

NORTHEAST FLORIDA DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH BOARD, INC.

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D. O. Oxley
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Dear Mr. Oxley:

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

Mr. Maurice L. Kohnhorst

Thank you for the Nassau County Board of Commissioners allocation of \$24,709.00 for the promotion of mental health and alcoholism services in Nassau County for the year 75-76. Many individuals are given counseling assistance through University Hospital Community Mental Health Center, Child Guidance Clinic of Duval County and the Nassau County Council on Alcoholism.

Enclosed please find two copies of our Funding Agreement with you. When executed by you, please return one copy to this office retaining one for your files.

We would like to express our appreciation for your fine support of these programs and look forward to working with you for the betterment of mental health services in Nassau County.

Sincerely,


Maurice Kohnhorst
Executive Director

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Enclosure

FUNDING AGREEMENT

NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 30th day of September, 1975, by and between the NORTHEAST FLORIDA DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH BOARD, INC., a non-profit corporation established under the laws of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as District Board, and NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA, a subdivision of the State of Florida established under the laws of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as Nassau County:

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the State of Florida enacted "The Community Mental Health Act of 1970" to organize, better utilize and finance mental health services in local communities and to provide a means of allocating state mental health funds according to community needs; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida, pursuant to said Act, established the District Board for the purposes of administering a community mental health program in District 6 comprised of four counties, Baker, Clay, Duval and Nassau, and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida enacted the "Comprehensive Alcoholism Prevention, Control and Treatment Act" to establish and maintain a comprehensive program for the control of drunkenness and the prevention and treatment of alcoholism throughout Florida, and

WHEREAS, said District Board desires to contract with Nassau County for the purpose of providing mental health and alcoholism services to children and adults in Nassau County for which such funds are to be provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants and undertakings hereinafter contained, the parties hereto, for themselves and their respective successors, personal representatives and assigns, do mutually agree as follows:

1. The District Board through Child Guidance Clinic and University Hospital Community Mental Health Center agrees to provide mental health services in fulfillment of the purposes and objectives of the Community

Mental Health Act of 1970, subject to the availability of funds being provided by Nassau County.

2. The District Board through the Nassau County Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse and the Jacksonville Detoxification Center agrees to provide alcoholism services in fulfillment of the purposes and objectives of the Comprehensive Alcoholism Prevention, Control and Treatment Act, subject to the availability of funds being provided by Nassau County.

3. Nassau County agrees to provide local match to the District Board for said mental health and alcoholism services during the twelve-month period of performance under this contract in the amount not to exceed the sum of TWENTY FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINE DOLLARS payable in installments at the beginning of each quarter, subject to the availability of County funds and disbursed in the following manner:

(a) At the commencement of each quarterly period, the Board shall submit a request in writing to the County of Nassau for the amount of funds to be disbursed during such period and Nassau County shall pay such amount to the District Board providing that the County may exercise its discretion to provide less funds than requested for such period under the following circumstances:

(1) Where the giving of the amount of funds requested would cause the Board to receive an amount in excess of the pro rata portion of the total fiscal year amount due for the number of quarters paid; or

(2) Where a consideration of the income and expenditures statements submitted shows that sums remain unspent from previous amounts received by the Board, which sums may be carried over and applied to the period for which request is being made.

(b) In the case of either (a) (1) or (a) (2) above, the County may exercise its discretion to withhold or deduct from the quarterly request only those amounts in excess of the requirements of the portion of the current fiscal year or those carry-over amounts previously unspent respectively, otherwise the County shall provide to the District Board the total amount of funds requested.

4. It is understood and agreed by both parties that the Board shall furnish the said mental health and alcoholism services only as long as funds are made available to the Board and that, in the event that funds sufficient to compensate for the said services are exhausted, not appropriated by the County or otherwise are unavailable to the Board, then and in that event, the Board shall have no obligation to continue said services.

5. During the period of performance of this contract, the Board agrees to comply with the provisions of the approved plan of outreach mental health and alcoholism services to Nassau County; all applicable provisions of State and Federal law; all applicable provisions of the Federal and State Administrative Rules and Regulations; the Guidelines for Implementation of the Community Mental Health Act of 1970; and the Guidelines for Implementation of The Comprehensive Alcoholism Prevention, Control, and Treatment Act.

6. This contract shall become effective on the day and year first written above and the period of performance of this contract shall be a twelve-month period, commencing on the 1st day of October, 1975, and terminating on the 30th day of September, 1976, unless terminated sooner by either party upon giving of fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party.

7. This contract may be amended from time to time by mutual consent of the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have duly executed this agreement, in duplicate, the day and year first written above.

ATTEST:

DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH BOARD NO. 6

Bookey
Clerk of County Commission

John F. Armstrong, Jr.
Chairman, Nassau County Board of Commissioners

WITNESS:
Maria Schubert

James T. McKittrick *MT*
President, Northeast Florida
District Mental Health Board, Inc.
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Janice L. Swan