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The D	Departme	nt and Provider agree as follows:		
1.	ENGAG	SEMENT, TERM AND CONTRACT DOCUMENT		
1.1	Purpos	e and Contract Amount		

The Department is engaging the Provider for the purpose of licensure of child care facilities and homes in Pinellas County,

Florida, as further described in Section 2, payable as provided in Section 3, in an amount not to exceed \$846,365.76.

1.2 Official Payee and Party Representatives

1.2.1 The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Provider's official payee to whom the payment shall be directed on behalf of the Provider are:

Name: Pinellas County License Board

Address: C/O Pinellas County Health Department,

8751 Ulmerton Road, Suite 2000

City: Largo State:FL Zip Code:33771-3832

Phone: (727) 507-4857 Ext: E-mail:

Faith.Bornoff@flhealth.gov

1.2.2 The name, address, telephone number and e-mail of the Provider's contact person responsible for the Provider's financial and administrative records:

Name: Pinellas County License Board

Address: C/O Pinellas County Health Department,

8751 Ulmerton Road, Suite 2000

City: Largo State:FL Zip Code:33771-3832

Phone: (727) 507-4857 Ext: E-mail:

Faith.Bornoff@flhealth.gov

1.2.3 The name, address, telephone number and e-mail of the Provider's representative responsible for administration of the program under this Contract (and primary point of contact) are:

Name: <u>Faith Bornoff, Executive Director Pinellas</u>

County License Board

Address: 8751 Ulmerton Road, Suite 2000

City: Largo State: FL Zip Code: 33771-3832

Phone: (727) 507-4857 Ext: ____ E-mail:

Faith.Bornoff@flhealth.gov

1.2.4 The name, address, telephone number and e-mail address of the Contract Manager for the Department for this Contract are:

Name: Victoria Hynes

Address: 9393 N. Florida Ave.

City: Tampa State:FL Zip Code:33612

Phone: **(813) 614-1550** Ext: E-mail:

Victoria.Hynes@myflfamilies.com

Per section 402.7305(1)(a), Florida Statutes (F.S.), the Department's Contract Manager is the primary point of contact through which all contracting information flows between the Department and the Provider. Upon change of representatives (names, addresses, telephone numbers or e-mail addresses) by either party, notice shall be provided in writing to the other party.

1.3 Effective and Ending Dates

This Contract shall be effective **July 01**, **2021** or the last party signature date, whichever is later. The service performance period under this Contract shall commence on **July 01**, **2021** or the effective date of this Contract, whichever is later, and shall end at midnight, **Eastern** time, on **June 30**, **2024**, subject to the survival of terms provisions of Section 7.4. This contract may be renewed in accordance with SS. 287.057(13) or 287.058(1)(q), F.S.

1.4 Contract Document

This Contract is composed of the documents referenced in this section.

CF Standard Contract 2019 (UA)

- 1.4.1 The definitions found in the Standard Contract Definitions, located at:
- http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/admin/contracts/docs/GlossaryofContractTerms.pdf are incorporated into and made a part of this Contract. Additional definitions may be set forth in Exhibit A, Special Provisions.
- 1.4.2 The PUR 1000 Form (10/06 version) is hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Contract.
- 1.4.3 The terms of Exhibit A, Special Provisions, supplement or modify the terms of Sections 1 through 9, as provided therein.
- **1.4.4** In the event of a conflict between the provisions of the documents, the documents shall be interpreted in the following order of precedence:
 - 1.4.4.1 Exhibits A through F1;
 - 1.4.4.2 Any documents incorporated into any exhibit by reference, or included as a subset thereof;
 - **1.4.4.3** This Standard Contract:
 - **1.4.4.4** Any documents incorporated into this Contract by reference;
 - 1.4.4.5 Attachments 1 through 4.

2. STATEMENT OF WORK

The Provider shall perform all tasks and provide units of deliverables, including reports, findings, and drafts, as specified in this Contract. Unless otherwise provided in the procurement document, if any, or governing law, the Department reserves the right to increase or decrease the volume of services and to add tasks that are incidental or complimentary to the original scope of services. When such increase or decrease occurs, except where the method of payment is prescribed by law, compensation under Section 3 will be equitably adjusted by the Department to the extent that it prescribes a fixed price payment method or does not provide a method of payment for added tasks.

2.1 Scope of Work

The Scope of Work is described in Exhibit B.

2.2 Task List

The Provider shall perform all tasks set forth in the Task List, found in Exhibit C, in the manner set forth therein.

2.3 Deliverables

The Deliverables are described in Exhibit D.

2.4 Performance Measures

- 2.4.1 The performance measures for acceptance of deliverables are set forth in Exhibit D, Section D-3.
- 2.4.2 To avoid contract termination, Provider's performance must meet the minimum acceptable level of performance set forth in Exhibit E, Minimum Performance Measures, Section E-1, regardless of any other performance measures in this Contract. By execution of this Contract, the Provider hereby acknowledges and agrees that its performance under the Contract must meet these Minimum Performance Measures and that it will be bound by the conditions set forth therein. If the Provider fails to meet these measures, the Department, at its exclusive option, may allow a reasonable period, not to exceed six (6) months, for the Provider to correct performance deficiencies. If performance deficiencies are not resolved to the satisfaction of the Department within the prescribed time, and if no extenuating circumstances can be documented by the Provider to the Department's satisfaction, the Department must terminate the Contract. The Department has the sole authority to determine whether there are extenuating or mitigating circumstances. The Provider further acknowledges and agrees that during any period in which the Provider fails to meet these measures, regardless of any additional time allowed to correct performance deficiencies, payment for deliverables may be delayed or denied and financial consequences may apply.

3. PAYMENT, INVOICE AND RELATED TERMS

The Department shall pay for services performed by the Provider during the service performance period of this Contract according to the terms and conditions of this Contract in an amount not to exceed that set forth in Section 1.1, subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory performance of all terms by the Provider. Except for advances, if any, provided for in this Contract, payment shall be made only upon written acceptance of all services by the Department per Section 3.1 and shall remain subject to subsequent audit or review to confirm contract compliance. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under this Contract is contingent upon an

annual appropriation by the Legislature. Any costs or services paid for under any other contract or from any other source are not eligible for payment under this Contract.

3.1 Prompt Payment and Vendor Ombudsman

Per section 215.422, F.S., the Department has five (5) working days to inspect and approve goods and services, unless the bid specifications, purchase order, or this Contract elsewhere specifies otherwise. Department determination of acceptable services shall be conclusive. Department receipt of reports and other submissions by the Provider does not constitute acceptance thereof, which occurs only through a separate and express act of the Contract Manager. For any amount that is authorized for payment but is not available within forty (40) days, measured from the latter of the date a properly completed invoice is received by the Department or the goods or services are received, inspected, and approved (or within thirty-five (35) days after the date eligibility for payment of a health care provider is determined), a separate interest penalty as described in section 215.422, F.S., will be due and payable in addition to the amount authorized for payment. Interest penalties less than one dollar will not be paid unless the Provider requests payment. A Vendor Ombudsman has been established within the Department of Financial Services and may be contacted at (850) 413-5516.

3.2 Method of Payment

The Provider shall be paid in accordance with Exhibit F.

3.3 Invoices

- **3.3.1** The Provider shall submit bills for fees or other compensation for services or expenses in sufficient detail for proper pre-audit and post-audit. Where itemized payment for travel expenses is permitted in this Contract, the Provider shall submit bills for any travel expenses in accordance with section 112.061, F.S., or at such lower rates as may be provided in this Contract.
- 3.3.2 The final invoice for payment shall be submitted to the Department no more than <u>45</u> days after the Contract ends or is terminated. If the Provider fails to do so, all rights to payment are forfeited and the Department will not honor any requests submitted after the aforesaid time period. Any payment due under the terms of this Contract may be withheld until performance of services and all reports due from the Provider and necessary adjustments thereto, have been approved by the Department.

3.4 Financial Consequences

If the Provider fails to perform in accordance with this Contract or perform the minimum level of service required by this Contract, the Department will apply financial consequences as provided for in Section 6.1. The parties agree that the penalties provided for under Section 6.1 constitute financial consequences under sections 287.058(1)(h) and 215.971(1)(c), F.S. The foregoing does not limit additional financial consequences, which may include but are not limited to refusing payment, withholding payments until deficiency is cured, tendering only partial payments, applying payment adjustments for additional financial consequences or for liquidated damages to the extent that this Contract so provides, or termination of this Contract per Section 6.2 and requisition of services from an alternate source. Any payment made in reliance on the Provider's evidence of performance, which evidence is subsequently determined to be erroneous, will be immediately due as an overpayment in accordance with Section 3.5, to the extent of such error. Financial consequences directly related to the deliverables under this Contract are defined in Exhibit F.

3.5 Overpayments and Offsets

The Provider shall return to the Department any overpayments due to unearned funds or funds disallowed that were disbursed to the Provider by the Department and any interest attributable to such funds. Should repayment not be made promptly upon discovery by the Provider or its auditor or upon written notice by the Department, the Provider will be charged interest at the lawful rate of interest on the outstanding balance until returned. Payments made for services subsequently determined by the Department to not be in full compliance with contract requirements shall be deemed overpayments. The Department shall have the right at any time to offset or deduct from any payment due under this or any other contract or agreement any amount due to the Department from the Provider under this or any other contract or agreement. If this contract involves federal or state financial assistance, the following applies: The Grantee shall return to the Department any unused funds; any accrued interest earned; and any unmatched grant funds, as detailed in the Final Financial Report, no later than 60 days following the ending date of this Contract.

3.6 MyFloridaMarketPlace Transaction Fee.

This Contract is **exempt from** the MyFloridaMarketPlace transaction fee.

4. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING PERFORMANCE

4.1 Compliance with Statutes, Rules and Regulations

In performing its obligations under this Contract, the Provider shall without exception be aware of and comply with all State and Federal laws, rules, Children and Families Operating Procedures (CFOPs), and regulations relating to its performance under this Contract as they may be enacted or amended from time-to-time, as well as any court or administrative order, judgment, settlement or compliance agreement involving the Department which by its nature affects the services provided under this Contract.

4.2 State Policies

The Provider shall comply with the polices set forth in the Department of Financial Services' Reference Guide for State Expenditures and active Comptroller/Chief Financial Officer Memoranda issued by the Division of Accounting and Auditing.

4.3 Independent Contractor, Subcontracting and Assignments

- 4.3.1 In performing its obligations under this Contract, the Provider shall at all times be acting in the capacity of an independent contractor and not as an officer, employee, or agent of the State of Florida, except where the Provider is a State agency. Neither the Provider nor any of its agents, employees, subcontractors or assignees shall represent to others that it is an agent of or has the authority to bind the Department by virtue of this Contract, unless specifically authorized in writing to do so. This Contract does not create any right in any individual to State retirement, leave benefits or any other benefits of State employees as a result of performing the duties or obligations of this Contract.
- **4.3.2** The Department will not furnish services of support (e.g., office space, office supplies, telephone service, secretarial or clerical support) to the Provider, or its subcontractor or assignee, unless specifically agreed to by the Department in this Contract. All deductions for social security, withholding taxes, income taxes, contributions to unemployment compensation funds and all necessary insurance for the Provider, the Provider's officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, or assignees shall be the sole responsibility of the Provider and its subcontractors. The parties agree that no joint employment is intended and that, regardless of any provision directing the manner of provision of services, the Provider and its subcontractors alone shall be responsible for the supervision, control, hiring and firing, rates of pay and terms and conditions of employment of their own employees.
- 4.3.3 The Provider may subcontract under this Contract
 - 4.3.3.1 The Provider shall not subcontract for any of the work contemplated under this Contract without prior written approval of the Department, which shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Provider shall take such actions as may be necessary to ensure that it and each subcontractor of the Provider will be deemed to be an independent contractor and will not be considered or permitted to be an officer, employee, or agent of the State of Florida.
 - **4.3.3.2** The Provider is responsible for all work performed and for all commodities produced pursuant to this Contract whether actually furnished by the Provider or by its subcontractors. Any subcontracts shall be evidenced by a written document. The Provider further agrees that the Department shall not be liable to the subcontractor in any way or for any reason relating to this Contract.
 - **4.3.3.3** The Provider shall include, in all subcontracts (at any tier) the substance of all clauses contained in this Contract that mention or describe subcontract compliance, as well as all clauses applicable to that portion of the Provider's performance being performed by or through the subcontract.
- 4.3.4 To the extent that a subcontract provides for payment after Provider's receipt of payment from the Department, the Provider shall make payments to any subcontractor within seven (7) working days after receipt of full or partial payments from the Department in accordance with section 287.0585, F.S., unless otherwise stated in the contract between the Provider and subcontractor. Failure to pay within seven (7) working days will result in a penalty that shall be charged against the Provider and paid by the Provider to the subcontractor in the amount of one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the amount due per day from the expiration of the period allowed for payment. Such penalty shall be in addition to actual payments owed and shall not exceed fifteen (15%) percent of the outstanding balance due.

4.4 Provider Indemnity

Section 19 of PUR 1000 Form shall apply per its terms, except that the phrase "arising from or relating to personal injury and damage to real or personal tangible property" in the first paragraph is replaced with "arising out of or by reason of the execution of this Contract or arising from or relating to any alleged act or omission by the Provider, its agents, employees, partners, or subcontractors in relation to this agreement," and the following additional terms will also apply:

- **4.4.1** If the Provider removes an infringing product because it is not reasonably able to modify that product or secure the Department the right to continue to use that product, the Provider shall immediately replace that product with a non-infringing product that the Department determines to be of equal or better functionality or be liable for the Department's cost in so doing.
- **4.4.2** Further, the Provider shall indemnify the Department for all costs and attorneys' fees arising from or relating to Provider's claim that a record contains trade secret information that is exempt from disclosure; or arising from or relating to the scope of the Provider's redaction of the record, as provided for under Section 5.3, including litigation initiated by the Department.
- 4.4.3 The Provider's inability to evaluate liability or its evaluation of liability shall not excuse its duty to defend and indemnify after receipt of notice. Only an adjudication or judgment after the highest appeal is exhausted finding the Department negligent shall excuse the Provider of performance under this provision, in which case the Department shall have no obligation to reimburse the Provider for the cost of its defense. If the Provider is an agency or subdivision of the State, its obligation to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Department shall be to the extent permitted by section 768.28, F.S. or other applicable law, and without waiving the limits of sovereign immunity.

4.5 Insurance

The Provider shall maintain continuous adequate liability insurance coverage during the existence of this Contract and any renewal(s) and extension(s) thereof. With the exception of a State agency or subdivision as defined by subsection 768.28(2), F.S., by execution of this Contract, the Provider accepts full responsibility for identifying and determining the type(s) and extent of liability insurance necessary to provide reasonable financial protections for the Provider and the clients to be served under this Contract. Upon the execution of this Contract, the Provider shall furnish the Department written verification supporting both the determination and existence of such insurance coverage and shall furnish verification of renewal or replacement thereof prior to the expiration or cancellation. The Department reserves the right to require additional insurance as specified in this Contract.

4.6 Notice of Legal Actions

The Provider shall notify the Department of potential or actual legal actions taken against the Provider related to services provided through this Contract or that may impact the Provider's ability to deliver the contractual services, or that may adversely impact the Department. The Provider shall notify the Department's Contract Manager within ten (10) days of Provider becoming aware of such actions or potential actions or from the day of the legal filling, whichever comes first.

4.7 Intellectual Property

All intellectual property, inventions, written or electronically created materials, including manuals, presentations, films, or other copyrightable materials, arising in relation to Provider's performance under this Contract, and the performance of all of its officers, agents and subcontractors in relation to this Contract, are works for hire for the benefit of the Department, fully compensated for by the Contract amount. Neither the Provider nor any of its officers, agents nor subcontractors may claim any interest in any intellectual property rights accruing under or in connection with the performance of this Contract. It is specifically agreed that the Department shall have exclusive rights to all data processing software falling within the terms of section 119.084, F.S., which arises or is developed in the course of or as a result of work or services performed under this Contract, or in any way connected herewith. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply.

- **4.7.1** If the Provider uses or delivers to the Department for its use or the use of its employees, agents or contractors, any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent, or copyright, it is mutually agreed and understood that, except as to those items specifically listed in Exhibit A as having specific limitations, the compensation paid pursuant to this Contract includes all royalties or costs arising from the use of such design, device, or materials in any way involved in the work contemplated by this Contract. For purposes of this provision, the term "use" shall include use by the Provider during the term of this Contract and use by the Department its employees, agents or contractors during the term of this Contract and perpetually thereafter.
- 4.7.2 All applicable subcontracts shall include a provision that the Federal awarding agency reserves all patent rights with respect to any discovery or invention that arises or is developed in the course of or under the subcontract. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, if the Provider or one of its subcontractors is a university and a member of the State University System of Florida, then section 1004.23, F.S., shall apply, but the Department shall retain a perpetual, fully-paid, nonexclusive license for its use and the use of its contractors of any resulting patented, copyrighted or trademarked work products.

4.8 Transition Activities

Continuity of service is critical when service under this Contract ends and service commences under a new contract. Accordingly, when service will continue through another provider upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract, the Provider shall, without additional compensation, complete all actions necessary to smoothly transition service to the new provider. This includes but is not limited to the transfer of relevant data and files, as well as property funded or provided pursuant to this Contract. The Provider shall be required to support an orderly transition to the next provider no later than the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract and shall support the requirements for transition as specified in a Department-approved Transition Plan, which shall be developed jointly with the new provider in consultation with the Department.

4.9 Real Property

Any State funds provided for the purchase of or improvements to real property are contingent upon the Provider granting to the State a security interest in the property at least to the amount of the State funds provided for at least five (5) years from the date of purchase or the completion of the improvements or as further required by law. As a condition of receipt of State funding for this purpose, if the Provider disposes of the property before the Department's interest is vacated, the Provider will refund the proportionate share of the State's initial investment, as adjusted by depreciation.

4.10 Publicity

Without limitation, the Provider and its employees, agents, and representatives will not, without prior Departmental written consent in each instance, use in advertising, publicity or any other promotional endeavor any State mark, the name of the State's mark, the name of the State or any State agency or affiliate or any officer or employee of the State, or any State program or service, or represent, directly or indirectly, that any product or service provided by the Provider has been approved or endorsed by the State, or refer to the existence of this Contract in press releases, advertising or materials distributed to the Provider's prospective customers.

4.11 Sponsorship

As required by section 286.25, F.S., if the Provider is a non-governmental organization which sponsors a program financed wholly or in part by State funds, including any funds obtained through this Contract, it shall, in publicizing, advertising, or describing the sponsorship of the program state: "Sponsored by (Provider's name) and the State of Florida, Department of Children and Families". If the sponsorship reference is in written material, the words "State of Florida, Department of Children and Families" shall appear in at least the same size letters or type as the name of the organization.

4.12 Employee Gifts

The Provider agrees that it will not offer to give or give any gift to any Department employee during the service performance period of this Contract and for a period of two years thereafter. In addition to any other remedies available to the Department, any violation of this provision will result in referral of the Provider's name and description of the violation of this term to the Department of Management Services for the potential inclusion of the Provider's name on the suspended vendors list for an appropriate period. The Provider will ensure that its subcontractors, if any, comply with these provisions.

4.13 Mandatory Reporting Requirements

The Provider and any subcontractor must comply with and inform its employees of the following mandatory reporting requirements. Each employee of the Provider, and of any subcontractor, providing services in connection with this Contract who has any knowledge of a reportable incident shall report such incident as follows:

- **4.13.1** A reportable incident is defined in CFOP 180-4, which can be obtained from the Contract Manager.
- **4.13.2** Reportable incidents that may involve an immediate or impending impact on the health or safety of a client shall be immediately reported to the Contract Manager.
- 4.13.3 Other reportable incidents shall be reported to the Department's Office of Inspector General through the Internet at http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/admin/ig/rptfraud1.shtml or by completing a Notification/Investigation Request (Form CF 1934) and emailing the request to the Office of Inspector General at IG.Complaints@myflfamilies.com. The Provider and subcontractor may also mail the completed form to the Department of Children and Families, Office of Inspector General, The Center, 2415 Monroe Street, Suite 400 I, Tallahassee, Florida, 32303; or via fax at (850) 488-1428.

4.14 Employment Screening

- **4.14.1** The Provider shall ensure that all staff utilized by the Provider and its subcontractors (hereinafter, "Contracted Staff") that are required by Florida law and by CFOP 60-25, Chapter 2, which is hereby incorporated by reference to be screened in accordance with chapter 435, F.S., are of good moral character and meet the Level 2 Employment Screening standards specified by sections 435.04, 110.1127, and subsection 39.001(2), F.S., as a condition of initial and continued employment that shall include but not be limited to:
 - **4.14.1.1** Employment history checks;
 - **4.14.1.2** Fingerprinting for all criminal record checks;
 - **4.14.1.3** Statewide criminal and juvenile delinquency records checks through the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE);
 - **4.14.1.4** Federal criminal records checks from the Federal Bureau of Investigation via the Florida Department of Law Enforcement; and
 - **4.14.1.5** Security background investigation, which may include local criminal record checks through local law enforcement agencies.
 - **4.14.1.6** Attestation by each employee, subject to penalty of perjury, to meeting the requirements for qualifying for employment pursuant to chapter 435 and agreeing to inform the employer immediately if arrested for any of the disqualifying offenses while employed by the employer.
- **4.14.2** The Provider shall sign the Florida Department of Children and Families Employment Screening Affidavit each State fiscal year (no two such affidavits shall be signed more than 13 months apart) for the term of the Contract stating that all required staff have been screened or the Provider is awaiting the results of screening.
- **4.14.3** The Department requires, as applicable, the use of the Officer of Inspector General's Request for Reference Check form (CF 774), which states: "As part of the screening of an applicant being considered for appointment to a career service, selected exempt service, senior management, or OPS position with the Department of Children and Families or a Contract or sub-contract provider, a check with the Office of Inspector General (IG) is required to determine if the individual is or has been a subject of an investigation with the IG's Office. The request will only be made on the individual that is being recommended to be hired for the position if that individual has previously worked for the Contract or sub-contract provider, or if that individual is being promoted, transferred or demoted within the Contract or sub-contract provider."

4.15 Human Subject Research

The Provider shall comply with the requirements of CFOP 215-8 for any activity under this Contract involving human subject research within the scope of 45 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 46, and 42 United States Code (U.S.C.) §§ 289, et seq., and may not commence such activity until review and approval by the Department's Human Protections Review Committee and a duly constituted Institutional Review Board.

4.16 Coordination of Contracted Services

Section 287.0575, F.S., mandates various duties and responsibilities for certain State agencies and their contracted service providers, and requires the following Florida health and human services agencies to coordinate their monitoring of contracted services: Department of Children and Families, Agency for Persons with Disabilities, Department of Health, Department of Elderly Affairs, and Department of Veterans Affairs, where applicable.

In accordance with section 287.0575(2), F.S., each contract service provider that has more than one contract with one or more of the five Florida health and human services agencies must provide a comprehensive list of their health and human services contracts to their respective Contract Manager(s). The list must include the following information:

- **4.16.1** Name of each contracting State agency and the applicable office or program issuing the contract.
- **4.16.2** Name of each contracting State agency and the applicable office or program issuing the contract.
- **4.16.3** Identifying name and number of the contract.
- **4.16.4** Starting and ending date of each contract.
- **4.16.5** Amount of each contract.

- **4.16.6** A brief description of the purpose of the contract and the types of services provided under each contract.
- **4.16.7** Name and contact information of each Contract Manager.

5. RECORDS, AUDITS AND DATA SECURITY

5.1 Records, Retention, Audits, Inspections and Investigations

- 5.1.1 The Provider shall establish and maintain books, records and documents (including electronic storage media) sufficient to reflect all income and expenditures of funds provided by the Department under this Contract. Upon demand, at no additional cost to the Department, the Provider will facilitate the duplication and transfer of any records or documents during the term of this Contract and the required retention period in Section 5.1.2. These records shall be made available at all reasonable times for inspection, review, copying, or audit by Federal, State, or other personnel duly authorized by the Department.
- **5.1.2** Retention of all client records, financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other documents (including electronic storage media) pertinent to this Contract shall be maintained by the Provider during the term of this Contract and retained for a period of six (6) years after completion of the Contract or longer when required by law. In the event an audit is required under this Contract, records shall be retained for a minimum period of six (6) years after the audit report is issued or until resolution of any audit findings or litigation based on the terms of this Contract, at no additional cost to the Department.
- **5.1.3** At all reasonable times for as long as records are maintained, persons duly authorized by the Department and Federal auditors, pursuant to 2 CFR § 200.336, shall be allowed full access to and the right to examine any of the Provider's contracts and related records and documents, regardless of the form in which kept.
- 5.1.4 A financial and compliance audit shall be provided to the Department as specified in this Contract and in Attachment 1.
- **5.1.5** The Provider shall comply and cooperate immediately with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by The Office of the Inspector General (section 20.055, F.S.).
- **5.1.6** No record may be withheld nor may the Provider attempt to limit the scope of any of the foregoing inspections, reviews, copying, transfers or audits based on any claim that any record is exempt from public inspection or is confidential, proprietary or trade secret in nature; provided, however, that this provision does not limit any exemption to public inspection or copying to any such record.

5.2 Inspections and Corrective Action

The Provider shall permit all persons who are duly authorized by the Department to inspect and copy any records, papers, documents, facilities, goods and services of the Provider which are relevant to this Contract, and to interview any clients, employees and subcontractor employees of the Provider to assure the Department of the satisfactory performance of the terms and conditions of this Contract. Following such review, the Department may direct the development, by the Provider, of a corrective action plan where appropriate. The Provider hereby agrees to timely correct all deficiencies identified in the Department's direction. This provision will not limit the Department's choice of remedies under law, rule, or this contract.

5.3 Provider's Confidential and Exempt Information

- **5.3.1** By executing this Contract, the Provider acknowledges that, having been provided an opportunity to review all provisions hereof, all provisions of this Contract not specifically identified in writing by the Provider prior to execution hereof as "confidential" or "exempt" will be posted by the Department on the public website maintained by the Department of Financial Services pursuant to section 215.985, F.S. The Provider, upon written request of the Department, shall promptly provide a written statement of the basis for the exemption applicable to each provision identified by the Provider as "confidential" or "exempt", including the statutory citation to an exemption created or afforded by statute, and state with particularity the reasons for the conclusion that the provision is exempt or confidential.
- **5.3.2** Any claim by Provider of trade secret (proprietary) confidentiality for any information contained in Provider's documents (reports, deliverables or workpapers, etc., in paper or electronic form) submitted to the Department in connection with this Contract will be waived, unless the claimed confidential information is submitted in accordance with the following standards:
 - **5.3.2.1** The Provider must clearly label any portion of the documents, data, or records submitted that it considers exempt from public inspection or disclosure pursuant to Florida's Public Records Law as trade secret. The labeling will include a justification citing specific statutes and facts that authorize exemption of the information from public disclosure. If different exemptions are claimed to be applicable to different portions of the protected information, the Provider shall include information correlating the nature of the claims to the particular protected information.

- 5.3.2.2 The Department, when required to comply with a public records request including documents submitted by the Provider, may require the Provider to expeditiously submit redacted copies of documents marked as trade secret in accordance with Section 5.3.2.1. Accompanying the submission shall be an updated version of the justification under Section 5.3.2.1, correlated specifically to redacted information, either confirming that the statutory and factual basis originally asserted remain unchanged or indicating any changes affecting the basis for the asserted exemption from public inspection or disclosure. The redacted copy must exclude or obliterate only those exact portions that are claimed to be trade secret. If the Provider fails to promptly submit a redacted copy, the Department is authorized to produce the records sought without any redaction of proprietary or trade secret information.
- **5.3.3** The Provider shall be responsible for defending its claim that each and every portion of the redactions of trade secret information are exempt from inspection and copying under Florida's Public Records Law.

5.4 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

	ne Provider certifies that neither it nor its subcontractors will have access to, receive or provide Protected Health	n Information
within t	ne meaning of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (42 U.S.C. § 1320d.) and the regulations	promulgated
thereur	der (45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164) incidental to performance of this Contract.	

In compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e), the Provider shall comply with the provisions of Attachment 3 to this Contract, governing the safeguarding, use and disclosure of Protected Health Information created, received, maintained, or transmitted by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to the Provider's performance of this Contract.

5.5 Information Security

The Provider shall comply with, and be responsible for ensuring subcontractor compliance as if they were the Provider with, the following information security requirements whenever the Provider or its subcontractors have access to Department information systems or maintain any client or other confidential information in electronic form:

- 5.5.1 An appropriately skilled individual shall be identified by the Provider to function as its Information Security Officer. The Information Security Officer shall act as the liaison to the Department's security staff and will maintain an appropriate level of information security for Department information systems or any client or other confidential information the Provider is collecting or using in the performance of this Contract. An appropriate level of security includes approving and tracking all who request or have access, through the Provider's access, to Department information systems or any client or other confidential information. The Information Security Officer will ensure that any access to Department information systems or any client or other confidential information is removed immediately upon such access no longer being required for Provider's performance under this contract.
- **5.5.2** The Provider shall provide the latest Departmental security awareness training to all who request or have access, through the Provider's access, to Department information systems or any client or other confidential information.
- **5.5.3** All who request or have access, through the Provider's access, to Department information systems or any client or other confidential information shall comply with, and be provided a copy of CFOP 50-2, and shall sign the DCF Security Agreement form CF 0114 annually. A copy of CF 0114 may be obtained from the Contract Manager.
- **5.5.4** The Provider shall prevent unauthorized disclosure or access, from or to Department information systems or client or other confidential information. Client or other confidential information on systems and network capable devices shall be encrypted per CFOP 50-2.
- 5.5.5 The Provider agrees to notify the Contract Manager as soon as possible, but no later than five (5) business days following the determination of any potential or actual unauthorized disclosure or access to Department information systems or to any client or other confidential information.
- **5.5.6** The Provider shall, at its own cost, comply with section 501.171, F.S. The Provider shall also. at its own cost. implement measures deemed appropriate by the Department to avoid or mitigate potential injury to any person due to potential or actual unauthorized disclosure or access to Department information systems or to any client or other confidential information.

5.6 Public Records

5.6.1 The Provider shall allow public access to all documents, papers, letters, or other public records as defined in subsection 119.011(12), F.S. as prescribed by subsection 119.07(1) F.S., made or received by the Provider in conjunction with this Contract except that public records which are made confidential by law must be protected from disclosure. As required by section

- 287.058(1)(c), F.S., it is expressly understood that the Provider's failure to comply with this provision shall constitute an immediate breach of contract for which the Department may unilaterally terminate this Contract.
- **5.6.2** As required by section 119.0701, F.S., to the extent that the Provider is acting on behalf of the Department within the meaning of section 119.011(2), F.S., the Provider shall:
 - **5.6.2.1** Keep and maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the Department in order to perform the service.
 - 5.6.2.2 Upon request from the Department's custodian of public records, provide to the Department a copy of requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, F.S., or as otherwise provided by law.
 - **5.6.2.3** Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the contract if the Provider does not transfer the records to the Department.
 - 5.6.2.4 Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost, to the Department all public records in possession of the Provider or keep and maintain public records required by the Department to perform the service. If the Provider transfers all public records to the Department upon completion of the contract, the Provider shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Provider keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the Provider shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the Department, upon request from the Department's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the Department.
- 5.6.3 IF THE PROVIDER HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, F.S., TO THE PROVIDER'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 850-487-1111, OR BY EMAIL AT <a href="mailto:documents-decorate: Decorate of De

6. PENALTIES, TERMINATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 6.1 Financial Penalties for Failure to Take Corrective Action
 - 6.1.1 In accordance with the provisions of section 402.73(1), F.S., and Rule 65-29.001, F.A.C., should the Department require a corrective action to address noncompliance under this Contract, incremental penalties listed in section 6.1.2 through section 6.1.3 shall be imposed for Provider failure to achieve the corrective action. These penalties are cumulative and may be assessed upon each separate failure to comply with instructions from the Department to complete corrective action, but shall not exceed ten (10%) of the total contract payments during the period in which the corrective action plan has not been implemented or in which acceptable progress toward implementation has not been made. These penalties do not limit or restrict the Department's application of any other remedy available to it under law or this Contract.
 - **6.1.2** The increments of penalty imposition that shall apply, unless the Department determines that extenuating circumstances exist, shall be based upon the severity of the noncompliance, nonperformance, or unacceptable performance that generated the need for corrective action plan, in accordance with the following standards.
 - **6.1.2.1** Noncompliance that is determined by the Department to have a direct effect on client health and safety shall result in the imposition of a ten percent (10%) penalty of the total contract payments during the period in which the corrective action plan has not been implemented or in which acceptable progress toward implementation has not been made.
 - 6.1.2.2 Noncompliance involving the provision of service not having a direct effect on client health and safety shall result in the imposition of a five percent (5%) penalty.
 - 6.1.2.3 Noncompliance as a result of unacceptable performance of administrative tasks shall result in the imposition of a two percent (2%) penalty.

6.1.3 The deadline for payment shall be as stated in the Order imposing the financial penalties. In the event of nonpayment the Department may deduct the amount of the penalty from invoices submitted by the Provider.

6.2 Termination

- **6.2.1** In accordance with Section 22 of PUR 1000 Form, this Contract may be terminated by the Department without cause upon no less than thirty (30) calendar days' notice in writing to the Provider unless a sooner time is mutually agreed upon in writing.
- 6.2.2 This Contract may be terminated by the Provider upon no less than one-hundred and twenty (120) calendar days' notice in writing to the Department unless another notice period is mutually agreed upon in writing.
- **6.2.3** In the event funds for payment pursuant to this Contract become unavailable, the Department may terminate this Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours' notice in writing to the Provider. The Department shall be the final authority as to the availability and adequacy of funds.
- 6.2.4 In the event the Provider fails to fully comply with the terms and conditions of this Contract, the Department may terminate the Contract upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours' notice in writing to the Provider, excluding Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays. Such notice may be issued without providing an opportunity for cure if it specifies the nature of the noncompliance and states that provision for cure would adversely affect the interests of the State or is not permitted by law or regulation. Otherwise, notice of termination will be issued after the Provider's failure to fully cure such noncompliance within the time specified in a written notice of noncompliance issued by the Department specifying the nature of the noncompliance and the actions required to cure such noncompliance. In addition, the Department may employ the default provisions in Rule 60A-1.006(3), F.A.C., but is not required to do so in order to terminate the Contract. The Department's failure to demand performance of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed a waiver of such performance. The Department's waiver of any one breach of any provision of this Contract shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other breach and neither event shall be construed to be a modification of the terms and conditions of this Contract. The provisions herein do not limit the Department's right to remedies at law or in equity.
- **6.2.5** Failure to have performed any contractual obligations under any other contract with the Department in a manner satisfactory to the Department will be a sufficient cause for termination. Termination shall be upon no less than twenty-four (24) hours' notice in writing to the Provider. To be terminated under this provision, the Provider must have:
 - **6.2.5.1** Previously failed to satisfactorily perform in a contract with the Department, been notified by the Department of the unsatisfactory performance, and failed to timely correct the unsatisfactory performance to the satisfaction of the Department; or
 - **6.2.5.2** Had a contract terminated by the Department for cause.
- **6.2.6** In the event of termination under Sections 6.2.1 or 6.2.3, the Provider will be compensated for any work satisfactorily completed through the date of termination or an earlier date of suspension of work per Section 21 of the PUR 1000.
- **6.2.7** If this Contract is for an amount of \$1 Million or more, the Department may terminate this Contract at any time the Provider is found to have submitted a false certification under section 287.135, F.S., or been placed on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List. Regardless of the amount of this contract, the Department may terminate this contract at any time the Provider is found to have been placed on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List or is engaged in a boycott of Israel.

6.3 Dispute Resolution

- **6.3.1** Any dispute concerning performance of this Contract or payment hereunder shall be decided by the Department, which shall be reduced to writing and a copy of the decision shall be provided to the Provider by the Contract Manager. The decision shall be final and conclusive unless within twenty-one (21) calendar days from the date of receipt of the Department's decision, the Provider delivers to the Contract Manager a petition for alternative dispute resolution.
- **6.3.2** After receipt of a petition for alternative dispute resolution the Department and the Provider shall attempt to amicably resolve the dispute through negotiations. Timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution and completion of the negotiation process shall be a condition precedent to any legal action by the Provider concerning this Contract.
- **6.3.3** After timely delivery of a petition for alternative dispute resolution, the parties may employ any dispute resolution procedures described in the exhibits or other attachments, or mutually agree to an alternative binding or nonbinding dispute resolution process, the terms of which shall be reduced to writing and executed by both parties.

- **6.3.4** Completion of such agreed process shall be deemed to satisfy the requirement for completion of the negotiation process.
- **6.3.5** This section shall not limit the parties' rights of termination under Section 6.2.
- **6.3.6** All notices provided by the Department under Section 6 shall be in writing on paper, physically sent to the person identified in Section 1.2.3 via the U.S. Postal Service or any other delivery service that provides verification of delivery, or via hand delivery. All notices provide by the Provider under Section 6 shall be in writing on paper, physically sent to the person identified in Section 1.2.4 via U.S. Postal Service or any other delivery service that provides verification of delivery, or via hand delivery.

7. OTHER TERMS

7.1 Governing Law and Venue

This Contract is executed and entered into in the State of Florida, and shall be construed, performed and enforced in all respects in accordance with Florida law, without regard to Florida provisions for conflict of laws. State Courts of competent jurisdiction in Florida shall have exclusive jurisdiction in any action regarding this Contract and venue shall be in Leon County, Florida. Unless otherwise provided in any other provision or amendment hereof, any amendment, extension or renewal (when authorized) may be executed in counterparts as provided in Section 46 of the PUR 1000 Form.

7.2 No Other Terms

There are no provisions, terms, conditions, or obligations other than those contained herein, and this Contract shall supersede all previous communications, representations, or agreements, either verbal or written between the parties.

7.3 Severability of Terms

If any term or provision of this Contract is legally determined unlawful or unenforceable, the remainder of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect and such term or provision shall be stricken.

7.4 Survival of Terms

Unless a provision hereof expressly states otherwise, all provisions hereof concerning obligations of the Provider and remedies available to the Department survive the ending date or an earlier termination of this Contract. The Provider's performance pursuant to such surviving provisions shall be without further payment.

7.5 Modifications

Modifications of provisions of this Contract shall be valid only when they have been reduced to writing and duly signed by both parties. The rate of payment and the total dollar amount may be adjusted retroactively to reflect price level increases and changes in the rate of payment when these have been established through the appropriations process and subsequently identified in the Department's operating budget.

7.6 Anticompetitive Agreements

The Provider will not offer, enter into nor enforce any formal or informal agreement with any person, firm or entity under which the parties agree to refrain from competing for any future service contract or limit in any manner the ability of either party to obtain employment by or provide services to the Department or a provider of services to the Department.

7.7 Communications

Except where otherwise provided in this Contract, communications between the parties regarding this Contract may be by any commercially reasonable means. Where this Contract calls for communication in writing, such communication includes email, and attachments thereto are deemed received when the email is received.

7.8 Accreditation

The Department is committed to ensuring provision of the highest quality services to the persons we serve. Accordingly, the Department has expectations that where accreditation is generally accepted nationwide as a clear indicator of quality service, the majority of the Department's providers will either be accredited, have a plan to meet national accreditation standards, or will initiate a plan within a reasonable period of time.

7.9 Transitioning Young Adults

The Provider understands the Department's interest in assisting young adults aging out of the dependency system. The Department encourages Provider participation with the local Community-Based Care Lead Agency Independent Living Program to offer gainful employment to youth in foster care and young adults transitioning from the foster care system.

7.10 DEO and Workforce Florida

The Provider understands that the Department, the Department of Economic Opportunity, and Workforce Florida, Inc., have jointly implemented an initiative to empower recipients in the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families Program to enter and remain in gainful employment. The Department encourages Provider participation with the Department of Economic Opportunity and Workforce Florida.

7.11 Purchases by Other Agencies

The Department of Management Services may approve this Contract as an alternate contract source pursuant to Rule 60A-1.045, Florida Administrative Code, if requested by another agency. Other State agencies may purchase from the resulting contract, provided that the Department of Management Services has determined that the contract's use is cost-effective and in the best interest of the State. Upon such approval, the Provider may, at its discretion, sell these commodities or services to additional agencies, upon the terms and conditions contained herein.

7.12 Unauthorized Aliens

Unauthorized aliens shall not be employed. Employment of unauthorized aliens shall be cause for unilateral cancellation of this Contract by the Department for violation of section 274A of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. § 1324a) and section 101 of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. The Provider and its subcontractors will enroll in and use the E-verify system established by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to verify the employment eligibility of its employees and its subcontractors' employees performing under this Contract. Employees assigned to the contract means all persons employed or assigned (including subcontractors) by the Provider or a subcontractor during the contract term to perform work pursuant to this contract within the United States and its territories.

7.13 Civil Rights Requirements

These requirements shall apply to the Provider and all contractors, subcontractors, subgrantees or others with whom it arranges to provide services or benefits to clients or employees in connection with its programs and activities.

- **7.13.1** The Provider shall comply with the provisions In accordance with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, or the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992, as applicable the Provider shall not discriminate against any employee (or applicant for employment) in the performance of this Contract because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, age, or marital status.
- **7.13.2** The Provider shall not discriminate against any applicant, client, or employee in service delivery or benefits in connection with any of its programs and activities in accordance with 45 CFR, Parts 80, 83, 84, 90, and 91, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, or the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992, as applicable and CFOP 60-16.
- **7.13.3** If employing fifteen or more employees, the Provider shall complete the Civil Rights Compliance Checklist, CF Form 946 within thirty (30) days of execution of this Contract and annually thereafter in accordance with CFOP 60-16 and 45 CFR, Part 80.

7.14 Use of Funds for Lobbying Prohibited

The Provider shall comply with the provisions of sections 11.062 and 216.347, F.S., which prohibit the expenditure of contract funds for the purpose of lobbying the Legislature, judicial branch, or a State agency.

7.15 Public Entity Crime and Discriminatory Contractors

Pursuant to sections 287.133 and 287.134, F.S., the following restrictions are placed on the ability of persons placed on the convicted vendor list or the discriminatory vendor list. When a person or affiliate has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime, or an entity or affiliate has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list, such person, entity or affiliate may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract with a public entity for the construction or the repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids, proposals, or replies on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity; provided, however, that the prohibition on persons or affiliates placed on the convicted vendor shall be limited to business in excess of the

threshold amount provided in section 287.017, F.S., for CATEGORY TWO for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

7.16 Whistleblower's Act Requirements

In accordance with subsection 112.3187, F.S., the Provider and its subcontractors shall not retaliate against an employee for reporting violations of law, rule, or regulation that creates substantial and specific danger to the public's health, safety, or welfare to an appropriate agency. Furthermore, agencies or independent contractors shall not retaliate against any person who discloses information to an appropriate agency alleging improper use of governmental office, gross waste of funds, or any other abuse or gross neglect of duty on the part of an agency, public officer, or employee. The Provider and any subcontractor shall inform its employees that they and other persons may file a complaint with the Office of Chief Inspector General, Agency Inspector General, the Florida Commission on Human Relations or the Whistle-blower's Hotline number at 1-800-543-5353.

7.17 PRIDE

Articles which are the subject of or are required to carry out this Contract shall be purchased from Prison Rehabilitative Industries and Diversified Enterprises, Inc., (PRIDE) identified under Chapter 946, F.S., in the same manner and under the procedures set forth in subsections 946.515(2) and (4), F.S. For purposes of this Contract, the Provider shall be deemed to be substituted for the Department insofar as dealings with PRIDE. This clause is not applicable to subcontractors unless otherwise required by law. An abbreviated list of products/services available from PRIDE may be obtained by contacting PRIDE, (800) 643-8459.

7.18 Recycled Products

The Provider shall procure any recycled products or materials, which are the subject of or are required to carry out this Contract, in accordance with the provisions of sections 403.7065, F.S.

8. <u>FEDERAL FUNDS APPLICABILITY</u>

The terms in this section apply if Federal Funds are used to fund this Contract.

8.1 Federal Law

- **8.1.1** The Provider shall comply with the provisions of Federal law and regulations including, but not limited to, 2 CFR, Part 200, and other applicable regulations.
- **8.1.2** If this Contract contains \$10,000 or more of Federal Funds, the Provider shall comply with Executive Order 11246, Equal Employment Opportunity, as amended by Executive Order 11375 and others, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulation 41 CFR, Part 60 if applicable.
- **8.1.3** If this Contract contains over \$150,000 of Federal Funds, the Provider shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued under section 306 of the Clean Air Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.), section 508 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq.), Executive Order 11738, as amended and where applicable, and Environmental Protection Agency regulations (2 CFR, Part 1500). The Provider shall report any violations of the above to the Department.
- **8.1.4** No Federal Funds received in connection with this Contract may be used by the Provider, or agent acting for the Provider, or subcontractor to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress or any State legislature. If this Contract contains Federal funding in excess of \$100,000, the Provider must, prior to contract execution, complete the Certification Regarding Lobbying form, Attachment **2**. All disclosure forms as required by the Certification Regarding Lobbying form must be completed and returned to the Contract Manager, prior to payment under this Contract.
- **8.1.5** If this Contract provides services to children up to age 18, the Provider shall comply with the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (20 U.S.C. § 6081). Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a civil monetary penalty of up to \$1,000 for each violation or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity, or both.
- **8.1.6** If the Provider is a federal subrecipient or pass-through entity, then the Provider and its subcontractors who are federal subrecipients or pass-through entities are subject to the following: A contract award (see 2 CFR § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government-wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines in 2 CFR, Part 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

8.1.7 If the Provider is a federal subrecipient or pass through entity, the Provider and its subcontractors who are federal subrecipients or pass-through entities, must determine whether or not its subcontracts are being awarded to a "contractor" or a "subrecipient," as those terms are defined in 2 CFR, Part 200. If a Provider's subcontractor is determined to be a subrecipient, the Provider must ensure the subcontractor adheres to all the applicable requirements in 2 CFR, Part 200.

8.2 Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA)

The FFATA Act of 2006 is an act of Congress that requires the full disclosure to the public of all entities or organizations receiving federal funds.

- **8.2.1** The Provider will complete and sign the FFATA Certification of Executive Compensation Reporting Requirements form (CF 1111 or successor) if this Contract includes \$30,000 or more in Federal Funds (as determined over its entire term). The Provider shall also report the total compensation of its five most highly paid executives if it also receives in excess of 80% of its annual gross revenues from Federal Funds and receives more than \$25 million in total federal funding.
- **8.2.2** The Digital Accountability and Transparency Act (DATA) 2014 is an expansion of the FFATA Act of 2006, the purpose is for further transparency by establishing government-wide data identifiers and standardized reporting formats to recipient and subrecipients.

8.3 Federal Whistleblower Requirements

Pursuant to Section 11(c) of the OSH Act of 1970 and the subsequent federal laws expanding the act, the Provider is prohibited from discriminating against employees for exercising their rights under the OSH Act. Details of the OSH Act can be found at this website: http://www.whistleblowers.gov.

9. CLIENT SERVICES APPLICABILITY

The terms in this section apply if the box for Client Services is checked at the beginning of this Contract.

9.1 Client Risk Prevention

If services to clients are to be provided under this Contract, the Provider and any subcontractors shall, in accordance with the client risk prevention system, report those reportable situations listed in CFOP 215-6 in the manner prescribed in CFOP 215-6. The Provider shall immediately report any knowledge or reasonable suspicion of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of a child, aged person, or disabled adult to the Florida Abuse Hotline on the statewide toll-free telephone number (1-800-96ABUSE). As required by Chapters 39 and 415, F.S., this provision is binding upon both the Provider and its employees.

9.2 Emergency Preparedness Plan

If the tasks to be performed pursuant to this Contract include the physical care or supervision of clients, the Provider shall, within thirty (30) days of the execution of this contract, submit to the Contract Manager an emergency preparedness plan which shall include provisions for records protection, alternative accommodations for clients in substitute care, supplies, and a recovery plan that will allow the Provider to continue functioning in compliance with the executed contract in the event of an actual emergency. For the purpose of disaster planning, the term "supervision" includes a child who is under the jurisdiction of a dependency court. Children may remain in their homes, be placed in a non-licensed relative/non-relative home, or be placed in a licensed foster care setting. No later than twelve months following the Department's original acceptance of a plan and every twelve (12) months thereafter, the Provider shall submit a written certification that it has reviewed its plan, along with any modifications to the plan, or a statement that no modifications were found necessary. The Department agrees to respond in writing within thirty (30) days of receipt of the original or updated plan, accepting, rejecting, or requesting modifications. In the event of an emergency, the Department may exercise oversight authority over such Provider in order to assume implementation of agreed emergency relief provisions.

9.3 Support to the Deaf or Hard-of-Hearing

- **9.3.1** The Provider and its subcontractors shall comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. § 794, as implemented by 45 CFR Part 84 (hereinafter referred to as Section 504), the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. § 12131, as implemented by 28 CFR Part 35 (hereinafter referred to as ADA), and CFOP 60-10, Chapter 4, entitled Auxiliary Aids and Services for the Deaf or Hard-of-Hearing.
- **9.3.2** If the Provider or any of its subcontractors employs 15 or more employees, such Provider and subcontractor shall each designate a Single-Point-of-Contact to ensure effective communication with deaf or hard-of-hearing customers or companions in accordance with Section 504 of the ADA, and CFOP 60-10, Chapter 4. The Provider's Single-Point-of-Contact and that of its Subcontractors will process the compliance data into the Department's HHS Compliance reporting Database by the 5th business

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day of the month, covering the previous month's reporting, and forward confirmation of submission to the Contract Manager. The name and contact information for the Provider's Single-Point-of-Contact shall be furnished to the Department's Contract Manager within fourteen (14) calendar days of the effective date of this requirement.

- **9.3.3** The Provider shall, within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this requirement, contractually require that its subcontractors comply with Section 504, the ADA, and CFOP 60-10, Chapter 4. A Single-Point-of-Contact shall be required for each subcontractor that employs 15 or more employees. This Single-Point-of-Contact will ensure effective communication with deaf or hard-of-hearing customers or companions in accordance with Section 504 and the ADA and coordinate activities and reports with the Provider's Single-Point-of-Contact.
- **9.3.4** The Single-Point-of-Contact shall ensure that employees are aware of the requirements, roles and responsibilities, and contact points associated with compliance with Section 504, the ADA, and CFOP 60-10, Chapter 4. Further, employees of providers and their subcontractors with fifteen (15) or more employees shall attest in writing that they are familiar with the requirements of Section 504, the ADA, and CFOP 60-10, Chapter 4. This attestation shall be maintained in the employee's personnel file.
- **9.3.5** The Provider's Single-Point-of-Contact will ensure that conspicuous Notices which provide information about the availability of appropriate auxiliary aids and services at no-cost to the deaf or hard-of-hearing customers or companions are posted near where people enter or are admitted within the agent locations. Such Notices must be posted immediately by The Provider and its subcontractors. The approved Notice is available at: http://www.myflfamilies.com/about-us/services-deaf-and-hard-hearing/dcf-posters.
- **9.3.6** The Provider and its subcontractors shall document the customer's or companion's preferred method of communication and any requested auxiliary aids/services provided in the customer's record. Documentation, with supporting justification, must also be made if any request was not honored. The Provider shall distribute Customer Feedback forms to customers or companions, and provide assistance in completing the forms as requested by the customer or companion.
- **9.3.7** If customers or companions are referred to other agencies, the Provider must ensure that the receiving agency is notified of the customer's or companion's preferred method of communication and any auxiliary aids/service needs.
- **9.3.8** The Department requires each contract/subcontract provider agency's direct service employees to complete training on serving our Customers who are Deaf or Hard-of-Hearing and sign the Attestation of Understanding. Direct service employees performing under this Contract will also print their certificate of completion, attach it to their Attestation of Understanding, and maintain them in their personnel file.

9.4 Confidential Client and Other Information

Except as provided in this Contract, the Provider shall not use or disclose but shall protect and maintain the confidentiality of any client information and any other information made confidential by Florida law or Federal laws or regulations that is obtained or accessed by the Provider or its subcontractors incidental to performance under this Contract.

- **9.4.1** State laws providing for the confidentiality of client and other information include but are not limited to sections 39.0132, 39.00145, 39.202, 39.809, 39.908, 63.162, 63.165, 383.412, 394.4615, 397.501, 409.821, 409.175, 410.037, 410.605, 414.295, 415.107, 741.3165 and 916.107, F.S.
- **9.4.2** Federal laws and regulations to the same effect include section 471(a)(8) of the Social Security Act, section 106(b)(2)(A)(viii) of the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, 7 U.S.C. § 2020(e)(8), 42 U.S.C. § 602 and 2 CFR § 200.303 and 2 CFR § 200.337, 7 CFR § 272.1(c), 42 CFR §§ 2.1-2.3, 42 CFR §§ 431.300-306, 45 CFR § 205.
- **9.4.3** A summary of Florida Statutes providing for confidentiality of this and other information are found in Part II of the Attorney General's Government in the Sunshine Manual, as revised from time-to-time.

9.5 Major Disasters and Emergencies

The Stafford Act allows federal assistance for major disasters and emergencies upon a declaration by the President. Upon the declaration, the Department is authorized to apply for federal reimbursement from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to aid in response and recovery from a major disaster. The Provider shall request reimbursement for eligible expenses through the Department and payment will be issued upon FEMA approval and reimbursement.

By signing this Contract, the parties agree that they have read and agree to the entire Contract, as described in Section 1.4.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this <u>37</u> page Contract to be executed by their undersigned officials as duly CF Standard Contract 2019 (UA)

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authorized.

PROVIDER: Pinellas County License Board in care of FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES Pinellas County Health Department

Signature:		Signature:	
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Name:	Dr. Ulyee Choe	Name:	Frank Prado
	Director of the Florida Department of		
Title:	Health in Pinellas County	Title:	Regional Managing Director
Date:		Date:	

The parties agree that any future amendment(s) replacing this page will not affect the above execution.

Federal Tax ID # (or SSN): <u>F593502843355</u>

Provider Fiscal Year Ending Date: 09/30.

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EXHIBIT A - SPECIAL PROVISIONS

The following provisions supplement or modify the provisions of Items 1 through 9 of the CF Standard Contract 2019 (UA), as provided herein:

A-1. ENGAGEMENT, TERM AND CONTRACT DOCUMENT

Program Specific Terms. In addition to the provisions of **Section 1.4.1**, the following definitions apply to this Agreement.

- **A-1.1** Child Care Licensing Inspector. An employee who licenses, relicenses, and conducts inspections of child care facilities and family day care homes.
- **A-1.2** Child Care Licensing Information System. The collection of Department systems used to track child care licensing information and activities.
- **A-1.3** Child Care Licensing. A regulatory program which is responsible for the licensure of child care facilities and family child care homes. The child care licensure program is premised in law and sets requirements for services through the promulgation of administrative rules, inspects child care facilities or family child care homes to determine compliance and applies positive and negative sanctions.
- A-1.4 Licensing Activities. All actions completed by the licensing personnel related to the enforcement of local and state child care requirements, such as issuance of licenses, site visits related to issuance/re-issuance of licenses, denial of licenses, applications processed, enforcement actions, provider training activities, technical assistance, site inspections, investigation of complaints, public hearings, imposing of fines, publication and dissemination of licensing requirements, and school readiness inspections.
- **A-1.5** Provider Information Form. A form in the Child Care Licensing Information System which contains demographic and licensing information on child care facilities and family day care homes.
- A-1.6 State Fiscal Year. The State of Florida's fiscal year is the period from July 1 through June 30.

A-2. STATEMENT OF WORK

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-3. PAYMENT, INVOICE AND RELATED TERMS

3.6 This Contract is exempt from the MyFloridaMarketPlace transaction fee, in accordance with Rule 60A-1.031(3)(e), Florida Administrative Code, as another governmental agency.

A-4. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING PERFORMANCE

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-5. RECORDS, AUDITS AND DATA SECURITY

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-6. PENALTIES, TERMINATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-7. OTHER TERMS

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-8. FEDERAL FUNDS APPLICABILITY

There are no additional provisions to this section of the Standard Contract.

A-9. CLIENT SERVICES APPLICABILITY

When FEMA requires the Provider to request reimbursement directly, the requirement in **Section 9.5** of the Standard Contract for the Provider to request reimbursement through the Department shall not apply.

EXHIBIT B - SCOPE OF WORK

B-1. SCOPE OF SERVICE

The Provider shall license child care facilities and family child care providers in Pinellas County as required in Section 402.301 through 402.319, F.S., 65C-20, 65C-22, and 65C-25 F.A.C., and applicable local ordinances, in compliance with applicable state and federal laws, rules and regulations as they may be enacted or amended from time to time.

B-2. MAJOR CONTRACT GOALS

The major goals of child care licensing are to ensure compliance with child care licensing standards and to improve the quality of care, in order to protect the health, safety, and well-being of children of the state and to promote their emotional and intellectual development and care.

B-3. SERVICE AREA/LOCATIONS/TIMES

- **B-3.1** The Provider will coordinate child care licensing services in Pinellas County through the Pinellas County License Board.
- **B-3.2** The Provider will maintain a publicly accessible office and business hours.
- B-3.3 The Provider's administrative offices are located as specified in Section 1.2.3.
- **B-3.4** The Provider will notify the contract manager in writing at least ten (10) working days prior to any changes in office location.

B-4. CLIENTS TO BE SERVED

Not applicable to this agreement.

B-5. CLIENT ELIGIBILITY

Not applicable to this agreement.

B-6. CLIENT DETERMINATION

Not applicable to this agreement.

B-7. EQUIPMENT

The Provider will maintain sufficient facilities and equipment to deliver agreed upon services, and enter appropriate data into the approved Childcare Administration, Regulation and Enforcement System (CARES).

B-8. CONTRACT LIMITS

- **B-8.1** Services are subject to the availability of funds.
- B-8.2 As prescribed in 402.307(3), F.S., the approval to issue licenses for the Department shall be renewed annually.
- **B-8.3** This Contract may be renewed for a period not to exceed three (3) years, or the original term of this contract. Such renewal shall be made by mutual agreement and be contingent upon satisfactory performance evaluation as determined by the Department and shall be subject to the availability of funds. Any renewal shall be in writing and shall be subject to the same terms and conditions as set forth in the initial contract unless amended. If renewed, the cost for the renewal may not be charged to this contract.

EXHIBIT C - TASK LIST

The Provider shall perform all functions necessary for the proper delivery of services including, but not limited to, the following:

C-1. SERVICE TASKS / LICENSING ACTIVITIES

- C-1.1 The Provider will enforce Special Act for Pinellas County (Chapter 61-2681, amended by Chapter 70-893 and 2007-277), Laws of Florida, Chapter 402 Sections 301-319, F.S., and 65C-20, 65C-22, and 65C-25, F.A.C., in compliance with all applicable state and federal laws, rules and regulations as they may be enacted or amended from time to time.
- C-1.2 The Provider will issue and renew licenses for all child care facilities and family day care homes that meet the requirements in paragraph C-1.1.
- **C-1.3** The Provider will inspect all licensed child care facilities and family day care homes at a minimum of twice a year, to ensure compliance with standards.
- **C-1.4** The Provider will coordinate, collaborate, and participate in training activities with other child care and child development organizations, and educational and training providers, at least monthly.
- **C-1.5** The Provider will give technical assistance to all new child care centers and family child care homes, and assistance to existing providers on an as needed basis. All child care centers and family child care homes will be kept abreast of any changes in licensing requirements and any training associated with such changes.
- C-1.6 The Provider will access the Department's child care licensing website below to review and incorporate new policies: https://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/child-care/laws-and-requirements.shtml
- **C-1.7** The Provider will, within 30 days after the promulgation of any new state minimum standard, provide the Child Care Regulation Program Office Policy Unit and the Contract Manager with their plan for revising their county specific ordinances/standards if they differ from the state minimum standards.
- **C-1.8** The Provider will submit to the Child Care Regulation Program Office Policy Unit and the Contract Manager by July 31st of each year a copy of its standards and procedures for review to determine continued compliance with s. 402.307, F.S. and if deemed necessary, agree to an onsite review.
- **C-1.9** The Provider is to utilize the Childcare Administration Regulation & Enforcement System (CARES) to store and maintain Pinellas County child care Provider information, including all personnel records and current license expiration dates. All Provider information must be entered into the system prior to the license being issued and updated to maintain accuracy of information. The Provider will update CARES at least monthly to reflect changes and incorporate data collection during the previous month.
- **C-1.10** The Provider is to utilize the Child Care Regulation Application (CCRA) for all inspections, including the school readiness inspections conducted pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding with the Office of Early Learning. Inspections must be uploaded into CARES within 10 days of the inspection date, except for complaint inspections that must be uploaded into CARES within 10 days of completion.
- C-1.11 For any Gold Seal Quality Care designated child care providers in Pinellas County:
 - **C-1.11.1** The Provider must include language in all Administrative Action and Enforcement Actions for any Class I violation, or three or more of the same Class II violations within a two-year period, that states, "the violation may affect the status of the Provider's Gold Seal designation pursuant to s. 402.281, Florida Statute."
 - **C-1.11.2** The Provider must submit a copy via email to the Office of Child Care Regulation Program Office Policy Unit and the Contract Manager all final orders, stipulations, or settlement agreements, written in accordance **with C-1.11.1**, within 10 days of receiving the documentation.

C-2. ADMINISTRATIVE TASKS

C-2.1 Staffing

- C-2.1.1 The Provider will maintain sufficient staff to provide services described in the tasks list.
- **C-2.1.2** The Provider shall establish caseload size to ensure inspections are conducted effectively and timely. The Department suggests looking to the workload standard utilized by the Department of 100:1 for licensed family day care homes/large family child care homes and 50:1 for child care facilities.

C-2.2 Professional Qualifications

- **C-2.2.1** The licensing inspectors must have, at a minimum, an Associate degree (A.A.), however, Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) or Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree is preferred.
- **C-2.2.2** The Provider will ensure that each of their project staff have received basic training in child abuse and neglect (e.g. detection, reporting, prevention, and counseling), confidentiality requirements, and how to handle emergencies on the job.
- **C-2.2.3** The Provider will notify the contract manager in writing within ten (10) working days when the manager position becomes vacant or there is a change in manager.
- **C-2.2.4** The Provider's staff should participate in ongoing professional development training opportunities to ensure staff are up to date on legislation, rule changes, training, best practices in regulation, trends, policies, procedures, as well as other regulatory issues at the state and federal levels. Training opportunities shall include but are not limited to:
 - C-2.2.4.1 Child Care Statewide Annual Training
 - C-2.2.4.2 Playground Inspector Certification
 - C-2.2.4.3 National Certified Investigator and Inspector Training (NCIT)
 - C-2.2.4.4 Early Childhood Conferences
 - C-2.2.4.5 National Association of Regulatory Administration Conference
- **C-2.2.5** The Provider should attend any training where the Department extends an invitation and the Department will be participating. The Department may cover the costs for training and travel expenses for at least one Provider staff member if funding is available.

C-2.3 Subcontracting

C-2.3.1 Pinellas County License Board may continue to subcontract this function to the Pinellas County Health Department. Subcontracting with any other vendor is not permitted without the prior approval of the Department.

C-2.4 Records and Documentation

- **C-2.4.1** The Provider will maintain records and documentation of all child care homes and child care centers visited/inspected, all identified Class I violations, and provisional licenses issued as a result of non-compliance, and all regular licenses issued.
- **C-2.4.2** The Provider will maintain and update Provider information in the Child Care Licensing Information System to ensure the most current information is maintained at all times.
- **C-2.4.3** The Provider will update the Child Care Licensing Information System at least monthly to reflect changes and incorporate data collection during the previous month.
- **C-2.4.4** The Provider must maintain a confidential file for each child care center and family day care home containing information which requires confidentiality.
- **C-2.4.5** The Provider must maintain separate files for each licensed child care center and family day care home. The licensing file must include the following documents:
 - C-2.4.5.1 The most current license
 - C-2.4.5.2 Completed licensing application
 - C-2.4.5.3 Completed licensing inspection forms, with corrective actions, if any
 - C-2.4.5.4 Current fire inspection (centers only)
 - C-2.4.5.5 Environmental health inspection (centers only)
 - C-2.4.5.6 Complaints with results of the investigation if any
 - C-2.4.5.7 Most current provider information form

- **C-2.4.5.8** Documentation of corrective actions imposed, fines assessed and collected, as well as other attempts to assure compliance
- C-2.4.5.9 Confidentiality form for family day care homes
- C-2.4.5.10 Training transcript for center director or family child care operator

C-2.5 Reports (programmatic and to support payment)

C-2.5.1 The Provider shall submit reports in an electronic format to the Contract Manager specified in **Section** 1.2.4, in accordance with the schedule below.

Report Title	Reporting Frequency	Report Due Date	# of Copies Due	DCF Office to Receive Reports			
Invoice Monthly		15 th day of the month following month being reported	1	Contract Manager			
Child Care Local Licensing Monthly Activities and Performance Measure Report (Attachment 4)	Monthly	15 th day of the month following month being reported	1	Contract Manager			
Child Care Serious Injury and Death Report	Monthly	5 th day of the month following month being reported	2	Child Care Regulation Program Office and Contract Manager			
Expenditure Report	Semi-Annually	January 31st and August 15th	1	Contract Manager			
Annual Budget	Annually	As Needed	1	Contract Manager			
Civil Rights Compliance Checklist (Form CF 946)	Annually	July 1st	1	Contract Manager			
General Liability Insurance	Annually	July 1st	1	Contract Manager			
Emergency Operations Plan	Annually	July 30th	1	Contract Manager			
Property Inventory List	Annually if property purchased or received	July 31st	1	Contract Manager			
Financial Audits	Annually	As Specified in Attachment 1	As specified in Attachment 1	Contract Manager and as specified in Attachment 1			
Child Care Standards and Procedures	Annually	July 31st	2	Child Care Regulation Program Office and Contract Manager			
Section 402.307(3) F.S., renewal letter	Annually	April 1st	1	Contract Manager			

- **C-2.5.2** Additionally, the Child Care Local Licensing Monthly Report shall be delivered to the Department's licensing office, Chantal Porte at the following email address: Chantal.Porte@myflfamilies.com., or her successor as indicated in writing by the Department.
- **C-2.5.3** If any of the dates shown in the table above fall on a holiday or weekend, the report is due the following business day.
- **C-2.5.4** For the purposes of this Contract, the Provider may consider submitted reports to have been accepted within 10 days of the Department's receipt of the report. If a report is emailed to the Department during normal business hours, the date of the email will be considered the date of receipt, otherwise the next business day will be considered the date of receipt. If the Department alleges non-receipt of a report, the Provider shall submit copy of the missing report upon request by the Department's Contract Manager. If it is determined that a report(s) contains deficient or inaccurate information; the Department may require revisions to the report(s).
- C-2.6 To meet Federal requirements, the Provider is to report via email to the Child Care Regulation Program Office Policy Unit and the Contract Manager by the 5th of each month the Child Care Serious Injury and Death Report.

C-3. STANDARD CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

C-3.1 Provider will perform all acts required by Section 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 of the Standard Contract 2019 (UA).

EXHIBIT D - DELIVERABLES

D-1. SERVICE UNIT

D-1.1 A unit of service is one month of licensing or re-licensing activities as defined in **Section A-1.4**; as described in Exhibit C Task List, **Section C-1** Service Tasks/Licensing Activities and **Section C-2.4** Records and Documentation. Each unit of service shall be delivered in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Contract and performed in a manner acceptable to the Department.

D-2. DELIVERABLES

D-2.1 The Provider will average completion of **200** licensing activities per month on a state fiscal year basis.

D-3. MINIMUM LEVEL OF SERVICE FOR DELIVERABLES

- **D-3.1** For acceptance of deliverables, during July, August and September each state fiscal year, the Provider must attain at least 80% of D-2.1. During October through June of each state fiscal year, the Provider must attain 100% of **D-2.1**
- D-3.2 The Provider shall demonstrate satisfactory delivery of D-2.1 through the submission of the Child Care Local Licensing Monthly Activities and Performance Measure Report (Attachment 4).
- D-3.3 Licensing activities are described in Section C-1 Service Tasks / Licensing Activities and Section C-2.4 Records and Documentation, with additional definition in Section A-1.4.
- **D-3.4** If the Provider fails to achieve the minimum performance for acceptance of deliverables, as set forth in Section **D-3.1**, a financial consequence of one percent of the invoice total will be deducted from the invoice prior to payment, refer to the table below. The contract manager may consider mitigating circumstances when applying financial consequences.

DELIVERABLES	SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION TO VERIFY ACHIEVEMENT MINIMUM PERFORMANCE	EACH STATE FISCAL YEAR	QUALITATIVE CRITERIA FOR ACCEPTANCE OF DELIVERABLES	FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCE WHEN PERFORMANCE IS BELOW THE MINIMUM SERVICE LEVEL REQUIRED
An average completion of 200 licensing activities will be provided each month (D-2.1)	Child Care Licensing Monthly Activities and	July through September	provided (average 160 licensing activities)	1% of the total invoice amount will be deducted from the invoice total when the number of licensing activities does not meet the Criteria for Acceptance of Deliverable.
	Performance Measure - Report (Attachment 4)	October through June	100% of D-2.1 will be provided (average 200 licensing activities)	1% of the total invoice amount will be deducted from the invoice total when the number of licensing activities does not meet the Criteria for Acceptance of Deliverable.

EXHIBIT E - MINIMUM PERFORMANCE MEASURES

E-1. MINIMUM PERFORMANCE MEASURES

E-1.1 Performance Evaluation

E-1.1.1 Performance Standards Statement: By execution of this Contract, the Provider hereby acknowledges and agrees that its performance under the Contract must meet the standards set forth below and will be bound by the conditions set forth in this Contract. If the Provider fails to meet these standards, the Department, at its exclusive option, may allow a reasonable period, not to exceed six months, for the Provider to correct performance deficiencies. If performance deficiencies are not resolved to the satisfaction of the Department within the prescribed time, and if no extenuating circumstances can be documented by the Provider to the Department's satisfaction, the Department must terminate the Contract. The Department has the sole authority to determine if there are extenuating or mitigating circumstances.

E-1.2 Performance Measures

#	Minimum Performance Measure	Performance Measure Methodology
1.	95% of licensed child care facilities and homes will be issued a provisional or regular license within statutory time frames, provided that the licensee is in compliance with Pinellas County and Florida State licensing requirements. This requirement will be reported monthly for tracking purposes, but percentage of compliance determined on an annual basis.	The percentage of compliance will be determined annually at the end of each state fiscal year by dividing the number of licenses issued within the statutory time frames, by the total number of licenses issued for each fiscal year.

E-1.3 If the Child Care Licensing Office implements and finalizes a new reporting system within the Child Care Licensing Information System the performance measures described in this Exhibit may be renegotiated during the course of this contract.

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EXHIBIT F - METHOD OF PAYMENT

F-1. This is a fixed price (unit cost) contract. The Department shall pay the Provider for the delivery of service units provided in accordance with the terms and conditions of this contract for a total dollar amount not to exceed the amount specified in **Section 1.1**, subject to the availability of funds. As this contract is based on an annual appropriation by the legislature, the total contract amount and the unit cost may be adjusted based on the appropriation and the underlying allocation methodology without a change in services delivery requirements.

F-2. The Department will pay for the service units at the unit price and limit, as listed below, subject to the availability of funds:

State Fiscal Year	Service Unit	Unit Price per Month	# of Units	Amount per SFY
2021-2022	One month of child care licensing services. (July 2021 – June 2022)	\$23,510.16	12	\$282,121.92
2022-2023	One Month of child care licensing services (July 2022 - June 2023)	\$23,510.16	12	\$282,121.92
2023-2024	One month of child care licensing services (July 2023 – May 2024)	\$23,510.16	12	\$282,121.92

F-3. INVOICE REQUIREMENTS

- **F-3.1** The Provider shall request payment on a monthly basis through submission of a properly completed invoice within15 calendar days following the month for which payment is being requested. If the date falls on a weekend or holiday, the invoice is due the next working day.
- **F-3.2** Payments may be authorized only for service units on the invoice, which are in accord with the above table, and other terms and conditions of the Contract. The service units for which payment is requested may not either by themselves, or cumulatively by totaling service units on previous invoices, exceed the total number of units authorized by the Contract.
- **F-3.3** Notwithstanding the provision of section 215.422 (1), F.S. the Department shall have 5 working days to inspect and approve the Request for Payment.
- **F-3.4** The invoice must contain the following elements:
 - **F-3.4.1** The Provider's name and remittance address
 - F-3.4.2 The Contract number
 - F-3.4.3 A description of the services provided
 - F-3.4.4 The time period being invoiced
 - **F-3.4.5** The signature of the Provider's representative authorizing the invoice
 - F-3.4.6 The Providers Federal Employer Identification Number
 - F-3.4.7 The dollar amount requested

F-4. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

The Provider must submit Attachment 4, Child Care Local Licensing Monthly Activities and Performance Measure Report corresponding to the service month for the invoice to be considered complete.

F-5. RESTRICTION OF EXPENDITURES

Items expressly prohibited from purchase with these Contract funds include, but are not limited to, items such as: flowers, awards or plaques, meals for staff (excluding meals associated with travel per Chapter 112, F.S.) including bottled water, snacks, refreshments, entertainment, and promotional items that do not have a specific statutory authority including, but not limited to, ribbons and wrist bands.

F-6. EXPENDITURES

F-6.1 Expenditures shall meet the minimum requirements including, but not limited to Uniform Guidance; Code of Federal Regulations Title 2, Part 200; Section 215.97 F.S. and 215.971 F.S., and expenditures as established by the Department of Financial Services, Division of Accounting and Auditing, Bureau of Auditing, Reference Guide for State Expenditures, which is hereby incorporated by reference and available at the Department of Financial Services website.

F-6.2 To ensure proper accountability over state and federal resources, the Provider shall, without exception, be aware of and comply with all applicable state and federal laws, rules, regulations related to its performance under this Contract as they may be enacted or amended from time to time.

F-7. REFER TO EXHIBIT F1, Additional Financial Consequences

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EXHIBIT F1 - ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES

F1-1. FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES

The following financial consequences apply in addition to the Financial Consequences provided in **Section 6.1** of the CF Standard Contract 2019.

- **F1-1.1** In addition to the financial penalties set out in Rule 65-29.001, F.A.C., for failure to comply with a requirement for corrective action, the Department shall assess financial consequences for failure to meet the performance measures outlined in **Attachment 4**, Child Care Local Licensing Monthly Activities and Performance Measures Report. Financial consequences shall be applied as identified in **Section D-3.4**. Financial Consequences will be assessed for the month that minimum monthly deliverable or annual performance measures are not met.
- **F1-1.2** Upon the Department's decision to impose financial consequences, written notification will be sent to the Provider. Notification will outline the deliverable and/or performance measures for which financial consequences are being imposed, the Department's concerns, the amount of the financial consequence and the month the deduction will be made on the invoice.
 - **F1-1.2.1** In the event that an extenuating circumstance beyond the control of the Provider affects the timely submission of a service unit, the Provider may request an extension of that specific due date as follows:
 - **F1-1.2.1.1** Extenuating circumstances will not be considered for the late submission of the final invoice as described in **Section 3.3.2** of the CF Standard Contract 2019.
 - **F1-1.2.1.2** The Provider's representative with contract execution authority shall attest to and document the extenuating circumstance to the Contract Manager by the specified due date of the deliverable or service unit on Provider letterhead.
 - **F1-1.2.1.3** This written request shall detail the steps that the Provider has put into place to submit the required deliverable or service unit timely and provide a specific proposed due date for submission of the late deliverable or service unit.
 - **F1-1.2.1.4** This individual shall also detail the steps to avoid a future recurrence of such extenuating circumstance.
 - **F1-1.2.1.5** Submission of said attestation to the Contract Manager does not constitute acceptance of the attestation.
 - **F1-1.2.1.6** It is specifically intended by the parties that acceptance, in writing by the Contract Manager, of the required attestation documenting the extenuating circumstance beyond the control of the Provider shall constitute a separate act and shall occur, if at all, within seven calendar days following receipt of the attestation.
 - **F1-1.2.1.7** Barring Department acceptance of extenuating circumstances beyond the control of the Provider, the Department's Contract Manager shall assess financial consequences against the Provider for each performance measure not met.
- **F1-1.3.** Submission of an unacceptable invoice, supporting documentation, or report:
 - **F1-1.3.1** An unacceptable invoice or supporting documentation contains inaccurate or incomplete information or supporting documentation as specified in **Exhibit F- Method of Payment**.
 - **F1-1.3.2** An unacceptable report contains inaccurate or incomplete information or data and relates to any report the Provider is required to submit. The report may relate to tasks, activities, deliverables, data collection or analysis, or performance measures as specified in **Section C-2.5**, Reports.
 - **F1-1.3.3** Financial Consequences will be assessed for an unacceptable invoice, supporting documentation, or report as provided in **Section 6.1.2.3** of the CF Standard Contract 2019.

ATTACHMENT	1

The administration of resources awarded by the Department of Children & Families to the provider may be subject to audits as described in this attachment.

MONITORING

In addition to reviews of audits conducted in accordance with 2 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) §§ 200.500-200.521 and § 215.97, F.S., as revised, the Department may monitor or conduct oversight reviews to evaluate compliance with contract, management and programmatic requirements. Such monitoring or other oversight procedures may include, but not be limited to, on-site visits by Department staff, agreed-upon procedures engagements as described in 2 CFR § 200.425 or other procedures. By entering into this agreement, the recipient agrees to comply and cooperate with any monitoring procedures deemed appropriate by the Department. In the event the Department determines that a limited scope audit of the recipient is appropriate, the recipient agrees to comply with any additional instructions provided by the Department regarding such audit. The recipient further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the Department's inspector general, the state's Chief Financial Officer or the Auditor General.

<u>AUDITS</u>

PART I: FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS

This part is applicable if the recipient is a State or local government or a non-profit organization as defined in 2 CFR §§ 200.500-200.521.

In the event the recipient expends \$750,000 or more in Federal awards during its fiscal year, the recipient must have a single or program-specific audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR §§ 200.500-200.521. The recipient agrees to provide a copy of the single audit to the Department's Single Audit Unit and its contract manager. In the event the recipient expends less than \$750,000 in Federal awards during its fiscal year, the recipient agrees to provide certification to the Department's Single Audit Unit and its contract manager that a single audit was not required. In determining the Federal awards expended during its fiscal year, the recipient shall consider all sources of Federal awards, including Federal resources received from the Department of Children & Families, Federal government (direct), other state agencies, and other non-state entities. The determination of amounts of Federal awards expended should be in accordance with guidelines established by 2 CFR §§ 200.500-200.521. An audit of the recipient conducted by the Auditor General in accordance with the provisions of 2 CFR Part 200 §§ 200.500-200.521 will meet the requirements of this part. In connection with the above audit requirements, the recipient shall fulfill the requirements relative to auditee responsibilities as provided in 2 CFR § 200.508.

The schedule of expenditures should disclose the expenditures by contract number for each contract with the Department in effect during the audit period. The financial statements should disclose whether or not the matching requirement was met for each applicable contract. All questioned costs and liabilities due the Department shall be fully disclosed in the audit report package with reference to the specific contract number.

PART II: STATE REQUIREMENTS

This part is applicable if the recipient is a nonstate entity as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes.

In the event the recipient expends \$500,000 or more (\$750,000 or more for fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2016) in state financial assistance during its fiscal year, the recipient must have a State single or project-specific audit conducted in accordance with Section 215.97, Florida Statutes; applicable rules of the Department of Financial Services; and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General. The recipient agrees to provide a copy of the single audit to the Department's Single Audit

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In connection with the audit requirements addressed in the preceding paragraph, the recipient shall ensure that the audit complies with the requirements of Section 215.97(8), Florida Statutes. This includes submission of a financial reporting package as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes, and Chapters 10.550 or 10.650, Rules of the Auditor General.

The schedule of expenditures should disclose the expenditures by contract number for each contract with the Department in effect during the audit period. The financial statements should disclose whether or not the matching requirement was met for each applicable contract. All questioned costs and liabilities due the Department shall be fully disclosed in the audit report package with reference to the specific contract number.

PART III: REPORT SUBMISSION

Any reports, management letters, or other information required to be submitted to the Department pursuant to this agreement shall be submitted within 180 days after the end of the provider's fiscal year or within 30 (federal) or 45 (State) days of the recipient's receipt of the audit report, whichever occurs first, <u>directly</u> to each of the following unless otherwise required by Florida Statutes:

- A. Contract manager for this contract (1 copy)
- B. Department of Children & Families (1 electronic copy and management letter, if issued)

Office of the Inspector General Single Audit Unit The Centre, Suite 400-I 2415 Monroe Street Tallahassee, Florida 32303

Email address: <u>HQW.IG.Single.Audit@myflfamilies.com</u>

C. Reporting packages for audits conducted in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200 §§ 200.500-200.521, and required by Part I of this agreement shall be submitted, when required by § 200.512 (d) by or on behalf of the recipient directly to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse using the Federal Audit Clearinghouse's Internet Data Entry System at:

https://harvester.census.gov/facweb/

and other Federal agencies and pass-through entities in accordance with 2 CFR § 200.512.

D. Copies of reporting packages required by Part II of this agreement shall be submitted by or on behalf of the recipient directly to the following address:

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Providers, when submitting audit report packages to the Department for audits done in accordance with 2 CFR §§ 200.500-200.521, or Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit or for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General, should include, when available, correspondence from the auditor indicating the date the audit report package was delivered to them. When such correspondence is not available, the date that the audit report package was delivered by the auditor to the provider must be indicated in correspondence submitted to the Department in accordance with Chapter 10.558(3) or Chapter 10.657(2), Rules of the Auditor General.

PART IV: RECORD RETENTION

The recipient shall retain sufficient records demonstrating its compliance with the terms of this agreement for a period of six years from the date the audit report is issued and shall allow the Department or its designee, Chief Financial Officer or Auditor General access to such records upon request. The recipient shall ensure that audit working papers are made available to the Department or its designee, Chief Financial Officer or Auditor General upon request for a period of three years from the date the audit report is issued, unless extended in writing by the Department.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

CERTIFICATION FOR CONTRACTS, GRANTS, LOANS AND COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or an employee of any agency, a member of congress, an officer or employee of congress, or an employee of a member of congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of congress, an officer or employee of congress, or an employee of a member of congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Signature:	Date:
Application or Contract ID	Number: QC002
Name of Authorized Indivi	dual Application or Contractor: <u>Dr. Ulyee Choe, Director of the Florida Department of Health in Pinellas County</u>
	Pinellas County License Board in care of Pinellas County Health Department
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ATTACHMENT 3

This Attachment contains the terms and conditions governing the Provider's access to and use of Protected Health Information and provides the permissible uses and disclosures of protected health information by the Provider, also called "Business Associate."

Section 1. Definitions

1.1 Catch-all definitions:

The following terms used in this Attachment shall have the same meaning as those terms in the HIPAA Rules: Breach, Data Aggregation, Designated Record Set, Disclosure, Health Care Operations, Individual, Minimum Necessary, Notice of Privacy Practices, Protected Health Information, Required by Law, Security Incident, Subcontractor, Unsecured Protected Health Information, and Use.

1.2 Specific definitions:

- 1.2.1 "Business Associate" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "business associate" at 45 CFR § 160.103, and for purposes of this Attachment shall specifically refer to the Provider.
- 1.2.2 "Covered Entity" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "covered entity" at 45 CFR § 160.103, and for purposes of this Attachment shall refer to the Department.
- **1.2.3.** "HIPAA Rules" shall mean the Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules at 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.
- 1.2.4. "Subcontractor" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "subcontractor" at 45 CFR § 160.103 and is defined as an individual to whom a business associate delegates a function, activity, service, other than in the capacity of a member of the workforce of such business associate.

Section 2. Obligations and Activities of Business Associate

2.1 Business Associate agrees to:

- 2.1.1 Not use or disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this Attachment or as required by law;
- 2.1.2 Use appropriate administrative safeguards as set forth at 45 CFR § 164.308, physical safeguards as set forth at 45 CFR § 164.310, and technical safeguards as set forth at 45 CFR § 164.312; including, policies and procedures regarding the protection of PHI and/or ePHI set forth at 45 CFR §

164.316 and the provisions of training on such policies and procedures to applicable employees, independent contractors, and volunteers, that reasonably and appropriately protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of the PHI and/or ePHI that the Provider creates, receives, maintains or transmits on behalf of the Department;

- 2.1.3 Acknowledge that (a) the foregoing safeguards, policies and procedures requirements shall apply to the Business Associate in the same manner that such requirements apply to the Department, and (b) the Business Associate's and their Subcontractors are directly liable under the civil and criminal enforcement provisions set forth at Section 13404 of the HITECH Act and section 45 CFR §§ 164.500 and 164.502(E) of the Privacy Rule (42 U.S.C. 1320d-5 and 1320d-6), as amended, for failure to comply with the safeguards, policies and procedures requirements and any guidance issued by the Secretary of Health and Human Services with respect to such requirements:
- 2.1.4 Report to covered entity any use or disclosure of protected health information not provided for by this Attachment of which it becomes aware, including breaches of unsecured protected health information as required at 45 CFR § 164.410, and any security incident of which it becomes aware;
- 2.1.5 Notify the Department's Security Officer, Privacy Officer and the Contract Manager as soon as possible, but no later than five (5) business days following the determination of any breach or potential breach of personal and confidential departmental data;
- 2.1.6 Notify the Privacy Officer and Contract Manager within (24) hours of notification by the US Department of Health and Human Services of any investigations, compliance reviews or inquiries by the US Department of Health and Human Services concerning violations of HIPAA (Privacy, Security Breach).
- 2.1.7 Provide any additional information requested by the Department for purposes of investigating and responding to a breach;
- 2.1.8 Provide at Business Associate's own cost notice to affected parties no later than 30 days following the determination of any potential breach of personal or confidential departmental data as provided in section 501.171, F.S.;
- 2.1.9 Implement at Business Associate's own cost measures deemed appropriate by the Department to avoid or mitigate potential injury to any person due to a breach or potential breach of personal and confidential departmental data:
- 2.1.10 Take immediate steps to limit or avoid the recurrence of any security breach and take any other action pertaining to such unauthorized access or disclosure required by applicable federal and state laws and regulations regardless of any actions taken by the Department;
- 2.1.11 In accordance with 45 CFR §§ 164.502(e)(1)(ii) and 164.308(b)(2), if applicable, ensure that any subcontractors that create, receive, maintain, or transmit protected health information on behalf of the business associate agree to the same restrictions, conditions, and requirements that apply to the business associate with respect to such information. Business Associate's must attain satisfactory assurance in the form of a written contract or other written agreement with their business associate's or subcontractor's that meets the applicable requirements of 164.504(e)(2) that the Business Associate or Subcontractor will appropriately safeguard the information. For prior contracts or other arrangements, the provider shall provide written certification that its implementation complies with the terms of 45 CFR § 164.532(d);
- 2.1.12 Make available protected health information in a designated record set to covered entity as necessary to satisfy covered entity's obligations under 45 CFR § 164.524;
- 2.1.13 Make any amendment(s) to protected health information in a designated record set as directed or agreed to by the covered entity pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.526, or take other measures as necessary to satisfy covered entity's obligations under 45 CFR § 164.526;
- 2.1.14 Maintain and make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to the covered entity as necessary to satisfy covered entity's obligations under 45 CFR § 164.528;

- 2.1.15 To the extent the business associate is to carry out one or more of covered entity's obligation(s) under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164, comply with the requirements of Subpart E that apply to the covered entity in the performance of such obligation(s); and
- 2.1.16 Make its internal practices, books, and records available to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

Section 3. Permitted Uses and Disclosures by Business Associate

- 3.1 The Business associate may only use or disclose protected health information covered under this Attachment as listed below:
 - 3.1.1 The Business Associate may use and disclose the Department's PHI and/or ePHI received or created by Business Associate (or its agents and subcontractors) in performing its obligations pursuant to this Attachment.
 - 3.1.2 The Business Associate may use the Department's PHI and/or ePHI received or created by Business Associate (or its agents and subcontractors) for archival purposes.
 - 3.1.3 The Business Associate may use PHI and/or ePHI created or received in its capacity as a Business Associate of the Department for the proper management and administration of the Business Associate, if such use is necessary (a) for the proper management and administration of Business Associate or (b) to carry out the legal responsibilities of Business Associate.
 - 3.1.4 The Business Associate may disclose PHI and/or ePHI created or received in its capacity as a Business Associate of the Department for the proper management and administration of the Business Associate if (a) the disclosure is required by law or (b) the Business Associate (1) obtains reasonable assurances from the person to whom the PHI and/or ePHI is disclosed that it will be held confidentially and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purpose for which it was disclosed to the person and (2) the person agrees to notify the Business Associate of any instances of which it becomes aware in which the confidentiality and security of the PHI and/or ePHI has been breached.
 - 3.1.5 The Business Associate may aggregate the PHI and/or ePHI created or received pursuant this Attachment with the PHI and/or ePHI of other covered entities that Business Associate has in its possession through its capacity as a Business Associate of such covered entities for the purpose of providing the Department of Children and Families with data analyses relating to the health care operations of the Department (as defined in 45 C.F.R. §164.501).
 - 3.1.6 The Business Associate may de-identify any and all PHI and/or ePHI received or created pursuant to this Attachment, provided that the de-identification process conforms to the requirements of 45 CFR §164.514(b).
 - 3.1.7 Follow guidance in the HIPAA Rule regarding marketing, fundraising and research located at Sections 45 CFR § 164.501, 45 CFR § 164.508 and 45 CFR § 164.514.

Section 4. Provisions for Covered Entity to Inform Business Associate of Privacy Practices and Restrictions

- 4.1 Covered entity shall notify business associate of any limitation(s) in the notice of privacy practices of covered entity under 45 CFR § 164.520, to the extent that such limitation may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.
- 4.2 Covered entity shall notify business associate of any changes in, or revocation of, the permission by an individual to use or disclose his or her protected health information, to the extent that such changes may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.
- 4.3 Covered entity shall notify business associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of protected health information that covered entity has agreed to or is required to abide by under 45 CFR § 164.522, to the extent that such restriction may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.

Section 5. Termination

5.1 Termination for Cause

- **5.1.1** Upon the Department's knowledge of a material breach by the Business Associate, the Department shall either:
 - 5.1.1.1 Provide an opportunity for the Business Associate to cure the breach or end the violation and terminate the Agreement or discontinue access to PHI if the Business Associate does not cure the breach or end the violation within the time specified by the Department of Children and Families;
 - 5.1.1.2 Immediately terminate this Agreement or discontinue access to PHI if the Business Associate has breached a material term of this Attachment and does not end the violation; or
 - **5.1.1.3** If neither termination nor cure is feasible, the Department shall report the violation to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services.

5.2 Obligations of Business Associate Upon Termination

- 5.2.1 Upon termination of this Attachment for any reason, business associate, with respect to protected health information received from covered entity, or created, maintained, or received by business associate on behalf of covered entity, shall:
 - 5.2.1.1 Retain only that protected health information which is necessary for Business Associate to continue its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities;
 - 5.2.1.2 Return to covered entity, or other entity as specified by the Department or, if permission is granted by the Department, destroy the remaining protected health information that the Business Associate still maintains in any form;
 - 5.2.1.3 Continue to use appropriate safeguards and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 with respect to electronic protected health information to prevent use or disclosure of the protected health information, other than as provided for in this Section, for as long as Business Associate retains the protected health information;

- 5.2.1.4 Not use or disclose the protected health information retained by Business Associate other than for the purposes for which such protected health information was retained and subject to the same conditions set out at paragraphs 3.1.3 and 3.1.4 above under "Permitted Uses and Disclosures By Business Associate" which applied prior to termination; and
- 5.2.1.5 Return to covered entity, or other entity as specified by the Department or, if permission is granted by the Department, destroy the protected health information retained by business associate when it is no longer needed by business associate for its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities.
- **5.2.1.6** The obligations of business associate under this Section shall survive the termination of this Attachment.

Section 6. Miscellaneous

- A regulatory reference in this Attachment to a section in the HIPAA Rules means the section as in effect or as amended.
- The Parties agree to take such action as is necessary to amend this Attachment from time to time as is necessary for compliance with the requirements of the HIPAA Rules and any other applicable law.
- 6.3 Any ambiguity in this Attachment shall be interpreted to permit compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

Attachment $\underline{4}$

CHILD CARE LOCAL LICENSING MONTHLY ACTIVITIES AND PERFORMANCE MEASURE REPORT

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	STATE FISCAL YEAR						#	Licensir	ng Activ	ities Re		SFY /g. per	200	
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PROVIDER DATA	Total Number of Licensed Child Care Entities (facilities & homes) in the County as of the Last Day of each Month Total licensed capacity of Licensed Child Care Entities (facilities & homes) in the County as of the Last Day of each Month Number of Licensed Child Care Entities with Class 1 Violations Number of Licenses Issued Number of Licenses Issued within Statutory Time Frames Number of Provisional Licenses Issued Number of Inspections and Re- Inspections Performed													
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