# INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

Public Institute of Higher Education  
Trauma Focused CBT Services  

This Agreement is by and between the State of Washington Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) and the Contractor identified below, and is issued pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, chapter 39.34 RCW.

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**EXHIBITS.** The following Exhibits are attached and are incorporated into this Agreement by reference:  

- [ ] Exhibits (specify): Exhibit A- Data Security Requirements; Exhibit B- Mandatory COVID-19 Safety Measures  
- [ ] No Exhibits.

The terms and conditions of this Agreement are an integration and representation of the final, entire and exclusive understanding between the parties superseding and merging all previous agreements, writings, and communications, oral or otherwise regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, between the parties. The parties signing below represent they have read and understand this Agreement, and have the authority to execute this Agreement. This Agreement shall be binding on DSHS only upon signature by DSHS.

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1. **Definitions.** The words and phrases listed below, as used in this Contract, shall each have the following definitions:

a. “Central Contracts and Legal Services” means the DSHS central headquarters contracting office, or successor section or office.

b. “Confidential Information” or “Data” means information that is exempt from disclosure to the public or other unauthorized persons under RCW 42.56 or other federal or state laws. Confidential Information includes, but is not limited to, Personal Information.

c. “Contract” or “Agreement” means the entire written agreement between DSHS and the Contractor, including any Exhibits, documents, or materials incorporated by reference. The parties may execute this contract in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original and all of which constitute only one agreement. E-mail or Facsimile transmission of a signed copy of this contract shall be the same as delivery of an original.

d. “CCLS Chief” means the manager, or successor, of Central Contracts and Legal Services or successor section or office.

e. “Contractor” means the individual or entity performing services pursuant to this Contract and includes the Contractor’s owners, members, officers, directors, partners, employees, and/or agents, unless otherwise stated in this Contract. For purposes of any permitted Subcontract, “Contractor” includes any Subcontractor and its owners, members, officers, directors, partners, employees, and/or agents.

f. “Debarment” means an action taken by a Federal agency or official to exclude a person or business entity from participating in transactions involving certain federal funds.

g. “DSHS” or the “Department” means the state of Washington Department of Social and Health Services and its employees and authorized agents.

h. “Encrypt” means to encode Confidential Information into a format that can only be read by those possessing a “key,” a password, digital certificate or other mechanism available only to authorized users. Encryption must use a key length of at least 256 bits for symmetric keys, or 2048 bits for asymmetric keys. When a symmetric key is used, the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) must be used if available.

i. “Personal Information” means information identifiable to any person, including, but not limited to, information that relates to a person’s name, health, finances, education, business, use or receipt of governmental services or other activities, addresses, telephone numbers, Social Security Numbers, driver license numbers, other identifying numbers, and any financial identifiers.

j. “Physically Secure” means that access is restricted through physical means to authorized individuals only.

k. “Program Agreement” means an agreement between the Contractor and DSHS containing special terms and conditions, including a statement of work to be performed by the Contractor and payment to be made by DSHS.

l. “RCW” means the Revised Code of Washington. All references in this Contract to RCW chapters or sections shall include any successor, amended, or replacement statute. Pertinent RCW chapters can be accessed at http://apps.leg.wa.gov/rcw/.
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m. “Regulation” means any federal, state, or local regulation, rule, or ordinance.

n. “Secured Area” means an area to which only authorized representatives of the entity possessing the Confidential Information have access. Secured Areas may include buildings, rooms or locked storage containers (such as a filing cabinet) within a room, as long as access to the Confidential Information is not available to unauthorized personnel.

o. “Subcontract” means any separate agreement or contract between the Contractor and an individual or entity (“Subcontractor”) to perform all or a portion of the duties and obligations that the Contractor is obligated to perform pursuant to this Contract.

p. “Tracking” means a record keeping system that identifies when the sender begins delivery of Confidential Information to the authorized and intended recipient, and when the sender receives confirmation of delivery from the authorized and intended recipient of Confidential Information.

q. “Trusted Systems” include only the following methods of physical delivery: (1) hand-delivery by a person authorized to have access to the Confidential Information with written acknowledgement of receipt; (2) United States Postal Service (“USPS”) first class mail, or USPS delivery services that include Tracking, such as Certified Mail, Express Mail or Registered Mail; (3) commercial delivery services (e.g. FedEx, UPS, DHL) which offer tracking and receipt confirmation; and (4) the Washington State Campus mail system. For electronic transmission, the Washington State Governmental Network (SGN) is a Trusted System for communications within that Network.

r. “WAC” means the Washington Administrative Code. All references in this Contract to WAC chapters or sections shall include any successor, amended, or replacement regulation. Pertinent WAC chapters or sections can be accessed at http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/.

2. **Amendment.** This Contract may only be modified by a written amendment signed by both parties. Only personnel authorized to bind each of the parties may sign an amendment.

3. **Assignment.** The Contractor shall not assign this Contract or any Program Agreement to a third party without the prior written consent of DSHS.

4. **Billing Limitations.**

   a. DSHS shall pay the Contractor only for authorized services provided in accordance with this Contract.

   b. DSHS shall not pay any claims for payment for services submitted more than twelve (12) months after the calendar month in which the services were performed.

   c. The Contractor shall not bill and DSHS shall not pay for services performed under this Contract, if the Contractor has charged or will charge another agency of the state of Washington or any other party for the same services.

5. **Compliance with Applicable Law.** At all times during the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations, including but not limited to, nondiscrimination laws and regulations.

6. **Confidentiality.**

   a. The Contractor shall not use, publish, transfer, sell or otherwise disclose any Confidential
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Information gained by reason of this Contract for any purpose that is not directly connected with Contractor’s performance of the services contemplated hereunder, except:

(1) as provided by law; or,

(2) in the case of Personal Information, with the prior written consent of the person or personal representative of the person who is the subject of the Personal Information.

b. The Contractor shall protect and maintain all Confidential Information gained by reason of this Contract against unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification or loss. This duty requires the Contractor to employ reasonable security measures, which include restricting access to the Confidential Information by:

(1) Allowing access only to staff that have an authorized business requirement to view the Confidential Information.

(2) Physically Securing any computers, documents, or other media containing the Confidential Information.

(3) Ensure the security of Confidential Information transmitted via fax (facsimile) by:

(a) Verifying the recipient phone number to prevent accidental transmittal of Confidential Information to unauthorized persons.

(b) Communicating with the intended recipient before transmission to ensure that the fax will be received only by an authorized person.

(c) Verifying after transmittal that the fax was received by the intended recipient.

(4) When transporting six (6) or more records containing Confidential Information, outside a Secured Area, do one or more of the following as appropriate:

(a) Use a Trusted System.

(b) Encrypt the Confidential Information, including:

i. Encrypting email and/or email attachments which contain the Confidential Information.

ii. Encrypting Confidential Information when it is stored on portable devices or media, including but not limited to laptop computers and flash memory devices.

Note: If the DSHS Data Security Requirements Exhibit is attached to this contract, this item, 6.b.(4), is superseded by the language contained in the Exhibit.

(5) Send paper documents containing Confidential Information via a Trusted System.

(6) Following the requirements of the DSHS Data Security Requirements Exhibit, if attached to this contract.

c. Upon request by DSHS, at the end of the Contract term, or when no longer needed, Confidential Information shall be returned to DSHS or Contractor shall certify in writing that they employed a DSHS approved method to destroy the information. Contractor may obtain information regarding approved destruction methods from the DSHS contact identified on the cover page of this Contract.
d. Paper documents with Confidential Information may be recycled through a contracted firm, provided the contract with the recycler specifies that the confidentiality of information will be protected, and the information destroyed through the recycling process. Paper documents containing Confidential Information requiring special handling (e.g., protected health information) must be destroyed on-site through shredding, pulping, or incineration.

e. Notification of Compromise or Potential Compromise. The compromise or potential compromise of Confidential Information must be reported to the DSHS Contact designated on the contract within one (1) business day of discovery. Contractor must also take actions to mitigate the risk of loss and comply with any notification or other requirements imposed by law or DSHS.

7. **Debarment Certification.** The Contractor, by signature to this Contract, certifies that the Contractor is not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded by any Federal department or agency from participating in transactions (Debarred). The Contractor also agrees to include the above requirement in any and all Subcontracts into which it enters. The Contractor shall immediately notify DSHS if, during the term of this Contract, Contractor becomes Debarred. DSHS may immediately terminate this Contract by providing Contractor written notice if Contractor becomes Debarred during the term hereof.

8. **Governing Law and Venue.** This Contract shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the state of Washington and the venue of any action brought hereunder shall be in Superior Court for Thurston County.

9. **Independent Contractor.** The parties intend that an independent contractor relationship will be created by this Contract. The Contractor and his or her employees or agents performing under this Contract are not employees or agents of the Department. The Contractor, his or her employees, or agents performing under this Contract will not hold himself/herself out as, nor claim to be, an officer or employee of the Department by reason hereof, nor will the Contractor, his or her employees, or agent make any claim of right, privilege or benefit that would accrue to such officer or employee.

10. **Inspection.** The Contractor shall, at no cost, provide DSHS and the Office of the State Auditor with reasonable access to Contractor’s place of business, Contractor’s records, and DSHS client records, wherever located. These inspection rights are intended to allow DSHS and the Office of the State Auditor to monitor, audit, and evaluate the Contractor’s performance and compliance with applicable laws, regulations, and these Contract terms. These inspection rights shall survive for six (6) years following this Contract’s termination or expiration.

11. **Maintenance of Records.** The Contractor shall maintain records relating to this Contract and the performance of the services described herein. The records include, but are not limited to, accounting procedures and practices, which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of any nature expended in the performance of this Contract. All records and other material relevant to this Contract shall be retained for six (6) years after expiration or termination of this Contract.

Without agreeing that litigation or claims are legally authorized, if any litigation, claim, or audit is started before the expiration of the six (6) year period, the records shall be retained until all litigation, claims, or audit findings involving the records have been resolved.

12. **Order of Precedence.** In the event of any inconsistency or conflict between the General Terms and Conditions and the Special Terms and Conditions of this Contract or any Program Agreement, the inconsistency or conflict shall be resolved by giving precedence to these General Terms and Conditions. Terms or conditions that are more restrictive, specific, or particular than those contained in the General Terms and Conditions shall not be construed as being inconsistent or in conflict.
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13. **Severability.** If any term or condition of this Contract is held invalid by any court, the remainder of the Contract remains valid and in full force and effect.

14. **Survivability.** The terms and conditions contained in this Contract or any Program Agreement which, by their sense and context, are intended to survive the expiration or termination of the particular agreement shall survive. Surviving terms include, but are not limited to: Billing Limitations; Confidentiality, Disputes; Indemnification and Hold Harmless, Inspection, Maintenance of Records, Notice of Overpayment, Ownership of Material, Termination for Default, Termination Procedure, and Treatment of Property.

15. **Contract Renegotiation, Suspension, or Termination Due to Change in Funding.**

If the funds DSHS relied upon to establish this Contract or Program Agreement are withdrawn, reduced or limited, or if additional or modified conditions are placed on such funding, after the effective date of this contract but prior to the normal completion of this Contract or Program Agreement:

a. At DSHS’s discretion, the Contract or Program Agreement may be renegotiated under the revised funding conditions.

b. At DSHS’s discretion, DSHS may give notice to Contractor to suspend performance when DSHS determines that there is reasonable likelihood that the funding insufficiency may be resolved in a timeframe that would allow Contractor’s performance to be resumed prior to the normal completion date of this contract.

(1) During the period of suspension of performance, each party will inform the other of any conditions that may reasonably affect the potential for resumption of performance.

(2) When DSHS determines that the funding insufficiency is resolved, it will give Contractor written notice to resume performance. Upon the receipt of this notice, Contractor will provide written notice to DSHS informing DSHS whether it can resume performance and, if so, the date of resumption. For purposes of this subsubsection, "written notice" may include email.

(3) If the Contractor’s proposed resumption date is not acceptable to DSHS and an acceptable date cannot be negotiated, DSHS may terminate the contract by giving written notice to Contractor. The parties agree that the Contract will be terminated retroactive to the date of the notice of suspension. DSHS shall be liable only for payment in accordance with the terms of this Contract for services rendered prior to the retroactive date of termination.

c. DSHS may immediately terminate this Contract by providing written notice to the Contractor. The termination shall be effective on the date specified in the termination notice. DSHS shall be liable only for payment in accordance with the terms of this Contract for services rendered prior to the effective date of termination. No penalty shall accrue to DSHS in the event the termination option in this section is exercised.

16. **Waiver.** Waiver of any breach or default on any occasion shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent breach or default. Any waiver shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms and conditions of this Contract. Only the CCLS Chief or designee has the authority to waive any term or condition of this Contract on behalf of DSHS.

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HIPAA Compliance

Preamble: This section of the Contract is the Business Associate Agreement as required by HIPAA.

17. Definitions.

a. “Business Associate,” as used in this Contract, means the “Contractor” and generally has the same meaning as the term “business associate” at 45 CFR 160.103. Any reference to Business Associate in this Contract includes Business Associate’s employees, agents, officers, Subcontractors, third party contractors, volunteers, or directors.

b. “Business Associate Agreement” means this HIPAA Compliance section of the Contract and includes the Business Associate provisions required by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights.

c. “Breach” means the acquisition, access, use, or disclosure of Protected Health Information in a manner not permitted under the HIPAA Privacy Rule which compromises the security or privacy of the Protected Health Information, with the exclusions and exceptions listed in 45 CFR 164.402.

d. “Covered Entity” means DSHS, a Covered Entity as defined at 45 CFR 160.103, in its conduct of covered functions by its health care components.

e. “Designated Record Set” means a group of records maintained by or for a Covered Entity, that is: the medical and billing records about individuals maintained by or for a covered health care provider; the enrollment, payment, claims adjudication, and case or medical management record systems maintained by or for a health plan; or Used in whole or part by or for the Covered Entity to make decisions about Individuals.

f. “Electronic Protected Health Information (EPHI)” means Protected Health Information that is transmitted by electronic media or maintained in any medium described in the definition of electronic media at 45 CFR 160.103.


i. “Individual(s)” means the person(s) who is the subject of PHI and includes a person who qualifies as a personal representative in accordance with 45 CFR 164.502(g).

j. “Minimum Necessary” means the least amount of PHI necessary to accomplish the purpose for which the PHI is needed.

k. “Protected Health Information (PHI)” means individually identifiable health information created, received, maintained or transmitted by Business Associate on behalf of a health care component of the Covered Entity that relates to the provision of health care to an Individual; the past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition of an Individual; or the past, present, or future payment for provision of health care to an Individual. 45 CFR 160.103. PHI includes demographic information that identifies the Individual or about which there is reasonable basis to believe can be used to identify the Individual. 45 CFR 160.103. PHI is information transmitted or held in any form
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or medium and includes EPHI. 45 CFR 160.103. PHI does not include education records covered by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, as amended, 20 USCA 1232g(a)(4)(B)(iv) or employment records held by a Covered Entity in its role as employer.

l. “Security Incident” means the attempted or successful unauthorized access, use, disclosure, modification or destruction of information or interference with system operations in an information system.

m. “Subcontractor” as used in this HIPAA Compliance section of the Contract (in addition to its definition in the General Terms and Conditions) means a Business Associate that creates, receives, maintains, or transmits Protected Health Information on behalf of another Business Associate.

n. “Use” includes the sharing, employment, application, utilization, examination, or analysis, of PHI within an entity that maintains such information.

18. Compliance. Business Associate shall perform all Contract duties, activities and tasks in compliance with HIPAA, the HIPAA Rules, and all attendant regulations as promulgated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Civil Rights.

19. Use and Disclosure of PHI. Business Associate is limited to the following permitted and required uses or disclosures of PHI:

a. Duty to Protect PHI. Business Associate shall protect PHI from, and shall use appropriate safeguards, and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 (Security Standards for the Protection of Electronic Protected Health Information) with respect to EPHI, to prevent the unauthorized Use or disclosure of PHI other than as provided for in this Contract or as required by law, for as long as the PHI is within its possession and control, even after the termination or expiration of this Contract.

b. Minimum Necessary Standard. Business Associate shall apply the HIPAA Minimum Necessary standard to any Use or disclosure of PHI necessary to achieve the purposes of this Contract. See 45 CFR 164.514 (d)(2) through (d)(5).

c. Disclosure as Part of the Provision of Services. Business Associate shall only Use or disclose PHI as necessary to perform the services specified in this Contract or as required by law, and shall not Use or disclose such PHI in any manner that would violate Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 (Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information) if done by Covered Entity, except for the specific uses and disclosures set forth below.

d. Use for Proper Management and Administration. Business Associate may Use PHI for the proper management and administration of the Business Associate or to carry out the legal responsibilities of the Business Associate.

e. Disclosure for Proper Management and Administration. Business Associate may disclose PHI for the proper management and administration of Business Associate or to carry out the legal responsibilities of the Business Associate, provided the disclosures are required by law, or Business Associate obtains reasonable assurances from the person to whom the information is disclosed that the information will remain confidential and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purposes for which it was disclosed to the person, and the person notifies the Business Associate of any instances of which it is aware in which the confidentiality of the information has been Breached.

f. Impermissible Use or Disclosure of PHI. Business Associate shall report to DSHS in writing all
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Uses or disclosures of PHI not provided for by this Contract within one (1) business day of becoming aware of the unauthorized Use or disclosure of PHI, including Breaches of unsecured PHI as required at 45 CFR 164.410 (Notification by a Business Associate), as well as any Security Incident of which it becomes aware. Upon request by DHS, Business Associate shall mitigate, to the extent practicable, any harmful effect resulting from the impermissible Use or disclosure.

g. Failure to Cure. If DHS learns of a pattern or practice of the Business Associate that constitutes a violation of the Business Associate’s obligations under the terms of this Contract and reasonable steps by DHS do not end the violation, DHS shall terminate this Contract, if feasible. In addition, if Business Associate learns of a pattern or practice of its Subcontractors that constitutes a violation of the Business Associate’s obligations under the terms of their contract and reasonable steps by the Business Associate do not end the violation, Business Associate shall terminate the Subcontract, if feasible.

h. Termination for Cause. Business Associate authorizes immediate termination of this Contract by DHS, if DHS determines that Business Associate has violated a material term of this Business Associate Agreement. DHS may, at its sole option, offer Business Associate an opportunity to cure a violation of this Business Associate Agreement before exercising a termination for cause.

i. Consent to Audit. Business Associate shall give reasonable access to PHI, its internal practices, records, books, documents, electronic data and/or all other business information received from, or created or received by Business Associate on behalf of DHS, to the Secretary of DHHS and/or to DHS for use in determining compliance with HIPAA privacy requirements.

j. Obligations of Business Associate Upon Expiration or Termination. Upon expiration or termination of this Contract for any reason, with respect to PHI received from DHS, or created, maintained, or received by Business Associate, or any Subcontractors, on behalf of DHS, Business Associate shall:

(1) Retain only that PHI which is necessary for Business Associate to continue its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities;

(2) Return to DHS or destroy the remaining PHI that the Business Associate or any Subcontractors still maintain in any form;

(3) Continue to use appropriate safeguards and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 (Security Standards for the Protection of Electronic Protected Health Information) with respect to Electronic Protected Health Information to prevent Use or disclosure of the PHI, other than as provided for in this Section, for as long as Business Associate or any Subcontractors retain the PHI;

(4) Not Use or disclose the PHI retained by Business Associate or any Subcontractors other than for the purposes for which such PHI was retained and subject to the same conditions set out in the “Use and Disclosure of PHI” section of this Contract which applied prior to termination; and

(5) Return to DHS or destroy the PHI retained by Business Associate, or any Subcontractors, when it is no longer needed by Business Associate for its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities.

k. Survival. The obligations of the Business Associate under this section shall survive the termination or expiration of this Contract.
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a. Accounting of Disclosures.

(1) Business Associate shall document all disclosures, except those disclosures that are exempt under 45 CFR 164.528, of PHI and information related to such disclosures.

(2) Within ten (10) business days of a request from DSHS, Business Associate shall make available to DSHS the information in Business Associate’s possession that is necessary for DSHS to respond in a timely manner to a request for an accounting of disclosures of PHI by the Business Associate. See 45 CFR 164.504(e)(2)(ii)(G) and 164.528(b)(1).

(3) At the request of DSHS or in response to a request made directly to the Business Associate by an Individual, Business Associate shall respond, in a timely manner and in accordance with HIPAA and the HIPAA Rules, to requests by Individuals for an accounting of disclosures of PHI.

(4) Business Associate record keeping procedures shall be sufficient to respond to a request for an accounting under this section for the six (6) years prior to the date on which the accounting was requested.

b. Access

(1) Business Associate shall make available PHI that it holds that is part of a Designated Record Set when requested by DSHS or the Individual as necessary to satisfy DSHS’s obligations under 45 CFR 164.524 (Access of Individuals to Protected Health Information).

(2) When the request is made by the Individual to the Business Associate or if DSHS asks the Business Associate to respond to a request, the Business Associate shall comply with requirements in 45 CFR 164.524 (Access of Individuals to Protected Health Information) on form, time and manner of access. When the request is made by DSHS, the Business Associate shall provide the records to DSHS within ten (10) business days.

c. Amendment.

(1) If DSHS amends, in whole or in part, a record or PHI contained in an Individual’s Designated Record Set and DSHS has previously provided the PHI or record that is the subject of the amendment to Business Associate, then DSHS will inform Business Associate of the amendment pursuant to 45 CFR 164.526(c)(3) (Amendment of Protected Health Information).

(2) Business Associate shall make any amendments to PHI in a Designated Record Set as directed by DSHS or as necessary to satisfy DSHS’s obligations under 45 CFR 164.526 (Amendment of Protected Health Information).

21. Subcontracts and other Third Party Agreements. In accordance with 45 CFR 164.502(e)(1)(ii), 164.504(e)(1)(i), and 164.308(b)(2), Business Associate shall ensure that any agents, Subcontractors, independent contractors or other third parties that create, receive, maintain, or transmit PHI on Business Associate’s behalf, enter into a written contract that contains the same terms, restrictions, requirements, and conditions as the HIPAA compliance provisions in this Contract with respect to such PHI. The same provisions must also be included in any contracts by a Business Associate’s Subcontractor with its own business associates as required by 45 CFR 164.314(a)(2)(b) and 164.504(e)(5).
22. **Obligations.** To the extent the Business Associate is to carry out one or more of DSHS’s obligation(s) under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 (Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information), Business Associate shall comply with all requirements that would apply to DSHS in the performance of such obligation(s).

23. **Liability.** Within ten (10) business days, Business Associate must notify DSHS of any complaint, enforcement or compliance action initiated by the Office for Civil Rights based on an allegation of violation of the HIPAA Rules and must inform DSHS of the outcome of that action. Business Associate bears all responsibility for any penalties, fines or sanctions imposed against the Business Associate for violations of the HIPAA Rules and for any imposed against its Subcontractors or agents for which it is found liable.

24. **Breach Notification.**

   a. In the event of a Breach of unsecured PHI or disclosure that compromises the privacy or security of PHI obtained from DSHS or involving DSHS clients, Business Associate will take all measures required by state or federal law.

   b. Business Associate will notify DSHS within one (1) business day by telephone and in writing of any acquisition, access, Use or disclosure of PHI not allowed by the provisions of this Contract or not authorized by HIPAA Rules or required by law of which it becomes aware which potentially compromises the security or privacy of the Protected Health Information as defined in 45 CFR 164.402 (Definitions).

   c. Business Associate will notify the DSHS Contact shown on the cover page of this Contract within one (1) business day by telephone or e-mail of any potential Breach of security or privacy of PHI by the Business Associate or its Subcontractors or agents. Business Associate will follow telephone or e-mail notification with a faxed or other written explanation of the Breach, to include the following: date and time of the Breach, date Breach was discovered, location and nature of the PHI, type of Breach, origination and destination of PHI, Business Associate unit and personnel associated with the Breach, detailed description of the Breach, anticipated mitigation steps, and the name, address, telephone number, fax number, and e-mail of the individual who is responsible as the primary point of contact. Business Associate will address communications to the DSHS Contact. Business Associate will coordinate and cooperate with DSHS to provide a copy of its investigation and other information requested by DSHS, including advance copies of any notifications required for DSHS review before disseminating and verification of the dates notifications were sent.

   d. If DSHS determines that Business Associate or its Subcontractor(s) or agent(s) is responsible for a Breach of unsecured PHI:

      1. requiring notification of Individuals under 45 CFR § 164.404 (Notification to Individuals), Business Associate bears the responsibility and costs for notifying the affected Individuals and receiving and responding to those Individuals’ questions or requests for additional information;

      2. requiring notification of the media under 45 CFR § 164.406 (Notification to the media), Business Associate bears the responsibility and costs for notifying the media and receiving and responding to media questions or requests for additional information;

      3. requiring notification of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Secretary under 45 CFR § 164.408 (Notification to the Secretary), Business Associate bears the responsibility and costs for notifying the Secretary and receiving and responding to the Secretary’s questions or requests for additional information; and
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(4) DSHS will take appropriate remedial measures up to termination of this Contract.


a. Regulatory References. A reference in this Contract to a section in the HIPAA Rules means the section as in effect or amended.

b. Interpretation. Any ambiguity in this Contract shall be interpreted to permit compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

26. Disputes. Both DSHS and the Contractor ("Parties") agree to work in good faith to resolve all conflicts at the lowest level possible. However, if the Parties are not able to promptly and efficiently resolve, through direct informal contact, any dispute concerning the interpretation, application, or implementation of any section of this Agreement, either Party may reduce its description of the dispute in writing, and deliver it to the other Party for consideration. Once received, the assigned managers or designees of each Party will work to informally and amicably resolve the issue within five (5) business days. If managers or designees are unable to come to a mutually acceptable decision within five (5) business days, they may agree to issue an extension to allow for more time.

If the dispute cannot be resolved by the managers or designees, the issue will be referred through each Agency’s respective operational protocols, to the Secretary of DSHS (“Secretary”) and the Contractor’s Agency Head (“Agency Head”) or their deputies or designated delegates. Both Parties will be responsible for submitting all relevant documentation, along with a short statement as to how they believe the dispute should be settled, to the Secretary and Agency Head.

Upon receipt of the referral and relevant documentation, the Secretary and Agency Head will confer to consider the potential options of resolution, and to arrive at a decision within fifteen (15) business days. The Secretary and Agency Head may appoint a review team, a facilitator, or both, to assist in the resolution of the dispute. If the Secretary and Agency Head are unable to come to a mutually acceptable decision within fifteen (15) business days, they may agree to issue an extension to allow for more time.

The final decision will be put in writing, and will be signed by both the Secretary and Agency Head. If the Agreement is active at the time of resolution, the Parties will execute an amendment or change order to incorporate the final decision into the Agreement. The decision will be final and binding as to the matter reviewed and the dispute shall be settled in accordance with the terms of the decision.

If the Secretary and Agency Head are unable to come to a mutually acceptable decision, the Parties will request intervention by the Governor, per RCW 43.17.330, in which case the governor shall employ whatever dispute resolution methods that the governor deems appropriate in resolving the dispute.

Both Parties agree that, the existence of a dispute notwithstanding, the Parties will continue without delay to carry out all respective responsibilities under this Agreement that are not affected by the dispute.

27. Hold Harmless. The Contractor shall be responsible for and shall hold DSHS harmless from all claims, loss, liability, damages, or fines arising out of or relating to the Contractor’s negligent acts or omissions or its performance or failure to perform this Agreement. DSHS shall be responsible for and shall hold the Contractor harmless from all claims, loss, liability, damages, or fines arising out of or relating to DSHS' performance or failure to perform this Agreement.

28. Ownership of Material. Copyright in all material created by the Contractor and paid for by DSHS as a
part of this Interlocal Agreement shall be the property of the State of Washington. Both DSHS and Contractor may use these materials, and permit others to use them, for any purpose consistent with their respective missions as agencies of the state of Washington. This material includes, but is not limited to: books; computer programs; documents; films; pamphlets; reports; sound reproductions; studies; surveys; tapes; and/or training materials. Material that the Contractor uses to perform this Interlocal Agreement but which is not created for or paid for by DSHS shall be owned by Contractor or such other party as determined by Copyright Law and/or Contractor’s internal policies. Contractor hereby grants (or, if necessary and to the extent reasonably possible, shall obtain and grant) a perpetual, unrestricted, royalty free, non-exclusive license to DSHS to use the materials for DSHS internal purposes.

29. Subrecipients.

a. General. If the Contractor is a subrecipient of federal awards as defined by 2 CFR Part 200 this Agreement, the Contractor shall:

   (1) Maintain records that identify, in its accounts, all federal awards received and expended and the federal programs under which they were received, by Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) title and number, award number and year, name of the federal agency, and name of the pass-through entity;

   (2) Maintain internal controls that provide reasonable assurance that the Contractor is managing federal awards in compliance with laws, regulations, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements that could have a material effect on each of its federal programs;

   (3) Prepare appropriate financial statements, including a schedule of expenditures of federal awards;

   (4) Incorporate 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F audit requirements into all agreements between the Contractor and its Subcontractors who are subrecipients;

   (5) Comply with the applicable requirements of 2 CFR Part 200, including any future amendments to 2 CFR Part 200, and any successor or replacement Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular or regulation; and


b. Single Audit Act Compliance. If the Contractor is a subrecipient and expends $750,000 or more in federal awards from any and/or all sources in any fiscal year, the Contractor shall procure and pay for a single audit or a program-specific audit for that fiscal year. Upon completion of each audit, the Contractor shall:

   (1) Submit to the DSHS contact person the data collection form and reporting package specified in 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F, reports required by the program-specific audit guide (if applicable), and a copy of any management letters issued by the auditor;
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(2) Follow-up and develop corrective action for all audit findings; in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F; prepare a "Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings" reporting the status of all audit findings included in the prior audit’s schedule of findings and questioned costs.

c. Overpayments. If it is determined by DSHS, or during the course of a required audit, that the Contractor has been paid allowable costs under this or any Program Agreement, DSHS may require the Contractor to reimburse DSHS in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200.

30. Termination

a. Default. If for any cause, either party fails to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement in a timely and proper manner, or if either party violates any of the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, then the aggrieved party will give the other party written notice of such failure or violation. The responsible party will be given 15 working days to correct the violation or failure. If the failure or violation is not corrected, this Agreement may be terminated immediately by written notice from the aggrieved party to the other party.

b. Convenience. Either party may terminate this Interlocal Agreement for any other reason by providing 30 calendar days’ written notice to the other party.

c. Payment for Performance. If this Interlocal Agreement is terminated for any reason, DSHS shall only pay for performance rendered or costs incurred in accordance with the terms of this Agreement and prior to the effective date of termination.

31. Treatment of Client Property. Unless otherwise provided, the Contractor shall ensure that any adult client receiving services from the Contractor has unrestricted access to the client’s personal property. The Contractor shall not interfere with any adult client’s ownership, possession, or use of the client’s property. The Contractor shall provide clients under age eighteen (18) with reasonable access to their personal property that is appropriate to the client’s age, development, and needs. Upon termination of the Contract, the Contractor shall immediately release to the client and/or the client’s guardian or custodian all of the client’s personal property.
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1. Definitions Specific to Special Terms. The words and phrases listed below, as used in this Contract, shall each have the following definitions:
   
   a. “Authorized Designee” means an individual who is designated in writing by the person who is identified in this Contract to provide an approval or direction, to act on such person’s behalf with regard to an approval or direction.
   
   b. “Child Study and Treatment Center” or “CSTC” means the child psychiatric hospital operated by the Washington Department of Social and Health Services that is located at 8805 Steilacoom Blvd. SW, Lakewood, WA 98498.
   
   c. “Contract Manager” means the individual identified as the DSHS Contact on page 1 of this Contract. For purposes of this Contract, the term “Contract Manager” shall include an Authorized Designee of the Contract Manager.
   
   d. “Contractor Personnel” or “Contractor Staff” means all employees or subcontractors of Contractor or any other person permitted by Contractor to provide Services under this Contract. As used in this Contract, “Contractor Personnel” shall include “Contractor.”
   
   e. “Contractor” means the person or entity identified as the Contractor on page 1 of this Contract. As used in this Contract, “Contractor” shall include “Contractor Personnel.”
   
   f. “CSTC Leadership” shall refer to the Chief Executive Officer, Cottage Director(s) or the Contract Manager of the CSTC or their Authorized Designees.
   
   g. “Patient” means a child or youth who is admitted to the CSTC.
   
   h. “Referred Patient” shall mean a Patient who is referred to Contractor by the CSTC Leadership for Services pursuant to this Contract.
   
   i. “Services” means Trauma Focused-Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT), CBT-Plus and Milieu management consultation services for Referred Patients.

2. Purpose. The purpose of this Contract is for the Contractor, through its Contractor Provider, to provide CSTC with consultation services and staff training regarding the treatment of youth with histories of severe trauma (i.e. Trauma-Informed Care).

3. Contractor Qualifications. The individual performing services under this contract must meet these requirements:
   
   a. Licenses. Contractor Personnel shall have a valid Washington state license to practice medicine or psychology. Contractor Personnel who are psychiatrists shall be board-eligible or board-certified, as required by CSTC. Contractor Personnel shall maintain all licenses, registrations, board eligibility and board certifications as required by federal, state, and local law and DSHS or CSTC policy. The Contractor shall submit copies of all relevant licenses, registrations, board eligibility documentation and board certifications to the CEO or Authorized Designee prior to providing any Services. Contractor Personnel also shall submit a copy of all subsequent license renewals or changes directly to the CEO or Authorized Designee.
   
   b. Background Checks. As required by CSTC, In accordance with RCW 74.34.070, 74.34.020, 72.05, 43.20A.710, 43.43.834, 43.43.837 and chapter 388-700 WAC, Contractor Personnel who may or will have either regular or limited access to any CSTC Patients must be cleared through a
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DSHS-approved criminal history and background check prior to providing Services under this Contract.

(1) Contractor Personnel shall report any arrests or violations of law to the CSTC Medical Director and the Contract Manager within three (3) days of the occurrence.

(2) Contractor Personnel may not perform or provide Services under this Contract if the Contractor Personnel have:

(a) Been convicted of a sex offense, as defined in RCW 9.94A.030;

(b) Been convicted in any other state of an offense that under the laws of this state would be classified as a sex offense as defined in RCW 9.94A.030; or

(c) Been suspended or otherwise restricted from practicing as a health care professional in any state, federal, or foreign jurisdiction.

c. Non-Disclosure of Confidential Information. Contractor Personnel will be required to sign and submit to the Contract Manager the DSHS Agreement on Nondisclosure of Confidential Information – Non Employee, DSHS Form 03-374B. (Rev 09/2014) prior to having any unsupervised access to Patient data. A copy of this form may be obtained online here: Form 03-374B

d. Health Screening Requirements. As required by CSTC, Contractor Personnel must comply with CSTC health screening requirements and DSHS infection control guidelines. Each Contractor Provider shall submit to the Contract Manager proof of immunization for or immunity to measles (Rubeola/Rubella) and chicken pox (Varicella immunity or immunization) and shall annually provide proof of current tuberculosis screening obtained within the past year (either skin testing by the Mantoux method or chest x-ray for positive responders) prior to Patient access under this Contract. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Exhibit B, Mandatory COVID-19 Safety Measures.

4. Statement of Work. The Contractor shall provide the Services and Contractor Personnel, and otherwise do all things necessary for or incidental to the performance of Services, as set forth below:

a. Lucy Berliner, an employee of the Contractor, or an equally qualified employee of the Contractor, shall serve as a Contractor Provider to provide:

(1) Monthly (or as needed) consultations to CSTC regarding:

(a) TF-CBT;

(b) Review of records and information provided by CSTC Leadership regarding Referred Patients, and consultations with the referring individual(s) on methods for providing Trauma-Focused Care at CSTC.

(2) Training for CSTC staff on treatment for youth with histories of severe trauma, including but not limited to Trauma Focused – Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) and Cognitive Behavioral-Plus Therapy (CBT-Plus).

(3) Consultation and training may be conducted by telephone, video, or on-site, and shall consist of case discussion, didactic, web-based, and printed materials.

5. Performance Tracking; Performance and Outcome Measures. The Contract Manager shall track
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and evaluate Contractor’s performance based upon some or all of the service requirements set forth in Section 4, Statement of Work. In addition, the Contractor’s performance shall be reviewed based upon the following outcome measures:

a. The timeliness of Contractor’s Services;

b. The quality of the Contractor’s Services based upon any feedback received from P and agency personnel;

c. The quality of the Contractor’s Services based upon the thoroughness and responsiveness to agency requirements with respect to reports required to be submitted under this Contract; and

6. Consideration. Total consideration payable to Contractor for satisfactory performance of the work under this Contract is up to a maximum of $7,200.00 including any and all expenses, and shall be based on the rate of $150.00 per hour for actual time spent performing Services as detailed in this Contract.

a. Payment shall be determined by multiplying the number of hours spent in the actual performance of Services by the hourly rate.

b. Time spent in the actual performance of Services which is less than one hour will be recorded and charged based upon a fraction of an hour in six minute (tenth of an hour) increments.

c. Time spent by Contractor for commuting or traveling to the CSTC, breaks, or performing tasks not included in the assigned Services are ineligible for reimbursement and are specifically excluded from payment.


a. Invoice System. The Contractor shall submit invoices using invoice forms acceptable to DSHS no later than fifteen (15) calendar days following the month in which the services were provided. Consideration for services rendered shall be payable upon receipt and acceptance by the DSHS contract manager of properly completed invoices submitted not more often than monthly to the following email address: CBS3Institution-Fiscal@dshs.wa.gov. The DSHS contract number should be identified in the Subject line of the email.

Although emailing the invoice is the preferred and faster method, should the Contractor not be able to use email, the invoice may be mailed to the following address:

Department of Social and Health Services
Centralized Business Services (CBS3)
Attention: Accounts Payable
1949 South State Street
MS: N27-35
Tacoma, WA 98405
CBS3Institution-Fiscal@dshs.wa.gov

b. Invoice Contents and Receipts. Contractor’s invoices shall document, to DSHS’ satisfaction, the work performed, performance outcomes and milestones achieved (unless these are required to be reported separately to the contract manager), dates and hours of service, applicable rates or payment amounts, and expenses incurred, if expenses are reimbursable under this Contract. To be eligible for reimbursement, expenses must be supported with itemized receipts for lodging, air fare,
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parking at the point of departure, car rental, and gas and meal expenses must be billed at the applicable state per diem allowance. When preapprovals are required, the Contractor must submit documentation of preapprovals with its invoices.

c. **Payment.** Payment shall be considered timely if made by DSHS within thirty (30) days after receipt and acceptance by the Contract Manager or Authorized Designee of the properly completed invoices. Payment shall be sent to the address designated by the Contractor on page one (1) of this Contract. DSHS may, at its sole discretion, withhold payment claimed by the Contractor for services rendered if Contractor fails to satisfactorily comply with any term or condition of this Contract.

8. **Insurance.**

a. DSHS certifies that it is self-insured under the State’s self-insurance liability program, as provided by RCW 4.92.130, and shall pay for losses for which it is found liable.

b. The Contractor certifies, by checking the appropriate box below, initialing to the left of the box selected, and signing this Agreement, that:

   □ The Contractor is self-insured or insured through a risk pool and shall pay for losses for which it is found liable; or

   □ The Contractor maintains the types and amounts of insurance identified below and shall, prior to the execution of this Agreement by DSHS, provide certificates of insurance to that effect to the DSHS contact on page one of this Agreement.

   **Commercial General Liability Insurance (CGL)** – to include coverage for bodily injury, property damage, and contractual liability, with the following minimum limits: Each Occurrence - $1,000,000; General Aggregate - $2,000,000. The policy shall include liability arising out of premises, operations, independent contractors, products-completed operations, personal injury, advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured contract. The State of Washington, DSHS, its elected and appointed officials, agents, and employees shall be named as additional insureds.
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Exhibit A – Data Security Requirements

1. Definitions. The words and phrases listed below, as used in this Exhibit, shall each have the following definitions:


   b. “Authorized Users(s)” means an individual or individuals with a business need to access DSHS Confidential Information, and who has or have been authorized to do so.

   c. “Business Associate Agreement” means an agreement between DSHS and a contractor who is receiving Data covered under the Privacy and Security Rules of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. The agreement establishes permitted and required uses and disclosures of protected health information (PHI) in accordance with HIPAA requirements and provides obligations for business associates to safeguard the information.

   d. “Category 4 Data” is data that is confidential and requires special handling due to statutes or regulations that require especially strict protection of the data and from which especially serious consequences may arise in the event of any compromise of such data. Data classified as Category 4 includes but is not limited to data protected by: the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), Pub. L. 104-191 as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act of 2009 (HITECH), 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164; the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), 20 U.S.C. §1232g; 34 CFR Part 99; Internal Revenue Service Publication 1075 (https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p1075.pdf); Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration regulations on Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records, 42 CFR Part 2; and/or Criminal Justice Information Services, 28 CFR Part 20.

   e. “Cloud” means data storage on servers hosted by an entity other than the Contractor and on a network outside the control of the Contractor. Physical storage of data in the cloud typically spans multiple servers and often multiple locations. Cloud storage can be divided between consumer grade storage for personal files and enterprise grade for companies and governmental entities. Examples of consumer grade storage would include iTunes, Dropbox, Box.com, and many other entities. Enterprise cloud vendors include Microsoft Azure, Amazon Web Services, and Rackspace.

   f. “Encrypt” means to encode Confidential Information into a format that can only be read by those possessing a “key”; a password, digital certificate or other mechanism available only to authorized users. Encryption must use a key length of at least 256 bits for symmetric keys, or 2048 bits for asymmetric keys. When a symmetric key is used, the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) must be used if available.

   g. “FedRAMP” means the Federal Risk and Authorization Management Program (see www.fedramp.gov), which is an assessment and authorization process that federal government agencies have been directed to use to ensure security is in place when accessing Cloud computing products and services.

   h. “Hardened Password” means a string of at least eight characters containing at least three of the following four character classes: Uppercase alphabetic, lowercase alphabetic, numeral, and special characters such as an asterisk, ampersand, or exclamation point.
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i. “Mobile Device” means a computing device, typically smaller than a notebook, which runs a mobile operating system, such as iOS, Android, or Windows Phone. Mobile Devices include smart phones, most tablets, and other form factors.

j. “Multi-factor Authentication” means controlling access to computers and other IT resources by requiring two or more pieces of evidence that the user is who they claim to be. These pieces of evidence consist of something the user knows, such as a password or PIN; something the user has such as a key card, smart card, or physical token; and something the user is, a biometric identifier such as a fingerprint, facial scan, or retinal scan. “PIN” means a personal identification number, a series of numbers which act as a password for a device. Since PINs are typically only four to six characters, PINs are usually used in conjunction with another factor of authentication, such as a fingerprint.

k. “Portable Device” means any computing device with a small form factor, designed to be transported from place to place. Portable devices are primarily battery powered devices with base computing resources in the form of a processor, memory, storage, and network access. Examples include, but are not limited to, mobile phones, tablets, and laptops. Mobile Device is a subset of Portable Device.

l. “Portable Media” means any machine readable media that may routinely be stored or moved independently of computing devices. Examples include magnetic tapes, optical discs (CDs or DVDs), flash memory (thumb drive) devices, external hard drives, and internal hard drives that have been removed from a computing device.

m. “Secure Area” means an area to which only authorized representatives of the entity possessing the Confidential Information have access, and access is controlled through use of a key, card key, combination lock, or comparable mechanism. Secure Areas may include buildings, rooms or locked storage containers (such as a filing cabinet or desk drawer) within a room, as long as access to the Confidential Information is not available to unauthorized personnel. In otherwise Secure Areas, such as an office with restricted access, the Data must be secured in such a way as to prevent access by non-authorized staff such as janitorial or facility security staff, when authorized Contractor staff are not present to ensure that non-authorized staff cannot access it.

n. “Trusted Network” means a network operated and maintained by the Contractor, which includes security controls sufficient to protect DSHS Data on that network. Controls would include a firewall between any other networks, access control lists on networking devices such as routers and switches, and other such mechanisms which protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of the Data.

o. “Unique User ID” means a string of characters that identifies a specific user and which, in conjunction with a password, passphrase or other mechanism, authenticates a user to an information system.

2. **Authority.** The security requirements described in this document reflect the applicable requirements of Standard 141.10 ([https://ocio.wa.gov/policies](https://ocio.wa.gov/policies) of the Office of the Chief Information Officer for the state of Washington, and of the DSHS Information Security Policy and Standards Manual. Reference material related to these requirements can be found here: [https://www.dshs.wa.gov/ffa/keeping-dshs-client-information-private-and-secure](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/ffa/keeping-dshs-client-information-private-and-secure), which is a site developed by the DSHS Information Security Office and hosted by DSHS Central Contracts and Legal Services.

3. **Administrative Controls.** The Contractor must have the following controls in place:
a. A documented security policy governing the secure use of its computer network and systems, and which defines sanctions that may be applied to Contractor staff for violating that policy.

b. If the Data shared under this agreement is classified as Category 4, the Contractor must be aware of and compliant with the applicable legal or regulatory requirements for that Category 4 Data.

c. If Confidential Information shared under this agreement is classified as Category 4, the Contractor must have a documented risk assessment for the system(s) housing the Category 4 Data.

4. **Authorization, Authentication, and Access.** In order to ensure that access to the Data is limited to authorized staff, the Contractor must:

a. Have documented policies and procedures governing access to systems with the shared Data.

b. Restrict access through administrative, physical, and technical controls to authorized staff.

c. Ensure that user accounts are unique and that any given user account logon ID and password combination is known only to the one employee to whom that account is assigned. For purposes of non-repudiation, it must always be possible to determine which employee performed a given action on a system housing the Data based solely on the logon ID used to perform the action.

d. Ensure that only authorized users are capable of accessing the Data.

e. Ensure that an employee’s access to the Data is removed immediately:

   (1) Upon suspected compromise of the user credentials.

   (2) When their employment, or the contract under which the Data is made available to them, is terminated.

   (3) When they no longer need access to the Data to fulfill the requirements of the contract.

f. Have a process to periodically review and verify that only authorized users have access to systems containing DSHS Confidential Information.

g. When accessing the Data from within the Contractor’s network (the Data stays within the Contractor’s network at all times), enforce password and logon requirements for users within the Contractor’s network, including:

   (1) A minimum length of 8 characters, and containing at least three of the following character classes: uppercase letters, lowercase letters, numerals, and special characters such as an asterisk, ampersand, or exclamation point.

   (2) That a password does not contain a user’s name, logon ID, or any form of their full name.

   (3) That a password does not consist of a single dictionary word. A password may be formed as a passphrase which consists of multiple dictionary words.

   (4) That passwords are significantly different from the previous four passwords. Passwords that increment by simply adding a number are not considered significantly different.
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h. When accessing Confidential Information from an external location (the Data will traverse the Internet or otherwise travel outside the Contractor’s network), mitigate risk and enforce password and logon requirements for users by employing measures including:

(1) Ensuring mitigations applied to the system don’t allow end-user modification.

(2) Not allowing the use of dial-up connections.

(3) Using industry standard protocols and solutions for remote access. Examples would include RADIUS and Citrix.

(4) Encrypting all remote access traffic from the external workstation to Trusted Network or to a component within the Trusted Network. The traffic must be encrypted at all times while traversing any network, including the Internet, which is not a Trusted Network.

(5) Ensuring that the remote access system prompts for re-authentication or performs automated session termination after no more than 30 minutes of inactivity.

(6) Ensuring use of Multi-factor Authentication to connect from the external end point to the internal end point.

i. Passwords or PIN codes may meet a lesser standard if used in conjunction with another authentication mechanism, such as a biometric (fingerprint, face recognition, iris scan) or token (software, hardware, smart card, etc.) in that case:

(1) The PIN or password must be at least 5 letters or numbers when used in conjunction with at least one other authentication factor

(2) Must not be comprised of all the same letter or number (11111, 22222, aaaaa, would not be acceptable)

(3) Must not contain a “run” of three or more consecutive numbers (12398, 98743 would not be acceptable)

j. If the contract specifically allows for the storage of Confidential Information on a Mobile Device, passcodes used on the device must:

(1) Be a minimum of six alphanumeric characters.

(2) Contain at least three unique character classes (upper case, lower case, letter, number).

(3) Not contain more than a three consecutive character run. Passcodes consisting of 12345, or abcd12 would not be acceptable.

k. Render the device unusable after a maximum of 10 failed logon attempts.

5. **Protection of Data.** The Contractor agrees to store Data on one or more of the following media and protect the Data as described:

a. **Hard disk drives.** For Data stored on local workstation hard disks, access to the Data will be restricted to Authorized User(s) by requiring logon to the local workstation using a Unique User ID
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and Hardened Password or other authentication mechanisms which provide equal or greater security, such as biometrics or smart cards.

b. **Network server disks.** For Data stored on hard disks mounted on network servers and made available through shared folders, access to the Data will be restricted to Authorized Users through the use of access control lists which will grant access only after the Authorized User has authenticated to the network using a Unique User ID and Hardened Password or other authentication mechanisms which provide equal or greater security, such as biometrics or smart cards. Data on disks mounted to such servers must be located in an area which is accessible only to authorized personnel, with access controlled through use of a key, card key, combination lock, or comparable mechanism.

For DSHS Confidential Information stored on these disks, deleting unneeded Data is sufficient as long as the disks remain in a Secure Area and otherwise meet the requirements listed in the above paragraph. Destruction of the Data, as outlined below in Section 8 Data Disposition, may be deferred until the disks are retired, replaced, or otherwise taken out of the Secure Area.

c. **Optical discs (CDs or DVDs) in local workstation optical disc drives.** Data provided by DSHS on optical discs which will be used in local workstation optical disc drives and which will not be transported out of a Secure Area. When not in use for the contracted purpose, such discs must be Stored in a Secure Area. Workstations which access DSHS Data on optical discs must be located in an area which is accessible only to authorized personnel, with access controlled through use of a key, card key, combination lock, or comparable mechanism.

d. **Optical discs (CDs or DVDs) in drives or jukeboxes attached to servers.** Data provided by DSHS on optical discs which will be attached to network servers and which will not be transported out of a Secure Area. Access to Data on these discs will be restricted to Authorized Users through the use of access control lists which will grant access only after the Authorized User has authenticated to the network using a Unique User ID and Hardened Password or other authentication mechanisms which provide equal or greater security, such as biometrics or smart cards. Data on discs attached to such servers must be located in an area which is accessible only to authorized personnel, with access controlled through use of a key, card key, combination lock, or comparable mechanism.

e. **Paper documents.** Any paper records must be protected by storing the records in a Secure Area which is only accessible to authorized personnel. When not in use, such records must be stored in a Secure Area.

f. **Remote Access.** Access to and use of the Data over the State Governmental Network (SGN) or Secure Access Washington (SAW) will be controlled by DSHS staff who will issue authentication credentials (e.g. a Unique User ID and Hardened Password) to Authorized Users on Contractor’s staff. Contractor will notify DSHS staff immediately whenever an Authorized User in possession of such credentials is terminated or otherwise leaves the employ of the Contractor, and whenever an Authorized User’s duties change such that the Authorized User no longer requires access to perform work for this Contract.

g. **Data storage on portable devices or media.**

(1) Except where otherwise specified herein, DSHS Data shall not be stored by the Contractor on portable devices or media unless specifically authorized within the terms and conditions of the Contract. If so authorized, the Data shall be given the following protections:
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(a) Encrypt the Data.

(b) Control access to devices with a Unique User ID and Hardened Password or stronger authentication method such as a physical token or biometrics.

(c) Manually lock devices whenever they are left unattended and set devices to lock automatically after a period of inactivity, if this feature is available. Maximum period of inactivity is 20 minutes.

(d) Apply administrative and physical security controls to Portable Devices and Portable Media by:
   i. Keeping them in a Secure Area when not in use,
   ii. Using check-in/check-out procedures when they are shared, and
   iii. Taking frequent inventories.

(2) When being transported outside of a Secure Area, Portable Devices and Portable Media with DSHS Confidential Information must be under the physical control of Contractor staff with authorization to access the Data, even if the Data is encrypted.

h. Data stored for backup purposes.

(1) DSHS Confidential Information may be stored on Portable Media as part of a Contractor's existing, documented backup process for business continuity or disaster recovery purposes. Such storage is authorized until such time as that media would be reused during the course of normal backup operations. If backup media is retired while DSHS Confidential Information still exists upon it, such media will be destroyed at that time in accordance with the disposition requirements below in Section 8 Data Disposition.

(2) Data may be stored on non-portable media (e.g. Storage Area Network drives, virtual media, etc.) as part of a Contractor’s existing, documented backup process for business continuity or disaster recovery purposes. If so, such media will be protected as otherwise described in this exhibit. If this media is retired while DSHS Confidential Information still exists upon it, the data will be destroyed at that time in accordance with the disposition requirements below in Section 8 Data Disposition.

i. Cloud storage. DSHS Confidential Information requires protections equal to or greater than those specified elsewhere within this exhibit. Cloud storage of Data is problematic as neither DSHS nor the Contractor has control of the environment in which the Data is stored. For this reason:

(1) DSHS Data will not be stored in any consumer grade Cloud solution, unless all of the following conditions are met:

   (a) Contractor has written procedures in place governing use of the Cloud storage and Contractor attests in writing that all such procedures will be uniformly followed.

   (b) The Data will be Encrypted while within the Contractor network.

   (c) The Data will remain Encrypted during transmission to the Cloud.
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(d) The Data will remain Encrypted at all times while residing within the Cloud storage solution.

(e) The Contractor will possess a decryption key for the Data, and the decryption key will be possessed only by the Contractor and/or DSHS.

(f) The Data will not be downloaded to non-authorized systems, meaning systems that are not on either the DSHS or Contractor networks.

(g) The Data will not be decrypted until downloaded onto a computer within the control of an Authorized User and within either the DSHS or Contractor’s network.

(2) Data will not be stored on an Enterprise Cloud storage solution unless either:

(a) The Cloud storage provider is treated as any other Sub-Contractor, and agrees in writing to all of the requirements within this exhibit; or,

(b) The Cloud storage solution used is FedRAMP certified.

(3) If the Data includes protected health information covered by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), the Cloud provider must sign a Business Associate Agreement prior to Data being stored in their Cloud solution.

6. System Protection. To prevent compromise of systems which contain DSHS Data or through which that Data passes:

a. Systems containing DSHS Data must have all security patches or hotfixes applied within 3 months of being made available.

b. The Contractor will have a method of ensuring that the requisite patches and hotfixes have been applied within the required timeframes.

c. Systems containing DSHS Data shall have an Anti-Malware application, if available, installed.

d. Anti-Malware software shall be kept up to date. The product, its anti-virus engine, and any malware database the system uses, will be no more than one update behind current.

7. Data Segregation.

a. DSHS Data must be segregated or otherwise distinguishable from non-DSHS data. This is to ensure that when no longer needed by the Contractor, all DSHS Data can be identified for return or destruction. It also aids in determining whether DSHS Data has or may have been compromised in the event of a security breach. As such, one or more of the following methods will be used for data segregation.

   (1) DSHS Data will be kept on media (e.g. hard disk, optical disc, tape, etc.) which will contain no non-DSHS Data. And/or,

   (2) DSHS Data will be stored in a logical container on electronic media, such as a partition or folder dedicated to DSHS Data. And/or,

   (3) DSHS Data will be stored in a database which will contain no non-DSHS data. And/or,
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(4) DSHS Data will be stored within a database and will be distinguishable from non-DSHS data by the value of a specific field or fields within database records.

(5) When stored as physical paper documents, DSHS Data will be physically segregated from non-DSHS data in a drawer, folder, or other container.

b. When it is not feasible or practical to segregate DSHS Data from non-DSHS data, then both the DSHS Data and the non-DSHS data with which it is commingled must be protected as described in this exhibit.

8. **Data Disposition.** When the contracted work has been completed or when the Data is no longer needed, except as noted above in Section 5.b, Data shall be returned to DSHS or destroyed. Media on which Data may be stored and associated acceptable methods of destruction are as follows:

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<td>Server or workstation hard disks, or</td>
<td>Using a “wipe” utility which will overwrite the Data at least three (3) times using either random or single character data, or</td>
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<td>Removable media (e.g. floppies, USB flash drives,</td>
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<td>portable hard disks) excluding optical discs</td>
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| Paper documents with sensitive or Confidential     | Recycling through a contracted firm, provided the contract with the recycler assures that the confidentiality of Data will be protected. |
| Information                                         |                                                                 |

| Paper documents containing Confidential Information | On-site shredding, pulping, or incineration                     |
| requiring special handling (e.g. protected health   |                                                                 |
| information)                                        |                                                                 |

| Optical discs (e.g. CDs or DVDs)                    | Incineration, shredding, or completely defacing the readable surface with a coarse abrasive |

| Magnetic tape                                       | Degaussing, incinerating or crosscut shredding                  |

9. **Notification of Compromise or Potential Compromise.** The compromise or potential compromise of DSHS shared Data must be reported to the DSHS Contact designated in the Contract within one (1) business day of discovery. If no DSHS Contact is designated in the Contract, then the notification must be reported to the DSHS Privacy Officer at dshsprivacyofficer@dshs.wa.gov. Contractor must also take actions to mitigate the risk of loss and comply with any notification or other requirements imposed by law or DSHS.

10. **Data shared with Subcontractors.** If DSHS Data provided under this Contract is to be shared with a subcontractor, the Contract with the subcontractor must include all of the data security provisions within this Contract and within any amendments, attachments, or exhibits within this Contract. If the Contractor cannot protect the Data as articulated within this Contract, then the contract with the subcontractor must be submitted to the DSHS Contact specified for this contract for review and approval.
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Exhibit B

Mandatory COVID-19 Safety Measures

On February 29, 2020, Governor Jay Inslee issued Proclamation 20-06, proclaiming a State of Emergency for all counties throughout the state of Washington as a result of the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) outbreak in the United States. Governor Inslee and Secretary of Health John Wiesman announced a statewide mandatory face covering order that went into effect on June 26, 2020. When more Washingtonians wear face coverings in public, the combined effect can greatly reduce transmission of COVID-19 from person to person, saving lives and helping us open the economy safely and wisely. This mandatory guidance is detailed in three orders (as amended by Order of the Secretary of Health 20-03.1) and applies to the entire state of Washington.

The three face covering orders are:

a. The workplace order: Washington employers are required to ensure workers are wearing face coverings at work in almost all situations. Employers must provide face coverings if workers do not have them; employers are responsible to comply with this order, and the Department of Labor & Industries enforces it.

b. The general public order: This order from the secretary of health requires Washingtonians, with some exceptions, to wear face coverings in public spaces (indoors in most situations, and outdoors when proper physical distancing can’t be maintained). People are individually responsible to comply with this order; and

c. The governor’s order for customers in businesses: This order from Governor Inslee says businesses cannot allow customers to enter their premises without face coverings. Other accommodations can be offered for customers who cannot wear masks. Businesses, with the help of local law enforcement if needed, are responsible to comply with this order.

1. The Contractor acknowledges it is responsible for complying in full with any new orders or modifications to the existing orders listed above concerning safe conduct with respect to COVID-19.

2. The Contractor acknowledges that COVID-19 is an event beyond the parties’ reasonable control and it is not possible to foresee (or advisable to try and foresee) its duration, impact or extent (including measures and recommendations that may be put in place by regulators). Where work takes place within Washington state, the Contractor must follow all regulatory measures and recommendations as set forth by state officials, including those requiring personal protective equipment (PPE) to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

3. Where COVID-19 impacts result in non-performance or partial-performance under the Contract any corresponding monetary obligations by DSHS shall be excused or adjusted pro-rata until such time as the required performance is completed or continues. The parties will act reasonably and in good-faith to discuss any affected obligations or related issues, identify potential workarounds and will document any agreed changes to this Contract in accordance with the Contract Change Order or Amendment process set forth in this Contract.