## Brevard County Housing and Human Services Brevard County Opioid Misuse Abatement Services Request for Proposal Addendum One October 2, 2023

## **To All Prospective Agencies Who Submit an Application:**

This is an Addendum to and shall be considered as part of the original proposal application package for the abovementioned Request for Proposal. Please acknowledge receipt of Addendum One in the space provided below. Agencies are requested to acknowledge receipt of this addendum with their application. Please include a signed copy of this addendum in the Request for Proposal under Tab 6: Required Forms.

## **Responses to Questions Received:**

**1. Question:** Will Housing be included under Medicated Assisted Treatment Services?

**Response:** Housing cannot be included in the unit cost breakdown for Medicated Assisted Treatment Services. The County will not reimburse for housing related cost.

2. Question: Can an agency request for reimbursement for training of staff under Medicated Assisted Treatment Services?

**Response:** Please see the separate Request for Proposal Medicated Assisted Treatment Training/Education for Opioid Use Disorders in Brevard County. The training and education reimbursement requirements are outlined in the Request for Proposal. Please see the link below to obtain the separate Request for Proposal.

https://www.brevardfl.gov/HousingAndHumanServices/Announcements

**3. Question:** According to the Terms and Conditions, Section 26, Subsection F, (Professional Liability Insurance),

"Policy in the amount of One Million Dollars per claim and Three Million Dollars in the annual aggregate"

The liability coverage is required. Due to an acute on chronic medical liability cost crisis in Florida, our agency maintains Five Hundred Thousand/One and a Half Million Dollars in coverage, this has become typical in the industry and is the result of an approximately Four Hundred percent increase in malpractice premiums over the last five years. Obtaining a One Million/Three Million Dollar policy would likely be cost prohibitive for our organization. As such, I am requesting a waiver for this One Million/Three Million Dollar policy limit and ask that the County allow us to proceed with the application with our current Five Hundred Thousand/One and a Half Million Dollar limits.

**Response:** The Professional Liability Insurance requirements listed in the Request for Proposal is the required coverage for the awarded agency or

agencies. No waiver less than the amount stated in the Request for Proposal will be granted for this specific coverage.

**4. Question:** Can an agency request reimbursement for transportation?

**Response:** Please see the revised Attachment C1 and C2. A transportation line has been added under Section A and B.

## **Additional Clarification Information:**

Please see the revised Attachment C1 and C2 adding a line item labeled other on both Section A and B. Please provide a brief description of the service to be included in the box labeled "other brief description" as to what the unit cost will include under Section A.

<u>Please note the proposal opening date and time remains Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at 11:00 am.</u>

Acknowledge receipt of this addendum with an authorizing signature and return this addendum as a part of your response.

**Agency Authorized Signature** 

Date