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AGENDA

HEALTH COMMISSION FINANCE COMMITTEE

Tuesday, October 7, 2008

2:00 p.m.

**101 Grove Street, Room 220
San Francisco, CA 94102**

Commissioner Steven Tierney, Ed.D., Chair
Commissioner Edward A. Chow, M.D., Member
Commissioner Sonia E. Melara, MSW, Member
Commissioner James M. Illig, Ex Officio

1) **CALL TO ORDER**

2) **ACTION ITEM:** **APPROVAL OF THE SEPTEMBER 9, 2008 FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES**

**September 9, 2008 Minutes*

3) **ACTION ITEM:** **CONTRACT UPDATE AND APPROVAL**
(Jacquie Hale, Manager, Contracts Office)

3.1) Approval of the October 2008 Health Commission Contracts Report

3.2) **BHS-Mental Health** – Request for approval of a retroactive contract renewal with A Better Way, Inc., in the amount of \$1,310,000 per year, for a total contract amount of \$5,868,800, which includes a 12% contingency, to provide mental health treatment and skill-building services to children and families involved with, or at risk for becoming involved with the foster care system in San Francisco, for the period of July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2012 (4 years).

** Calendaring memo, Client demographic information form*

- 4) **FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:** **DISCUSSION OF THE CONTINUUM OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES**
(DPH Staff)
- 5) **FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:** **REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER REGARDING THE MONITORING OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AWARDED FEDERAL FUNDS BY DPH IN FY 2006-2007**
(Monique Zmuda, Deputy Controller)
**Single Audit Reports*
(All Committee members will have read the report prior to this meeting. Additional copies, if needed, are available through Ms. Seaton).
- 6) **FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:** **HEALTH COMMISSION BUDGET PRINCIPLES**
(Commissioners)
**Draft Budget Principles*
- 7) **EMERGING ISSUES**
- 8) **PUBLIC COMMENT****
- 9) **ADJOURNMENT**

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