

Date: 8 December 2014

To: Jan Lesher  
Deputy County Administrator  
Medical and Health Services

From: Francisco García, MD, MPH  
Health Department Director  
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Public Health Nursing Division Manager



Re: **Board of Supervisors Meeting, December 16, 2014  
Addendum, Grant Acceptance, GTAW 15\*33  
Justification for Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program, Amendment #2**

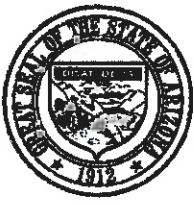
The Pima County Health Department (PCHD) has provided the Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program for the last six years. This program is administered by the Arizona Department of Health Services, Bureau of Women's and Children's Health and is funded by voter approved Arizona State Lottery funds and federal Title V funds. Amendment #2 to ADHS13-034040 adds the program logic model and makes a couple of administrative changes. The annual amount of \$125,000 is unchanged.

PCHD subcontracts with Pima Prevention Partnership's Sin Puertas Program for the execution of this contract. Through this program, at-risk youth who have been referred to the agency by juvenile justice authorities and other sources receive comprehensive life skills education, including pregnancy prevention. Under the current contract, 250 youth are reached in a variety of community settings. Pima County Public Health Nurses provide workshops on health topics chosen by students and staff, to augment this educational program.

In 2013, 234 youth received HIV sex risk-reduction education using the evidence-based and culturally-responsive *Cuidate!* curriculum, which is designed specifically for Latino youth. Concurrent education regarding substance use and other co-occurring disorders are part of the total curriculum these youth receive. The long goal is to decrease teen pregnancies, births and STIs.

Program evaluation by ADHS has shown that positive results were seen after participation in the program. There were improved results in the post-tests' following markers, among others: The teens increased the likelihood of abstaining from sex in the next year (3.9% change from pre-test); participants demonstrated a 6.1% increase in understanding the prevention of STIs and pregnancy through abstinence; there was improvement in the understanding of the connection between substance (drugs/alcohol) use and the likelihood for sexual activity; the teens showed positive growth in their understanding about healthy relationships. The Pima County Teen Pregnancy Program showed results slightly higher than the composite for the State of Arizona.

Without this program, this population of 250 high risk adolescents in our community would not be exposed to the critical knowledge that impacts their ability to make positive decisions in their life. These are youth that are involved with the justice system, often substance using, at risk for co-occurring mental health disorders, and attending alternative high schools that may not be resourced to address their specific needs. This program has a far-reaching impact on the lives of the young people we serve, and supports positive decision making that will lead to a decreased pregnancy risk and avoidance of the attendant individual and societal consequences associated with teenage parenthood.



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Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program – Abstinence Plus

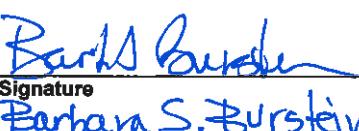
Effective January 1, 2015, it is mutually agreed that the IGA referenced is amended as follows:

1. Replace the Logic Model of the IGA with the attached revised Logic Model of this Amendment Two (2).
2. Pursuant to Terms and Conditions, Provision Seven (7), Risk and Liability, Section 7.3 Indemnification – Patent and Copyright, is hereby deleted in its entirety.
3. Pursuant to Terms and Conditions, Provision Eighteen (18), Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) is hereby replaced with the following language:

All other provisions of this IGA remain unchanged.

Pima County Health Department  
Contractor Name  
3950 S. Country Club Road, Suite 100  
Address  
Tucson AZ 85701  
City State Zip

CONTRACTOR ATTORNEY SIGNATURE  
Pursuant to A.R.S. § 11-952, the undersigned public agency attorney has determined that this Intergovernmental Agreement is in proper form and is within the powers and authority granted under the laws of the State of Arizona.

  
Signature  
Barbara S. Burstein  
Printed Name

Attorney General Contract No. P0012014000078, which is an Agreement between public agencies, has been reviewed pursuant to A.R.S. § 11-952 by the undersigned Assistant Attorney General, who has determined that it is in proper form and is within the powers and authority granted under the laws of the State of Arizona.

Signature  
Assistant Attorney General  
Printed Name:

CONTRACTOR SIGNATURE  
Contractor Authorized Signature  
Printed Name  
Title

This Intergovernmental Agreement Amendment shall be effective the date indicated. The Public Agency is hereby cautioned not to commence any billable work or provide any material, service or construction under this IGA until the IGA has been executed by an authorized ADHS signatory.

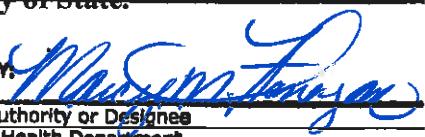
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Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 201\_\_\_\_

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Under House Bill 2011, A.R.S. § 11-952  
was amended to remove the requirement  
that Intergovernmental Agreements be filed  
with the Secretary of State.

REVIEWED BY:   
Appointing Authority or Designee  
Pima County Health Department

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#### **18. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA)**

The Contractor warrants that it is familiar with the requirements of HIPAA, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH Act) of 2009, and accompanying regulations and will comply with all applicable HIPAA requirements in the course of this Contract. Contractor warrants that it will cooperate with the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) in the course of performance of the Contract so that both ADHS and Contractor will be in compliance with HIPAA, including cooperation and coordination with the Arizona Department of Administration-Arizona Strategic Enterprise Technology (ADOA-ASET) Office, the ADOA-ASET Arizona State Chief Information Security Officer and HIPAA Coordinator and other compliance officials required by HIPAA and its regulations. Contractor will sign any documents that are reasonably necessary to keep ADHS and Contractor in compliance with HIPAA, including, but not limited to, business associate agreements.

If requested by the ADHS Procurement Office, Contractor agrees to sign a "Pledge To Protect Confidential Information" and to abide by the statements addressing the creation, use and disclosure of confidential information, including information designated as protected health information and all other confidential or sensitive information as defined in policy. In addition, if requested, Contractor agrees to attend or participate in HIPAA training offered by ADHS or to provide written verification that the Contractor has attended or participated in job related HIPAA training that is: (1) intended to make the Contractor proficient in HIPAA for purposes of performing the services required and (2) presented by a HIPAA Privacy Officer or other person or program knowledgeable and experienced in HIPAA and who has been approved by the ADOA-ASET Arizona State Chief Information Security Officer and HIPAA Coordinator.

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## Logic Model Framework

**GOAL:** Describe the goal of your program: a broad statement of intended change which identifies the target population.

To prevent pregnancies/subsequent pregnancies and the incidence of Sexually Transmitted Infections among a population of 15-17 year old juvenile justice-involved youth in Pima County.

**THEORY:** Explain the theory behind why the program(s) approach will work.

By diverting youths to community-based treatment programs, rather than incarcerating them, juvenile justice agencies give justice-involved youths the opportunity to engage in much needed life skills education through their participation in treatment services and school. The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) found that diverting appropriate individuals from jail to community-based treatment shows benefits to the criminal justice system, the community and the diverted individual. The Teen Pregnancy Prevention program will use the evidence-based and culturally responsive *Cuadate* curriculum. *Cuadate* was evaluated in 2003 and found to effective in reducing sexual activity, the number of sex partners, unprotected sex and increase condom use among Latino youths. This curriculum works with varied successful methods such as demonstrations, group discussion, lectures, video/music/games, practice and role play to achieve its objectives.

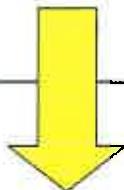
**TARGET POPULATION:** Describe the population of clients that will be served.

The Teen Pregnancy Prevention program will work with youth ages 13-17 that have been referred to Sin Puertas for services by the Pima County Juvenile Court Center or that are participating in educational services at charter schools and alternative programs that target at-risk youths including Pima Partnership Academy High School, Alta Vista High School, and Las Artes Arts and Education Center. The target group is a largely minority, Hispanic population, considered at-risk for unsafe sexual practices, based on community markers including high levels of poverty, below average student achievement, and a high number of single parent households. They are predominantly from geographic populations with high levels of crime, substance use and abuse, and high rates of high school dropouts.

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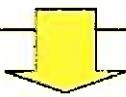
**INPUTS:** List the program(s) inputs - i.e. the resources, people, skills, knowledge and tools being used to deliver services.

- *Cuidate* curriculum
- Pima County Health Department (PCHD) Community Health Services division staff
- Sin Puertas staff
- Sin Puertas facility
- Pima Partnership High School 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Alta Vista High School 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Las Artes Arts and Education Center GED students
- Pima County Juvenile Court Center's Community Support Program youth
- PCHD Public Health Nurses
- Incentives and contingency management supplies for youth participants



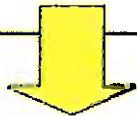
**STRATEGIES:** List the strategies done with the population intended to lead to the desired change.

- Sin Puertas staff will deliver the *Cuidate* curriculum during workshops with the target population
- PCHD Public Health Nurses will conduct workshops for participants on health-related topics as suggested or requested by participants



**OUTPUTS:** List the outputs (the product of the activity, service or process). List in quantitative measures.

- 50 youth will receive the six-hour *Cuidate* curriculum at the Sin Puertas site
- 200 youth, who are students at Pima Partnership High School, Alta Vista High School, and Las Artes Arts and Education Center, and PCJCC's Community Support Program will receive the six-hour *Cuidate* curriculum
- At least 75% of participants will complete 80% of program requirements





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**SHORT-TERM OUTCOMES:** List the short-term benefits expected from the target population.

- Participating youth will increase their knowledge about HIV and sexually transmitted diseases.
- Participating youth will increase their knowledge about effective ways to prevent sexually transmitted diseases including HIV.
- Participating youth will develop positive attitudes and beliefs about safe sex practices, including condom use.
- Participating youth will have improved skills in negotiating abstinence and condom use.
- Participating youth will have improved attitudes and beliefs about condom use and negotiation skills.

**INDICATORS:** List the indicators that will be used to measure the changes/benefits.

- Participants will increase their knowledge about HIV and sexually transmitted diseases by 25%.
- Participants will increase their knowledge about effective ways to prevent sexually transmitted diseases by 25%.
- 25% of participants will demonstrate improved attitudes and beliefs about safe sex practices.
- 25% of participants will demonstrate improved attitudes and beliefs about condom use and negotiation skills.

**MID-TERM OUTCOMES:** List the mid-term benefits expected from the target population.

- Participating youth will demonstrate reduced sexual activity.
- Participating youth will demonstrate reduced numbers of sex partners.
- Participating youth will demonstrate reduced numbers of unprotected sexual encounters.
- Participating youth will demonstrate increased contraceptive use.

**INDICATORS:** List the indicators that will be used to measure the changes/benefits.

- 65% of participants will demonstrate no or reduced sexual activity.
- 65% of participants will demonstrate no or reduced number of sex partners.
- 65% of participants will demonstrate no or reduced unprotected sexual encounters.
- 65% of participants will demonstrate contraceptive use.



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**LONG-TERM OUTCOMES:** List the long-term benefits expected from the target population.

- Decrease in teen pregnancies, teen births, and Sexually Transmitted Disease among teens.

**INDICATORS:** List the indicators that will be used to measure the changes/benefits.

- Arizona Vital Records will report a decrease in teen pregnancies, births, and STDs.