



Agenda Action Form Overview

The Board is requested to approve the revised Interlocal Agreement between Durham County and Alliance Behavioral Healthcare and authorize the Manager to execute the agreement..

Background/Justification

Alliance is the managed care organization, or MCO, for public behavioral healthcare for the citizens of Durham, Wake, Cumberland and Johnston counties in North Carolina.

Through an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement, Durham County provides Alliance an annual allocation (FY17 - \$6,217,381 and FY18 - \$6,131,224). In the FY19 Interlocal Agreement the funding allocation is \$6,245,859. Additional funded items included are \$67,500 for mid-year support for two positions for the Permanent Supportive Housing program and \$46,000 for full-year support for El Futuro to use to develop key capacity to provide more MH/SU services for the Durham County Latino community. Alliance may use up to 1% of the allocation to cover administrative costs associated with administering agreed upon obligations. The remainder of the funding shall be used exclusively for the provision of mental health, intellectual/developmental disability and substance abuse services to eligible Durham residents served by Alliance. Medicaid pays these services for Medicaid eligible beneficiaries.

Policy Impact

N/A

Procurement Background

N/A

Fiscal Impact

All funds for Durham County expenditures are included in the FY 19 Budget

Recommendation

The County Manager recommends that the Board approve revised Interlocal Agreement between Durham County and Alliance Behavioral Healthcare and authorize the Manager to execute the agreement.