

August 7, 2007

Marin County Board of Supervisors
3501 Civic Center Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903

SUBJECT: Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health requests approval of FY 2007-08 contract renewal with Mary Ellen Guroy M.D. for \$80,000 to provide on-site patient care and infectious disease consultation. (Renewal)

Dear Supervisors:

RECOMMENDATION:

1. Authorize President to execute FY 2007-08 contract renewal with Mary Ellen Guroy, M.D. for \$80,000.

SUMMARY: The contractor provides physician services to patients of the Department of Health and Human Services. Dr. Guroy is board certified in Infectious Diseases, which greatly enhances the level of medical expertise to patients served by the Department. During the proposed contract period, Dr. Guroy will provide on-site patient care in the Department's clinics, infectious disease consultations to other medical providers within the Department, and on-call services as needed.

COMMUNITY BENEFITS: Dr. Guroy provides expert medical care to Marin County patients with HIV and Hepatitis C, the majority of which are low income and either uninsured or under-insured. Additionally, patients benefit from Dr. Guroy's sharing of her infectious disease expertise with the other medical providers on staff.

CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE: During the FY 06/07 contract period, Dr. Guroy provided over 660 physician units of service to patients and made 180 hospital visits. Dr. Guroy has continuously provided a high level of care for DHHS Specialty Clinic patients and has met all contract requirements in FY 06-07, as well as throughout her relationship with the Specialty Clinic.

FISCAL IMPACT: Funds for this proposed contract renewal are budgeted in the HIV/AIDS Services fund center 1000102000, commitment item 5210100.

Reviewed By:	Auditor Controller	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	County Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Human Resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Respectfully submitted,

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Director