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Re: PLA (Program Letter of Agreement)

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Josephine Ramirez <josephine.ramirez@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us>
To: Rocio Villarreal <rocio.villarreal@co.hidalgo.tx.us>
Cc: Margarita Gonzalez <mague.gonzalez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Mon, Aug 5, 2019 at 3:37 PM

I have reviewed the attached agreement and approve as to form.

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On Mon, Aug 5, 2019 at 10:21 AM Rocio Villarreal <rocio.villarreal@co.hidalgo.tx.us> wrote:

Good Morning Ms. Josephine,

Ms. Margarita from the WIC Program is requesting for the form to be review as to form so we may place an agenda item on Commissioners' Court.

Thank you.

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From: **Margarita Gonzalez** <mague.gonzalez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Date: Mon, Jul 29, 2019 at 2:20 PM

Subject: Fwd: PLA (Program Letter of Agreement)
To: Villarreal, rocio <rocio.villarreal@co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Please advise.

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From: **Clarissa Ramirez** <clarissa.ramirez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>
Date: Wed, Jul 24, 2019 at 11:59 AM
Subject: Fwd: PLA (Program Letter of Agreement)
To: mague gonzalez <mague.gonzalez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

I received this email today. Last time I recall that Burlene could sign the PLA without HCCC approval since there is already an agreement in place. Can you please research this?

Thank you,
Clarissa Ramirez
Director
Hidalgo County WIC Program
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From: **Jessica Paez** <jessica.l.paez@utrgv.edu>
Date: Wed, Jul 24, 2019 at 9:30 AM
Subject: RE: PLA (Program Letter of Agreement)
To: Esther Carrizales <esther.carrizales@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>
Cc: ramirez, clarissa <clarissa.ramirez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>, Maggie Medrano <maggie.medrano@utrgv.edu>, Heidi Pareja Fernandez <heidi.parejafernandez@utrgv.edu>

Hello Ms. Esther,

Attached please find the updated PLA form.

Thank you,

J

Jessica L Paez

From: Esther Carrizales <esther.carrizales@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>
Sent: Wednesday, July 3, 2019 4:51 PM
To: Jessica Paez <jessica.l.paez@utrgv.edu>
Cc: ramirez, clarissa <clarissa.ramirez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>
Subject: Re: PLA (Program Letter of Agreement)

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Ms. Paez,

I am happy to hear from you all at the Family Medicine Resident Program that UT RGV SOM has at McAllen Medical Center. Our legal team will review the PLA. I would like to suggest that prior to submitting to our legal office, you change my name on the PLA to Richard F. Cortez, Hidalgo County Judge. He will be signing the PLA once it has been seen by the legal department and approved by Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court (HCCC).

Once the legal team reviews it and notifies me that it is acceptable, I can notify you. The corrected PLA with signatures on your side in place along with the application, waiver, name of resident and dates that they will be in our clinic will be submitted to HCCC for approval and the signature by the Judge.

I am attaching the zip file for your convenience with the necessary documents for each resident. What is not attached is a table that includes the name of the resident and the date.

Their role here in the clinic will be, only, as an observer to increase their knowledge about the care of the lactating dyad in a joint effort to increase the breastfeeding rates in the Valley, thus improving both maternal and neonatal outcomes. We are looking forward to having your family medicine residents rotate through our clinic. I ask for only one resident per day and have available Tuesday afternoons from 1p-5p, if that works well with their schedule. EXCEPTIONS: 7/19, 8/16, 9/13 & 10/25 as I already have OB residents on those days. If not, please notify me so that we can make other arrangements.

I will await the corrected PLA prior to submitting to our legal team. Thanks you.

Sincerely,

E. Burlene Carrizales, RNC-LRN, IBCLC,RLC

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"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter." -Martin Luther King, Jr.

Breastfeeding matters.

"Alone we can do so little;**together** we can do so much." -Helen Keller

On Wed, Jul 3, 2019 at 1:23 PM Jessica Paez <jessica.l.paez@utrgv.edu> wrote:

Hello Burlene,

The reason for my email is to initially have you read the PLA. Dr. Heidi Pareja and Dr. Kall may have mentioned the university would like to have this agreement in place before patients can be seen by our physicians.

If everything is correct please sign and email back to me at your earliest convenience. We appreciate you, have a safe holiday weekend.

J



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