

**HEALTH COMMISSION**  
**CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**  
RESOLUTION NO. 14-95

**SUPPORTING THE JOINT PROPOSAL BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT  
OF PUBLIC HEALTH/SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL HOSPITAL  
AND THE SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT  
TO STAFF AND PROVIDE MANAGEMENT OVERSIGHT OF THE  
AIRPORT MEDICAL CLINIC**

WHEREAS, San Francisco International Airport (SFIA) has requested that the Department of Public Health (DPH)/San Francisco General Hospital (SFGH) assist in developing, providing and managing selected health services at the San Francisco International Airport; and,

WHEREAS, the funding for this program is to be provided in advance by the San Francisco International Airport to Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital via the City Work Order process; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital, in partnership with its professional staff, the University of California at San Francisco, has a wide range of clinical skills and expertise that include: urgent care, emergency medicine, occupational and environmental medicine, environmental health and toxics management and public health and refugee screening; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital has the opportunity to extend services on site at the San Francisco International Airport to City and County of San Francisco employees that can help to contain costs and increase productivity by providing more timely, accessible, and cost-effective medical surveillance and pre-placement examinations for Airport employees, and Workers' Compensation initial treatment services for San Mateo based City employees; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital has unique specialized expertise in the provision of medical services, public health services, emergency response and disaster preparedness; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital can contribute to reducing City costs and claim losses by participating in the Owner Controlled Insurance Program (OCIP) and by providing initial treatment to the construction workers building the new International Terminal at the Airport; and,

WHEREAS, entering into this project would give Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital considerable visibility as an integrated delivery system and the opportunity to enhance the marketing potential of the Community Health Network of San Francisco; and,

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WHEREAS, this agreement provides a stepping stone to the future provision of additional services that would be in the interest of the health and welfare of San Franciscans, including refugee and immigrant health screening, toxics and hazardous materials management, food preparation surveillance, and first aid/emergency response training; and,

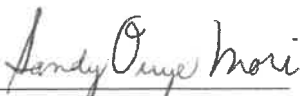
WHEREAS, governmental funding for the provision of health services to the poor and those with special needs is insufficient to cover the full cost of providing services and additional sources of revenue are needed to insure that services and the required infrastructure for the Community Health Network are maintained; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Health Commission approves the policy direction outlined by the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital for the San Francisco International Airport Medical Clinic Program to be developed by the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital at the Airport, in collaboration with the clinical staff of the University of California at San Francisco, and as part of its Affiliation Agreement with the University, and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Health Commission instructs the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital to proceed with the development of the proposed MOU's between the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital and San Francisco International Airport, and between the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital and University of California at San Francisco, and to finalize agreements related to the proposed Airport Medical Clinic, and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Health Commission instructs the Department of Public Health/San Francisco General Hospital to include this program in its FY 1995-96 budget and proceed with the implementation of this program.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Health Commission at its meeting of Tuesday, May 2, 1995.

  
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Sandy Ouye Mori  
Executive Secretary to  
the Health Commission