

March 24, 2009

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

SUBJECT: Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Aging and Adult Services, requests approval of Subcontractor Agreements for FY08/09 with Family Caregiver Alliance and Alzheimer's Association community-based agencies for Services to family caregivers in Marin.

Dear Supervisors:

**RECOMMENDATION:** Authorize the Board to approve FY 08/09 agreements with Family Caregiver Alliance and Alzheimer's Association for services to family caregivers in the amount of \$105,222.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Health & Human Services, Division of Aging and Adult Services, proposes to contract with community-based agencies for support services for family caregivers of Marin County. The services are funded through the federal Older Americans Act. The program will provide information, assistance, individual counseling, support groups, training, respite care and supplemental services to family caregivers.

AGENCY	SERVICES	AMOUNT
Alzheimer's Association (Older Americans Act)	Family Caregiver Support Program	\$47,940
Family Caregiver Alliance (Older Americans Act)	Family Caregiver Support Program	\$57,282
TOTAL		\$105,222

## Contractor Performance Report

Contractor	Program	FY 07/08 Goals	FY 07/08 Results
Alzheimer's Association	Family Caregiver Support Program	75% of clients report high or extremely high satisfaction with the services they receive.	90% of clients report high or extremely high satisfaction with the services they receive.
Family Caregiver Alliance	Family Caregiver Support Program	75% of clients report high or extremely high satisfaction with the services they receive	85% of clients report high or extremely high satisfaction with the services they receive.

**COMMUNITY BENEFITS:** These funds will provide much needed community-based services to Marin County's family caregivers caring for older adults or grandchildren in the form of support groups, outreach, comprehensive assessment, case management, respite care in the home and facilities overnight, adult day care and legal assistance.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** There is no increase in net County cost. This contract is funded with State and Federal funds budgeted in fund center 1000021000.

REVIEWED BY: [ ] Auditor Controller [X] NA

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Sincerely,

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