

RFP 18MISC12
SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICE PROVIDERS
(RENEWAL)

FACT SHEET

- A. **Overview:** This recommendation is to renew our contracts with qualified providers of special education services, including education assessments, psychological evaluations, music and art therapy, and speech and language therapy.

1. **Other facts:**

- The renewal period will be effective from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022, with no renewal options remaining.
- The contract service rates will remain unchanged for the renewal period.
- Due to the growing need for art therapy, an additional art therapist has been qualified during the contract term.
- Approximately \$181,869 has been expended to date in FY20.
- This contract will be co-administered by Linda Chambers, Director of Compliance and Student Support, Ann McGreevy, Supervisor of Psychological Services and April Sprecher, Supervisor of Child Find and Speech/Language Services.

2. **Source of funding:** Contingent upon Board approval of FY21 and FY22 Operating Budgets.

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- B. **Recommendation:** Staff recommends that RFP 18MISC12, Special Education Service Providers, be renewed to various vendors, per the attached Summary of Renewal.
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C. **Action taken by the Board (Purchasing use only):**

____ Approved	____ Denied	____ Deferred	____ Other	KM/kl
____ Date	____ Date	____ Date	____ Date	BOE Mtg.: 06.24.20

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SUMMARY OF RENEWAL

EDUCATIONAL/DEVELOPMENTAL	REQUESTED BASIS	JILL HOSSLER	KRISTI AHLQUIST	MISSY SCHERR-PHILLIPS	HEIDI DILIBERTO	NATIONAL SPEECH LANGUAGE THERAPY CENTER dba: NATIONAL THERAPY CENTER	NOTEABLE PROGRESSIONS MUSIC THERAPY SERVICES, LLC	SONATA INTEGRATIVE THERAPEUTIC SERVICES, INC. dba: SONATA, INC.	STRIDES THERAPY, LLC dba: STRIDES SPEECH THERAPY	TANIA THOMAS-PRESSWOOD	VOCOVISION dba: BLAZER ON THE GO
Assessments	Flat	\$300.00									\$600.00
Additional Assessments outside Standard Tests	Hourly	\$75.00									\$73.00
Attend IEP meetings upon request	Hourly	\$75.00									\$73.00
Phone conference with parents or school staff exceeding normal practices	Hourly	\$50.00									\$73.00
Classroom observation upon request	Flat	\$50.00									\$400.00
Records review, parental questionnaire when appropriate	Hourly	\$50.00									\$73.00
MUSIC THERAPY	BASIS										
Direct Music Therapy IEP Service	Hourly						\$150.00	\$130.00			
Staff Development Learning Consultation	Hourly						\$150.00	\$130.00			
Assessment	Flat						\$800.00	\$400.00			
IEP Attendance	Flat						\$75.00	\$75.00			
ART THERAPY	BASIS										
Direct Art Therapy IEP Service	Hourly			\$125.00	\$135.00						
Staff Development Learning Consultation	Hourly			\$100.00	\$135.00						
Assessment	Flat			\$800.00	\$800.00						
IEP Attendance	Flat			\$100.00	\$135.00						
SPEECH / LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY	BASIS										
Therapy Services*	Hourly					\$75.00			\$75.00		\$74.00
Assessments, English	Hourly					\$75.00			\$75.00		\$74.00
Assessments, Bi-lingual*	Hourly					\$75.00			N/A		\$76.00
<i>Languages offered</i>											
PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATIONS - ENGLISH	BASIS										
Phone contact with parent	Flat		\$50.00								Hourly \$86.00
Meet with parents in person (at request of parent and with permission from the Supervisor of Psychological Services)	Flat		\$100.00								Hourly \$86.00
Attend IEP Meeting (only upon request and with permission from the Supervisor of Psychological Services)	Flat		\$100.00								Hourly \$86.00
Cognitive re-evaluation for LD: Cognitive assessment and behavioral observations during assessment	Flat		\$350.00								Hourly \$86.00
LD: Cognitive, observation during assessment, records review, parent questionnaire, memory and perceptual motor as appropriate. Recommendations for education program.	Flat		\$450.00								Hourly \$86.00
ID: All LD. Adaptive behavior (home & school) classroom observation. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat		\$550.00								Hourly \$86.00
ADHD: All LD. Structured classroom observation, behavioral checklists (e.g.: Conners, Conners Comprehensive, ADDES) Recommendations for educational program.	Flat		\$550.00								Hourly \$86.00
ED: All LD. Behavior checklist (student, parent, school) (e.g.: BASC, Anxiety Scale, Achenbach, Depression Inventory), interview with student, projective at the discretion of the psychologist (e.g.: TAT, incomplete sentence). Recommendations for education program.	Flat		\$575.00								Hourly \$86.00
Autism: All LD. Classroom and unstructured observation, Autism checklists (GARS, GADS, ASRS) with ADOS. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat		N/A								Hourly \$86.00
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PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATIONS - BI-LINGUAL	BASIS										
<i>Languages Offered</i>										Spanish	
Phone contact with parent	Flat									\$60.00	Hourly \$88.00
Meet with parents in person (at request of parent and with permission from the Supervisor of Psychological Services)	Flat									\$75.00	Hourly \$88.00
LD: Cognitive, observation during assessment, records review, parent questionnaire, memory and perceptual motor as appropriate. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat									\$700.00	Hourly \$88.00
ID: All LD. Adaptive behavior (home & school) classroom observation. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat									\$750.00	Hourly \$88.00
ADHD: All LD. Structured classroom observation, behavioral checklists (e.g.: Conners, Conners Comprehensive, BRIEF, CEFI). Recommendations for educational program.	Flat									\$750.00	Hourly \$88.00
ED: All LD. Behavior checklist (student, parent, school) (e.g.: BASC, Anxiety Scale, Achenbach, Depression Inventory), interview with student, projective at the descretion of the psychologist (e.g.: TAT, incomplete sentence). Recommendations for education program.	Flat									\$750.00	Hourly \$88.00
Autism: All LD. Classroom and unstructured observation, Autism checklists (GARS, GADS, ASRS) with ADOS. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat									\$795.00	Hourly \$88.00
Autism: All LD. Classroom and unstructured observation, Autism checklists (GARS, GADA, ASRS) without ADOS. Recommendations for educational program.	Flat									\$750.00	Hourly \$88.00
Additional Cost for any of the above with Educaiton Assessment	Flat									\$300.00	Hourly \$88.00
MENTAL HEALTH	BASIS										
Direct Therapy	Hourly			\$75.00							\$86.00-88.00
Service Consulting	Hourly										\$86.00-88.00
Assessment	Flat Hourly										\$86.00-88.00
IEP Attendance	Flat Hourly			\$100.00							\$86.00-88.00