

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Health	(2) MEETING DATE 7/15/2014	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Penny Borenstein / 781-5519	
(4) SUBJECT Request to approve the FY 2014-17 renewal agreement (Clerk's File) with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) in the amount of \$181,055 over three years to provide funding for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program. All Districts.			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that the Board: (1) Approve and direct the Chairperson to sign the FY 2014-17 three year renewal agreement with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) in the amount of \$181,055 to continue the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP) in San Luis Obispo County; and (2) Authorize the Health Agency Director to sign any amendments to the agreement that do not increase the level of General Fund support.			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) Federal / State	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT \$66,485.00	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT \$57,285.00	(9) BUDGETED? Yes
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time Est. ___) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business (Time Est. ___)			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <input type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contracts <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
(12) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(13) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5 Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	
(14) LOCATION MAP N/A	(15) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(16) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Date: <u> 3/6/2012 </u>	
(17) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW Geoff O'Quest, Administrative Analyst			
(18) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) All Districts			

County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jeff Hamm, Health Agency Director
Penny Borenstein, MD, MPH, Health Officer

DATE: July 15, 2014

SUBJECT: Request to approve the FY 2014-17 renewal agreement (Clerk's File) with the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) in the amount of \$181,055 over three years to provide funding for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program. All Districts.

RECOMMENDATION

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DISCUSSION

The Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP) provides services to the community for the purpose of increasing awareness regarding the hazards of lead exposure and working towards an increase in the number of children tested for blood lead poisoning. The CLPPP offers home visitation, environmental home inspections, and nutritional assessments to families of severely lead-poisoned children. For children with elevated lead blood levels, the CLPPP nurse will provide case management via telephone to families, physicians and laboratories. The program also helps to coordinate the environmental assessments that are required to be performed when a child's blood lead level is determined to be elevated. CLPPP provides information and education to the general public, medical providers and community-based organizations.

CLPPP provides the necessary funding to send public health nurses to the homes of suspected lead-poisoned children to provide care management services including a health assessment, monitoring for blood level levels, counseling, and next steps. These services are primarily for individuals under age 21. Occupational health services are also available for certain adults exposed to lead through work.

CLPPP also has environmental investigators who will test homes and any place a child spends time, such as a childcare facility or other caregiver home, to test for sources of lead and to provide information to reduce exposure or eliminate lead sources.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the renewal agreement as to form and legal effect.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

The agreement provides Public Health up to \$181,055 for the three year agreement period. The table below reflects the annual funding amounts.

FY 2011-2014 3 Year Prior Agreement Amount	FY 2014-17 3 Year Agreement Amount	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17
\$180,131	\$181,055	\$66,485	\$57,285	\$57,285

There is no General Fund support required for this program. Revenue and expense for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP) is included in the FY 2014-15 budget. The majority of the funding offsets salary and benefit costs totaling \$41,000; remaining funds offset the costs of services and supplies dedicated to the program. There are no County matching funds required in the program.

RESULTS

Case management services will continue to be provided for any child identified with an elevated blood level in San Luis Obispo County. Public Health Nurses will continue to work with the medical community to increase blood lead screening on at risk children and provide outreach to parent groups and community partners. Public Health Nurses will provide finger capillary sticks on up to 150 children.

The CLPPP supports the overall County vision of a safe and healthy community.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Clerk's File Statement for renewal agreement with the California Department of Public Health.