFIED \$10 PER HOUR ADDITIONAL

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

Sign Language Services
San Juan, TX United States

Certificate Number:
2017-197602

Date Filed:
04/24/2017

Date Acknowledged:

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

Hildago County Head Start

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

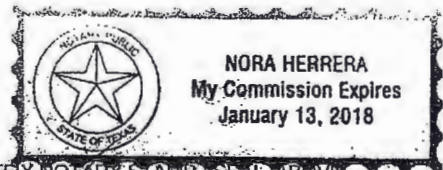
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Sign Language Interpreter

4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermediary

5. Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



Amy Jane Hermansen
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE
Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Amy Jane Hermansen this the 26th day of May, 20 17, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

Nora Herrera Signature of officer administering oath
Nora Herrera Printed name of officer administering oath
Title of officer administering oath



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DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

04/26/2017

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INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL SUBR INSD WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:	Y	UDC-1356688-CGL-17	06/10/2017	06/10/2018	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000
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	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N	N/A			PER STATUTE OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

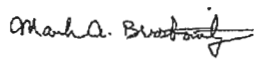
Hidalgo County Head Start is named as additional insured.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER
 Hidalgo County Head Start
 PO Box 0117
 Edinburg, TX 78540
CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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MEMORANDUM OF INSURANCE				Date Issued June 23, 2016	
Producer Mercer Consumer, a service of Mercer Health & Benefits Administration LLC P.O. Box 14576 Des Moines, IA 50306-3576 www.proliability.com			This memorandum is issued as a matter of information only and confers no rights upon the holder. This memorandum does not amend, extend or alter the coverages afforded by the Certificate listed below.		
Insured Sign Language Services 1409 Rio Grande Street San Juan, TX 78589			Company Affording Coverage Liberty Insurance Underwriters, Inc.		
This is to certify that the Certificate listed below has been issued to the insured named above for the policy period indicated, notwithstanding any requirement, term or condition of any contract or other document with respect to which this memorandum may be issued or may pertain, the insurance afforded by the Certificate described herein is subject to all the terms, exclusions and conditions of such Certificate. The limits shown may have been reduced by paid claims.					
Type of Insurance	Certificate Number	Effective Date	Expiration Date	Limits	
Professional Liability Interpreter	AHY-671224005	08/01/2016	08/01/2017	Per Occurrence	\$1,000,000
				Aggregate	\$3,000,000
General Liability				Per Occurrence	
				Aggregate	
Evidence of Insurance					
Memorandum Holder: Addl Insd/Cert Holder			Should the above described Certificate be cancelled before the expiration date thereof, the issuing company will endeavor to mail 30 days written notice to the Memorandum Holder named to the left, but failure to mail such notice shall impose no obligation or liability of any kind upon the company, its agents or representatives.		
			Authorized Representative  Mark Brostowitz Principal		

Affidavit & Indemnity Agreement

Date: 5/23/2017

Affiant: Amy Jane Hermansen

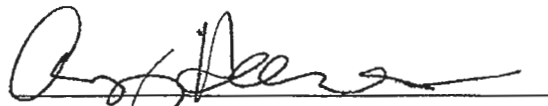
Affiant on oath swears that the following statements are true and are within the personal knowledge of Affiant.

Affiant: Amy Jane Hermansen (s)he is a single member of Sign Language Services. As a Sign Language Provider for Hidalgo County Head Start Program under Contract # C-17-004-08-01-A Affiant will provide services for Hidalgo County Head Start Program.

Affiant further states that she has no employees and does not anticipate employing any during the term of this contract. In the event Affiant does employ any staff during the contract, Affiant shall immediately notify Hidalgo County Head Start Program and obtain the Workers Compensation required by law. Affiant further acknowledges that failure to do so will result in cancellation of the purchase order.

Affiant agrees to indemnity, defend and hold harmless the County of Hidalgo and its agents, employees and elected officials from and against any and all claims, suits, demands and causes of action, of any kind of nature, arising out of or in any way relating to the services performed by Affiant.

Further Affiant sayeth not.

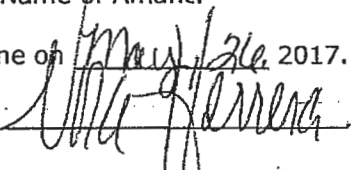


Amy Hermansen

Printed Name of Affiant:

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO under oath before me on May 26, 2017.

Notary Public, State of Texas





IDS Property Casualty Insurance Company
 3500 Packerland Drive
 De Pere, WI 54115-9070

AMENDED DECLARATION
 POLICY CHANGE OF EFFECTIVE DATE IS 05/04/2017

TEXAS
 POLICY NUMBER: AI03040989
 POLICY PERIOD: 02/09/2017 - 08/09/2017
 12:01 AM Standard Time

Mark Hermansen
 Amy J Hermansen
 1409 RIO GRANDE ST
 SAN JUAN, TX 78589-4723

FOR CLAIMS SERVICE CALL:
 1-888-404-5365
 FOR CLIENT SERVICE CALL:
 1-888-404-5365

COVERAGE/LIMIT	1	2013 HYUN ELANTRA GLS	3	2017 SUBA FORESTER 2.	4	2009 MAZD TRIBUTE I
BODILY INJURY LIABILITY \$100,000 EACH PERSON \$300,000 EACH ACCIDENT		\$126.00		\$127.00		NONELECT
PROPERTY DAMAGE LIABILITY \$100,000 EACH ACCIDENT		\$41.00		\$56.00		NONELECT
PERSONAL INJURY PROTECTION \$2,500 AGGREGATE LIMIT MEDICAL AND FUNERAL EXPENSES LOSS OF INCOME (INCOME PRODUCER) HOUSEHOLD SERVICES (NONINCOME PRODUCER)		\$28.00		\$19.00		
MEDICAL PAYMENTS \$5,000 EACH PERSON		\$14.00		\$10.00		NONELECT
UNINSURED/UNDERINSURED MOTORISTS						
BODILY INJURY \$50,000 EACH PERSON \$100,000 EACH ACCIDENT		\$51.00		\$51.00		NONELECT
PROPERTY DAMAGE - \$250 DEDUCTIBLE \$25,000 EACH ACCIDENT		\$8.00		\$6.00		NONELECT
DAMAGE TO YOUR AUTO						
COLLISION DEDUCTIBLES CAR 1-\$500 3-\$500		\$126.00		\$111.00		NONELECT
OTHER THAN COLLISION DEDUCTIBLES CAR 1-\$500 3-\$500 4-\$1000		\$23.00		\$33.00		\$15.00
TOWING AND LABOR COSTS		NONELECT		NONELECT		NONELECT
RENTAL REIMBURSEMENT \$35 PER DAY/\$1050 PER OCCURRENCE		\$13.00		\$12.00		NONELECT
AUTOMOBILE BURGLARY AND THEFT PREVENTION AUTHORITY FEE*		\$1.00		\$1.00		\$1.00
TOTAL SEMIANNUAL PREMIUM PER VEHICLE		\$431.00		\$426.00		\$16.00
TOTAL SEMIANNUAL PREMIUM - \$873.00						

Coverage is provided only when both a premium and limit are shown.

* NOTICE: A fee of \$1.00 is payable in addition to the premium due under this policy. This fee partially or completely reimburses the insurer, as permitted by 28 TAC §5.205, for the \$2.00 fee per motor vehicle year required to be paid to the Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority under *Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas*, Article 4413(37), §10, which was effective on June 6, 1991, and revised effective September 1, 2011.



DRIVER INFORMATION

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|-------------------------|----|
| ~ 1. Mark Hermansen | 4. |
| ~ 2. Amy J Hermansen | 5. |
| ~ 3. Kimberly J Bagwell | 6. |

& QUALIFIES FOR EDUCATION LEVEL DISCOUNT

~ QUALIFIES FOR SAFE DRIVING HISTORY

CAR INFORMATION

CARS KEPT AT LOCATION OTHER THAN RESIDENCE

2013 HYUN 5NPDH4AE0DH263089
8,000 AVERAGE ANNUAL MILES
2017 SUBA JF2SJAGC2HH459525
17,500 AVERAGE ANNUAL MILES
2009 MAZD 4F2CZ02709KM04284
10,000 AVERAGE ANNUAL MILES

YOUR POLICY HAS THE FOLLOWING DISCOUNTS:

MULTI-CAR, PREMIER SAFETY, FULL COVERAGE, MULTI PRODUCT, COSTCO
2013 HYUN - GARAGED, DUAL AND SIDE AIRBAGS
2017 SUBA - ANTI-THEFT DEVICE, GARAGED, DUAL AND SIDE AIRBAGS
2009 MAZD - ANTI-THEFT DEVICE, DUAL AND SIDE AIRBAGS

YOUR POLICY HAS THE FOLLOWING ENDORSEMENTS:

503A. UNINSURED/UNDERINSURED MOTORISTS - SPLIT LIMITS

523B. RENTAL REIMBURSEMENT COVERAGE
573A. SUPPLEMENTARY DEATH BENEFIT
530A. LOSS PAYABLE CLAUSE

LIENHOLDER INFORMATION

2013 HYUN ELANTRA GLS/ELANTRA LIMITED - Hyundai Auto Finance Dallas, TX
2017 SUBA FORESTER 2.5 I PREMIUM AWD - JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A. Atlanta, GA

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING SERVICES
 RFQ № 2017-004-04-28

<u>Selection Criteria</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
1. Professional Qualifications of Team Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company has the qualified professional interpreters as requested in the RFQ. Will need to submit their staff qualifications.</u>	20	<u>15</u>
2. Experience of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company has many years of experience in the field of sign language interpreting.</u>	25	<u>25</u>
3. Experience/Availability of Project Manager Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>HCHSP worked with this company several years ago, at that time they were always readily available to assist us with their services</u>	20	<u>18</u>
4. Understanding of Project Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>This company understands/meets the guidelines set forth in the RFQ, however needs to submit their staff qualifications.</u>	25	<u>20</u>
5. Familiarity with Applicable Rules and Regulations Comments/Rationale For Points: _____ <u>Follows rules set forth in the RFQ. The Hidalgo County Head Start Program has a good working relationship with this company in the past.</u>	10	<u>10</u>

Provider: Sign Language Interpreters

Evaluator(s): Edna Snider Date: 6/2/17

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING SERVICES
C-17-004-08-01-B**

STATE OF TEXAS &
 &
COUNTY OF HIDALGO &

THIS CONTRACT (the “**Contract**”) is made effective the 1st day of **August, 2017** by and between Hidalgo County, Texas acting by and through the **HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM**, (hereinafter the “**Program**”) a federally funded program under the auspices of **HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS**, a political subdivision of the State of Texas and **Sign Language Interpreters LLC. DbA A Sign Language Company** (hereinafter “**Provider**”) to serve at the pleasure of the Program.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Program requires certain services which **Provider** is licensed to provide, a description of such service is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and incorporated herein for all purposes (the “**Services**”);

WHEREAS, the Provider has agreed to provide the **Services** enumerated in this **Contract** for the **Program**;

WHEREAS, the Program is the recipient of certain federal funds to be utilized for the provision of **Services** to the participants of the **Program**;

WHEREAS, Program participants’ (clients) are examined and treated by the **Provider**;

WHEREAS, the **Provider** will examine and treat the program participants on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the **Provider** and the **Program** mutually desire to outline their individual responsibilities with respect to the use and /or disclosure, safeguarding, and transmission of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and electronic Protected Health Information (“ePHI”), as mandated by the Privacy Rule and Security Rule (jointly referred to as “the Rules”) under HIPAA and its implementing regulations at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160-164.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the following **Provider** and **Program** agrees as follows:

- A. 1. The term of this **Contract** shall commence on **August 1, 2017** and shall terminate on the **31st** day of **July, 2018** unless extended or earlier terminated as provided herein. This **Contract** may be extended for one additional year on the same terms and condition if Program elects to do so by providing written notice to **Provider** as provided elsewhere herein.
2. **Provider** represents that **Provider** is licensed by the State of Texas, if required by law to perform the **Services**, is and qualified to perform and execute the **Services** described on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein at this point for all purpose. If such license is suspended or revoked, this **Contract** shall automatically be terminated. **Provider** shall immediately notify the **Program** of such suspension or revocation.
3. The **Provider** shall prepare, maintain and submit all records which are designated, required or prescribed by the **Program**, federal grantor agency, or County of Hidalgo. In

addition, the **Provider** shall permit the **Program**, the Department of Health and Human **Services** and the County of Hidalgo to audit and inspect records and reports, review services and /or evaluate the performance of the **Services** provided hereunder at any reasonable time. The **Provider** shall provide access to all its records, books, reports and other pertinent data and information needed to accomplish review of its activities, services and expenditures billed to the **Program**.

4. In consideration for the above and foregoing, the **Provider** shall submit a monthly billing statement to the **Program** at:

Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Attn: Mrs. Elma Carrera, CFO
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas, 78540

Said statement must provide an itemized list of **Services** rendered to the **Program** during the statement period. Upon receipt of said statement, the **Program** will process the requisition for payment in the usual customary manner utilized by the **Program**. The **Provider** shall be compensated based on the **Program's** fee schedule, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit "B" hereto.

5. The **Provider** must comply with all applicable **Program** and Hidalgo County policies.

Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, the **Provider** represents and maintains that **Provider** is an independent contractor and is not an employee of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, or any agency thereof, and further represents and warrants that **Provider** does not desire or request any fringe benefits provided to employees of the **Program** or Hidalgo County, Texas, and/or agency thereof, including, but not limited to benefits associated with Hidalgo County's civil service program. The **Provider** agrees to

be responsible for any federal income tax, withholding or social security tax liability which might arise from payments received pursuant to this **Contract**.

6. The **Program** and the **Provider** agree that **Program** may terminate this **Contract** at any time for any reason or no reason at all upon thirty (30) days prior written by notice to the other party. Notice shall be submitted through certified letter to:

If to County: Teresa Flores, Executive Director
Hidalgo County Head Start Program
P.O. Box 0117
Edinburg, Texas 78540-0117

If to Provider: Raquel Merrill, Owner
Sign Language Interpreters LLC. dba
A Sign Language Company
5111 N. 10th # 291
McAllen, TX 78504

7. **Provider** agrees to at all times be insured for professional liability, premises liability, auto liability insurance, and worker's compensation insurance covering his/her employee's activities and services to the **Program** in coverage limits not less than the minimum amounts prescribed by the Texas Tort Claims Act, §101.001, et seq., Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code. **Provider** shall furnish the **Program** a certificate issued by their insurer that such insurance is in full force and effect.

8. Except as otherwise herein provided, the **Provider** may not assign the obligation or rights under this **Contract** to any person without the prior written consent of the **Program**.

B. The **Provider's** employees, if any, who perform services for the **Program** under this **Contract** shall be bound by the provisions of the terms of this **Contract**. At the request

of the **Program**, the **Provider** shall provide adequate evidence that such persons are the **Provider's** employees.

C. The **Provider** will indemnify and hold harmless and defend the **Program** and the County of Hidalgo from any and all claims, actions, liability, and expenses including all cost of judgments, settlements, court cost, and attorney's fees regardless of the outcome of such claim(s) or action(s) caused by, resulting from, or alleging negligent or intentional acts or omission(s) or any failure to perform any obligation(s) undertaken or any covenant(s) in this **Contract**, and further, whether such act, omission, or failure to perform any obligation undertaken or any covenant in this **Contract** was the **Provider's** or that of any person providing services hereunder through or for **Provider**. Upon written notice from Hidalgo County and the **Program**, **Provider** will resist and defend at its own expenses, and by counsel reasonably satisfactory to Hidalgo County and/or **Program**, any such claim(s) or action(s).

D. **THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE CONTRUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, AND ALL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES CREATED HEREUNDER ARE PERFORMABLE IN HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS.**

E. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this **Contract** shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof and this **Contract** shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

- F. **Contract Extension.** Hidalgo County Head Start Program reserves the right to extend this **Contract** for one year from the date of termination of the **Contract** period on the same rate and terms as negotiated by the parties. If the **Program** elects to extend this **Contract**, **Program** shall provide ninety (90) days written notice of intention to extend this **Contract** to **Provider** prior to the expiration of this **Contract**.
- G. **No amendment,** modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.
- H. **Commitment of Current Revenues Only.** In the event that, during any term hereof, the Commissioners Court does not appropriate sufficient funds to meet the obligations of the **Program** under this **Contract**, the **Program** may terminate this **Contract** upon ninety (90) days written notice to **Provider**. **Program** agrees, however, to use reasonable efforts to secure funds necessary for the continued performance of this **Contract** at the expiration of each budget period of **Program** pursuant to the provision of Tex. Loc. Govt. Code Ann. '271.903 (Vernon Supp. 1996).
- I. **Provider** will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or handicap in providing the **Services** under this **Contract** or in the selection of associates, employees, or independent providers.
- J. **Provider** will perform its **Services** at all times in compliance with federal, state, and local laws, rules and regulations, the policies, rule and regulations of the **Program**, and all currently accepted and approved methods and practices of the professional specialty relating to the **Services**.

- K. **Provider** must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance. **Provider** shall comply with all HIPPA laws and regulations stated in 24 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.
- L. **Entire Contract.** This **Contract** contains the entire contract between the parties hereto, and each party acknowledges that neither has made (either directly or through any agent or representative) any representation or **Contract** in connection with this **Contract** not specifically set forth herein. This **Contract** may be modified or amended only by **Contract** in writing executed by **Program** and **Provider** and not otherwise.
- M. **Immunities.** Nothing in this Agreement is intended to and **Program** does not hereby waive, release or relinquish any right to assert any of the defenses **Program** enjoys by virtue of the state or federal constitution, laws, rules or regulations, and any sovereign, official or qualified immunity available to **Program** as to any claim or action of any person, entity, or individual against **Program**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed personally or by a duly authorized officer or agent of each party, effective the day and year first written above. EXECUTED as of the day and year first written above.

PROVIDER:

BY: _____
Raquel Merrill

HIDALGO COUNTY HEAD START PROGRAM

BY: _____
Ramon Garcia, County Judge

BY: _____
Teresa Flores, Executive Director

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk

Approved as to form:
Oxford & Gonzalez

By: _____
Ricardo Gonzalez

Approved as to form:
Atlas, Hall & Rodriguez, L.L.P.

BY: _____
Stephen L. Crain

Approved by Policy Council:
Approved by Commissioner's Court:

Exhibit A

Description of Interpreting Services

The Provider agrees to provide any services deemed necessary to interpret to any and all families referred to the Provider by the Hidalgo County Head Start Program. The Provider agrees to continue such services until such time as the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) determine that there is no longer a need for the services.

The services provided by the Provider will include the following and in addition all services will be provided on schedule with Head Start 1308.4.

- (a) Must be willing to travel within the County.
- (b) Interpret at Monthly Parent Committee Meetings.
- (c) Interpret as needed for children's applications.
- (d) Interpret for Parent / Teacher home visits and Parent Conferences.
- (e) Interpret for ARD / IEP Meetings
- (f) Interpret at scheduled staffing and as needed for other functions.
- (g) Provide trilingual interpretation.

The Provider agrees that it will permit the Executive Director of the Program (or designee) to examine and evaluate its scope of services provided under this contract and to inspect its records relating to said services, as they apply to clients of the Program. Provider will also furnish the Hidalgo County Head Start Program such information as may be requested relating to the services herein described.

The Hidalgo County Head Start Program agrees to ensure that:

- (a) Will honor the Provider's scheduling procedure, making every effort to coordinate referring schedules with the existing patient load of the Provider.

TERMS ON CONTRACT:

1. The provider shall commence services on, August 1, 2017 and shall complete services no later than July 31, 2018. **NOTE:** All initial referrals to be assessed within five (5) days of the date of referral.
2. The contract may be terminated by either party by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other party.
3. Confidentiality: Each party shall maintain the confidentiality of information of the records of "Covered Person" in accordance with applicable state and federal laws and regulations of other applicable laws, and shall not divulge or release such information, Except as permitted by law and in accordance with a validity executed written release or upon lawful order of a court or public authority which order right to business. In the event of any such disclosure, the disclosing party shall immediately notify the other party in writing, detailing the circumstances and extent of such disclosure.
4. Providers must have a procedure to ensure that no information about a child is disclosed in a form that identifies the person without a signed Consent for Release of Information by the child's parent or legal guardian. All Business Associates must be in HIPPA Compliance.

Exhibit B Fee Schedule

Sign Language Interpreters, LLC 2017 - 2018

Fee Schedule for Services: Fees should not exceed Medicaid Allowable reimbursements.
(if applicable)

1. The Provider shall be paid only for full and satisfactory completion of the following services:

Description of Service	FEE
Level I: Interpreting Services (Regular)	
Rate Per Hour (2 Hr. Minimum)	\$40 per hour
OT Rate Per Hour (2 Hr. Minimum)	\$60 per hour
Level II: Interpreting Services (Holidays)	
Rate per Hour (2 Hr. Minimum)	\$60 per hour
OT Rate per Hour (2 Hr. Minimum)	\$60 per hour

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

Certificate Number:
2017-199886

Date Filed:
04/28/2017

Date Acknowledged:

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

A Sign Language Company
McAllen, TX United States

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

Hidalgo County Head Start Program

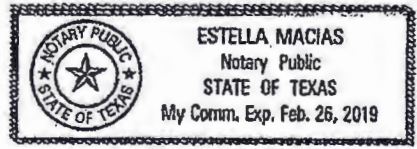
3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

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Sign Language interpreting services

4	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of business)	Nature of interest (check applicable)	
			Controlling	Intermediary

5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 AFFIDAVIT I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.



[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Raquel R. Merrill, this the 28th day of April, 2017, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of officer administering oath

Estella Macias
Printed name of officer administering oath

Bank Officer
Title of officer administering oath



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
05/24/2017

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IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER RUBEN GARDENAS 603 N TEXAS BLVD. WESLACO, TX 78596	CONTACT NAME: RUBEN GARDENAS PHONE (A/C, H/O, Ext): 988-968-4554 FAX (A/C, H/O): 956-969-1247 E-MAIL ADDRESS: ruben.gardenas.b3yp@statefarm.com
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:
INSURED RAQUEL MERRILL SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER LLC 5111 N 10TH ST #291 MC ALLEN, TX 78504-2635	

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDITIONAL INSURED	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
	COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:					EACH OCCURRENCE \$ DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ MED EXP (Any one person) \$ PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ PRODUCTS - COMPROP AGG \$ \$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:		246 0080-E29-53	04/29/2017	10/29/2017	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ 500,000 BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ 500,000 PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per acc/term) \$ 500,000 \$
	UMBRELLA LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED RETENTIONS					EACH OCCURRENCE \$ AGGREGATE \$ \$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N	N/A			PER STATUTE OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

2013 BMW 335I CONVERTIBLE VIN:WBADX1C57DJ128775

CERTIFICATE HOLDER HIDALGO COUNTY 2812 S BUS HWY 281 EDINBURG, TX 78539	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
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