## FIRST AMENDMENT OF THE AGREEMENT FOR SERVICES BETWEEN CITY OF AUSTIN AND TRAVIS COUNTY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT D/B/A CENTRAL HEALTH

This First Amendment of the Agreement for Services ("First Amendment") is entered into by and between the Travis County Healthcare District, doing business as Central Health, a hospital district created under Chapter 281 of the Texas Health and Safety Code ("Central Health"), and the City of Austin, a Texas home-rule municipality and political subdivision of the State of Texas ("City") (each a "Party" and collectively, the "Parties") effective as of September 1, 2025 (the "Effective Date").

**WHEREAS,** the Parties entered into an agreement for certain services as specifically described in the attachments of the agreement ("Agreement") effective October 1, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 16.0 of the Agreement permits the Parties to amend the Agreement through an instrument in writing, approved by the Parties' governing bodies, and signed by the Party sought to be bound; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement to update the Eligible Patient definition; increase the not-to-exceed amount; update the invoices section, language proficiency services section and reporting section; and add language related to staffing levels;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements set forth herein, the amount and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

## **AMENDMENT**

- 1.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting Section 1.5 of the Agreement in its entirety and replacing it to read as follows:
  - 1.5 **Eligible Patients** means collectively Eligible MAP Patients, Eligible MAP Basic Patients, and uninsured individuals residing in Travis County with a household income at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Income Guidelines.
- 2.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting Section 1.18 of the Agreement in its entirety and replacing it to read as follows:
  - 1.18 **Services** means the services City provides to Eligible Patients including triage, alternative transport, telemedicine, navigation, community health paramedic services, suboxone induction services, reporting, and all equipment, supplies, and travel for staff as further described in the attachments.
- 3.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting Section 5.1 of the Agreement in its entirety and replacing it to read as follows:
  - 5.1 For and in consideration of performance of the Services described in Attachment A of this Agreement, Central Health shall pay an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000 (One Million Dollars) during the Initial Term ("Initial Term Cap") and \$2,000,000 (Two Million Dollars) during any subsequent Renewal Term ("Renewal Term Cap"). No fees above the Initial Term Cap or any subsequent Renewal Term Cap will be payable by Central Health during the specified Initial Term or any subsequent Renewal Term unless the Parties amend the Agreement pursuant to Section 3.0.
- 4.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting the first bullet point of Section 7.0

of the Agreement and replacing it to read as follows:

- MAP or MAP Basic ID number, if applicable;
- 5.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting Section 8.1 of the Agreement in its entirety and replacing it to read as follows:
  - 8.1 City shall submit to Central Health quarterly invoices, each in the amount of \$500,000 (Five Hundred Thousand Dollars). Invoices for the current quarter in which Services are provided may be submitted no later than 10 (ten) days after the current quarter ends. Central Health shall pay the invoiced amount within thirty calendar days of Central Health's receipt of the invoice and all required supporting data as further detailed in Attachment A and informational claims described in Section 7. Such invoice must contain the following information:
    - Date sent to Central Health;
    - City's name, department, address, and telephone number;
    - Contract number:
    - Remittance address:
    - Date range of Services (example: October 1, 2025 December 31, 2025);
    - Invoice number; and
    - Invoice amount.
- 6.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting Sections A.2.a and A.2.b of Attachment A of the Agreement in their entirety and replacing them to read as follows:
  - a. City agrees to provide Services to Eligible Patients.
  - b. City must provide language services as further described in the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services ("CMS") Language Access Plan ("LAP"), including interpretation language assistance and translation services to those with Limited English Proficiency ("LEP") under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Section 1557 of the Affordable Care Act.
- 7.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by adding Section A.6 to Attachment A of the Agreement to read as follows:
  - 6. **Staffing and Encounter Levels**. City shall make best efforts to maintain minimum staffing and encounter levels for the programs as described in the table below:

Program	FTEs	FY25 # of Encounters for Eligible Patients	FY26 # of Encounters for Eligible Patients
Opioid Use Disorder ("OUD")	3.00	250	250
Pop Up Resource Center ("PURC"), which will include two events per month and one follow-up with appropriate organizations per month		600	650

Community Health Paramedics ("CHP"), which will include street medicine, mental health programs, and community health paramedics	22.00	8,300	9,300
Collaborative Care Communications Center ("C4")	19.00	2,800	3,100
Paramedic Practitioners ("PAs")	4.00	970	1,000

- 8.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by adding the following bullets to Section B.1 of Attachment A of the Agreement titled "Quarterly Reporting" to read as follows:
  - Current staffing FTE levels and encounter and intervention volumes to support the following Services:
    - o Opioid Use Disorder
    - o Pop Up Resource Center
    - o Community Health Paramedics
    - o Collaborative Care Communications Center
    - o Paramedic Practitioners
  - All other data mutually agreed upon by both Parties
- 9.0 The Parties hereby agree to amend the Agreement by deleting the first bullet point of Section B.2 of Attachment A of the Agreement and replacing it to read as follows:
  - MAP or MAP Basic ID number, if applicable;
- 10.0 Except as amended above, the Agreement as modified shall remain in full force and effect, being hereby ratified, approved, and affirmed.

CENTRAL HEALTH

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Parties have duly executed this First Amendment to be effective as of Effective Date.

## **CITY OF AUSTIN**

By:	
Jon Fortune Deputy City Manager	
TRAVIS COUNTY HEALTHCA	ARE DISTRICT D/B/A

Patrick T. Lee, M.D. President & CEO