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San Antonio Fire Department Attn: Chief Andrew Estrada

Dear Chief Estrada,

We are pleased to announce that effective November 1, 2019 through October 31, 2020 both the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) Program has been presented with operational funding totaling \$472,690 for personnel, training and medications. The goal of the Texas Targeted Opioid Response Medication Assisted Treatment (TTOR – MAT) program will be targeting patients that are experiencing acute withdrawal symptoms from the rapid stop to prolonged use of opiates. Paramedics will be visiting these patients to begin MAT treatment and connect them to both rehabilitation options thru connections with a San Antonio Council on Alcohol and Drug Awareness (SACADA) Life Coach as well as continued MAT at New Seasons Recovery Clinic. Beginning treatment in the field will increase the potential for successful rehabilitation of these patients.

STRAC will be responsible for the management of the STRAC MIH Consortium Program and account for all funds being disbursed, and will be providing reimbursement to the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) for MIH Personnel costs involved in the program activities.

All procurement activities associated with this program shall follow STRAC accounting guidelines and generally accepted accounting principles for the purchase of services without exception. It is critical that all procurement provisions be completely followed. When in doubt, please contact STRAC for proper guidance. The STRAC must report all expenditures by the end of the fiscal year. Partners should ensure that costs claimed under this program are eligible and reasonable.

If you have any questions about this funding, eligible expenses or the reporting process, please contact Ms. Mary Roel at (210) 233-5834 or email at accounting@strac.org.

Sincerely,

Eric Epley

Executive Director