



**County of El Paso
Agenda Item Details**

Item Title: EHN / Inmate Mental Health Services / Jail Based Competency Restoration (JBCR) / ILA (2024-0786)

Submitted By: Richard Wiles, Sheriff

Department: EPCSO

Department Phone Number: (915) 538-2006

Subject: Approve and authorize the County Judge to sign the Interlocal Agreement between El Paso County and El Paso MHMR D/B/A Emergence Health Network for Jail Based Competency Restoration which provides competency restoration services to adults who are deemed incompetent to stand trial from July 1, 2024, and may be extended for two, one-year terms. (Contract No. 2024-0786)

Background: EHN will provide jail-based competency restoration services that are compliant with State and Federal Jail standards to adults who are deemed incompetent to stand trial pursuant to Texas Code of Criminal Procedure Chapter 46B in order to maintain minimum state jail standards. As well as providing Crisis Intervention Services to reduce symptoms of severe and persistent mental illness or serious emotional disturbance. The El Paso County Detention System (EPCDS) will be responsible for coordinating and conducting training of EHN staff and/or personnel. EPCSO's sole responsibility is to provide security and transportation of inmates needing medical treatment within the County Detention System.

Contract Number: 2024-0786
Contract Term Start: 6/30/2024
Contract Term End: 9/29/2024
County Attorney Opinion Number:

Fiscal Impact: Fiscal Impact Historical
N/A

Fiscal Impact Projected
N/A

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Budget or Unbudgeted Match:

Recommendation:

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Prior Action:

N/A

Strategic Plan:

Goal:

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Objective:

Strategic Plan Information:

**Estimated Time Needed
For This Item:**