

**THIS IS A PROPOSED DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL, SIGNED
ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.**

ORDINANCE

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AMENDMENT TO AN
AGREEMENT WITH COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF SAN
ANTONIO TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION BY AN
ADDITIONAL \$66,000.00 FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$216,000.00
DURING THE RENEWAL PERIOD FOR ADDITIONAL
SERVICES RELATED TO THE PROVISION OF BEHAVIORAL
MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING FOR YOUTH AND/OR THEIR
FAMILIES AFFECTED BY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FOR A TERM
ENDING JUNE 30, 2021.**

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WHEREAS, in September 2020, City Council authorized an agreement with Communities in Schools of San Antonio (CISSA) for youth and adolescent health services to include behavioral mental health counseling sessions that address current inadequate access to care while promoting mental health wellness through services provided by Licensed Professional Counselors; and

WHEREAS, CISSA was contracted to provide a minimum of 400 behavioral mental health counseling sessions for students and/or their families affected by domestic violence through various types of therapy-including Dialectical Therapy, Solution Focused, Person-Centered, Cognitive Behavior Therapy, Motivational Interviewing, and Play Therapy Techniques-and provide community referrals for basic needs and psychiatric evaluation; and

WHEREAS, in January 2021, City Council authorized a renewal and amendment to the agreement with CISSA to allow Metro Health to continue funding youth and adolescent mental health counseling services for youth and their families affected by domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, the first amendment to the agreement with CISSA provided for an additional 1,000 behavioral mental health counseling sessions for the term ending June 30, 2021 and a renewal amount of \$150,000.00 in compensation; and

WHEREAS, authorization of the proposed second amendment to the agreement with CISSA will allow for a Case Manager to provide wraparound and family strengthening services to students and families receiving behavioral mental health counseling sessions; and

WHEREAS, the additional services will increase the compensation to a total amount up to \$216,000.00 during the renewal term; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Manager or designee or the Director of the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District (Metro Health) or designee is authorized to execute an amendment to an agreement with Communities in Schools of San Antonio to increase the compensation by an additional \$66,000.00 for a total amount of \$216,000.00 during the renewal period for additional services related to the provision of behavioral mental health counseling for youth and/or their families affected by domestic violence for a term ending June 30, 2021. A copy of the agreement in substantially final form is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as **Attachment I**.

SECTION 2. [FINANCIAL LANGUAGE PENDING]

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this ____ day of _____.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Tina J. Flores, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney