

- h. Exhibit H entitled "General Terms and Conditions," is attached hereto and made a part of this contract.
- i. Exhibit I entitled "Contractor Certification Clauses," is attached hereto and made part of this contract.

#### **4. Definitions**

- a. "Allocate" means to forward to the Contractor a contract or contract amendment which has been executed by the State and specifies an amount, or augmented amount, of money available to Contractor to affect the terms of this agreement.
- b. "ARCA" means the Association of Regional Center Agencies.
- c. "State" means the Department of Developmental Services and only the Department of Developmental Services.
- d. "Director" means the director of the Department of Developmental Services.
- e. "Lanterman Act" means Division 4.5 of the (W&I Code) Section 4500, et seq., known and cited as the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act.
- f. "Operations Budget" means that portion of a Contractor's budget allocation set forth in Exhibit A, that is intended for the delivery of regional center "direct consumer services" and "administration."
- g. "Direct Consumer Services" means those direct services to persons with developmental disabilities delivered by Contractor. These services include but are not limited to case management, funds management for persons with developmental disabilities, rights assurance, diagnosis and assessment, intake, prevention, quality assurance, program development, and other services under the Lanterman Act provided directly by Contractor.
- h. "Administration" means those support activities required of Contractor that are essential to the efficient conduct of business.
- i. "Total Purchase of Service Budget" means that portion of Contractor's budget allocation set forth in Exhibit A which is intended to support the purchase of services (POS) and programs for persons with developmental disabilities.
- j. "Regional Center" means an agency operated by a nonprofit corporation chartered in the State of California (hereinafter referred to as "Contractor") that provides fixed points of contact in the community for persons with developmental disabilities and their families, to the end that such persons

may have access to the facilities and services best suited to them throughout their lifetimes.

- k. "GAP Funds" means that portion of the POS appropriation that is intended to pay for services to newly developed ICF-DD/H, ICF-DD/N, and DD/CNC (formerly known as ICF/DD-CN) health facilities for the period between licensure and certification of the facilities.
- l. "Artificial Intelligence" or "AI" means an engineered or machine-based system that varies in its level of autonomy and that can, for explicit or implicit objectives, infer from the input it receives how to generate outputs that can influence physical or virtual environments. This shall include the definition of artificial intelligence set forth in Section 4819.2 of the State Administrative Manual, as amended from time to time.
- m. "Generative Artificial Intelligence" or "GenAI" means the class of artificial intelligence (AI) models that emulate the structure and characteristics of input data, or the artificial intelligence's training data, in order to generate derived synthetic content. This can include images, videos, audio, text, and other digital content generated by artificial intelligence, and shall include the definition of generative artificial intelligence set forth in Section 4819.2 of the State Administrative Manual, as amended from time to time.

## **5. Control Requirements**

The Contractor shall comply with all California statutes, laws, and regulations applicable to nonprofit corporations. Contractor shall also render services to persons with developmental disabilities in accordance with applicable federal and California statutes, regulations, ARC v. DDS (1985) 38 Cal.3d.384 and the terms of this contract.

## **6. Contractor Service Area or Counties:**

Contractor's regional center serves that portion of Los Angeles County which includes the East Valley, San Fernando, West Valley, and Antelope Valley County Health Districts.

## **7. Copyrights/Patents**

Except as provided in this agreement, the Contractor may seek patents or copyrights for inventions, copyrightable materials or other original work product which has been commissioned, funded or developed by the Contractor with funds provided by the State, or otherwise produced in performance of this contract, subject to the rights of the State as set forth in this Section. Inventions, for the purposes of this Section, may include, but not be limited to, prosthetic devices, auxiliary learning aids or any other professional aids of a mechanical nature. Copyrightable materials, for the purposes of this Section, may include, but not be limited to data, plans, drawings, specifications, reports, operating manuals, notes or other consultant work. The State shall have the right to manufacture, reproduce, publish, use and/or distribute all such inventions or