HUMAN SERVICES FUNDING AGREEMENT

EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT

Legistar ID Number: 23-0768D

THIS AGREEMENT (Agreement) is effective upon the date last entered below, by and between **PINELLAS COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereinafter called the "COUNTY," and MORE Health, INC, a non-profit Florida corporation, whose address is 3821 Henderson Blvd, Tampa, Florida 33629, hereinafter called the "AGENCY."

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the **COUNTY** serves as a pass-through entity for the US Dept. of Justice Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (Grant); and

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2023, the Board of County Commissioners (Board) approved the recommendations made by the Pinellas Substance Abuse Advisory Board (SAAB) for the distribution of the Grant's local funding allocation; and

WHEREAS, the **COUNTY** recognizes that the **AGENCY** is providing an essential service within the community; and

WHEREAS, the health and well-being of Pinellas County residents are critical for a prosperous and sustainable community; and

WHEREAS, health is influenced by many factors beyond genetics and medical care, including the social, economic, service, and physical environments, both natural and built, and the conditions in which people live, learn, work, play, and age. These environments and conditions are known as the social determinants of health; and

WHEREAS, policies implemented by the **COUNTY** related to food access, housing, transportation, public safety, education, criminal justice, and economic development significantly affect health inequities and the social determinants of health; and

WHEREAS, the services of the **AGENCY** help address the shortage in mental health and substance abuse treatment; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto do mutually agree as follows:

1. Recitals

The above "WHEREAS" clauses are incorporated into and are made a part of this Agreement.

2. **Grant Specific Information**

This project shall be undertaken and accomplished in accordance with the terms and conditions specified herein and the exhibit and appendices named below, which are attached hereto and by reference incorporated herein: Exhibit A contains standard Contract Provisions for Contracts Under Federal Awards; Attachment 1 contains the Statement of Work and Budget; Exhibit B contains the Notice of Award, and the Florida Department of Law Enforcement Subaward Standard Conditions.

2 C.F.R. § 200.331(a)(1) (Federal Award Identification) requires that certain specific information about JAG be included in this Agreement. Such information, consistent with the accordant subsections under 2 C.F.R. § 200.331(a)(1), follows:

- a. Subrecipient's name: MORE HEALTH, Inc.
- b. Subrecipient's Unique Entity Identifier number: **GNNLLKHAXX98**
- c. Federal Award Identification Number: 15PBJA-22-GG-00656-MUMU
- d. Federal Award Date: 9/16/2022
- e. Subaward Period of Performance Start and End Date: 10/01/2023 9/30/2024
- f. Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Action by the Pass Through-Entity to the Subrecipient: \$25,000.00

- g. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated to the Subrecipient by the Pass-Through
 Entity Including the Current Obligation: \$25,000.00
- h. Total Amount of the Federal Award committed to the Subrecipient by the Pass-Through Entity: \$25,000.00
- Federal Award Project Description, as Required to be Responsive to the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act: The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Countywide.
- j. Name of Federal Awarding Agency, Pass-Through Entity, and Contact Information for Awarding Official of the Pass-Through Entity:

Federal Awarding Agency:

U.S. Department of Justice,

Tarasa Napolitano, Program Manager

(202) 598-7372

Through:

Florida Department of Law Enforcement

Avery McCammon, Office of Criminal Justice Grants

(850) 617-1266

Pass-Through Entity:

Pinellas County Board of County Commissioners

Contact Information for Awarding Official of the Pass-Through Entity:

Karen Yatchum, Pinellas County Human Services

440 Court Street, 2nd Floor

Clearwater, FL 33756

Grants@pinellas.gov

- k. CFDA Number and Name; the Pass-Through Entity Must Identify the Dollar Amount Made Available Under Each Federal Award and the CFDA Number at the Time of Disbursement:
 - i. CFDA Number (at time of disbursement): 16.738
 - ii. CFDA Name: Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance GrantProgram
 - iii. Total Dollar Amount Available Under this Federal Award: \$250,805.00
- 1. Identification of Whether the Award is R&D: Not an R&D award
- m. Indirect Cost Rate for the Federal Award: No Indirect Cost Rate claimed

3. Scope of Services.

AGENCY shall provide services as described in Attachment 1, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

4. Term of Agreement.

- a. The term of this Agreement commences upon execution of this Agreement by both Parties and shall expire on September 30, 2024. Following the commencement of this Agreement, reimbursement for service and costs rendered by the **AGENCY** on or after October 1, 2023, may be invoiced.
- b. Services shall not be rendered by the **AGENCY** until Grantor provides Notice to **COUNTY** that Grant program costs can be incurred, and **COUNTY** informs the **AGENCY** as such.

5. Compensation.

a. The **COUNTY** agrees to pay the **AGENCY** an amount not to exceed Twenty-five

thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) per fiscal year for the services described in Section 3 of this Agreement.

- b. All requests for reimbursement payments must be submitted on a quarterly basis, signed by an authorized **AGENCY** representative, and accompanied by documentation including the cost of services provided, invoices, receipts, and/or copies of time slips or pay stubs which verify the services for which reimbursement is sought, as applicable and required by the **COUNTY**. Invoices shall be sent electronically to the Contract Manager within thirty (30) days of the end of the quarter. The **COUNTY** shall not reimburse the **AGENCY** for any expenditures in excess of the amount budgeted without prior approval or notification. Invoicing due dates may be shortened as necessary to meet fiscal year deadlines or grant requirements.
- c. The **COUNTY** shall reimburse the **AGENCY** in accordance with the Florida Prompt Payment Act upon receipt of the invoice and required documentation. When the required documentation and/or reports are incomplete or untimely, the **COUNTY** may withhold payment for the unvalidated amount and/or short pay the undisputed payment amount until such time as the **COUNTY** accepts the remedied documentation and/or reports.
- d. Any funds used in conjunction with travel must be made in accordance with Florida Statute 112.061 or other policies as may be approved by Pinellas County Human Services in advance of travel.
- e. Any funds expended in violation of this Agreement or in violation of appropriate federal, state, and county requirements shall be refunded in full to the **COUNTY**. If this Agreement is still in force, future payments may be withheld by the **COUNTY**.
- f. The **AGENCY** shall track program income generated from services provided under this Agreement and provide a report on program income to the **COUNTY** with each invoice

submission. The **AGENCY** shall reinvest the program income into the program as approved by the **COUNTY** and/or deduct the program income from reimbursement requests. The **AGENCY** shall provide the **COUNTY** with a program income policy as applicable.

6. Data Collection and Performance Measures.

As required by the Grantor and in accordance with the timeline in Appendix A, Program data shall be submitted to the **COUNTY** no later than <u>twelve (12) days</u> following the end of the quarter of service provision. Where no activity has occurred within the preceding period, the **AGENCY** shall provide a written explanation for non-activity during the quarter, and no payments will be due and/or reimbursed.

7. **Personnel**

- a. <u>Qualified Personnel.</u> The **AGENCY** agrees that each person performing Services in connection with this Agreement shall have the required licensure and qualifications and shall fulfill the requirements set forth in this Agreement.
- b. Notification and Replacement of Personnel. The AGENCY shall provide the names and qualifications of the AGENCY Personnel assigned to perform Services pursuant to the Agreement in writing within ten (10 days) of request. The COUNTY, on a reasonable basis, shall have the right to require the removal and replacement of any of the AGENCY Personnel performing Services, at any time during the term of the Agreement. The COUNTY will notify the AGENCY in writing in the event the COUNTY requires such action. The AGENCY shall accomplish any such removal within forty-eight (48) hours after receipt of notice from the COUNTY and shall promptly replace such person with another person, acceptable to the COUNTY, with sufficient knowledge and expertise to perform the Services assigned to such individual in accordance with this Agreement. In situations where individual AGENCY Personnel

are prohibited by applicable law from providing Services, removal and replacement of such **AGENCY** Personnel shall be immediate and not subject to such forty-eight (48) hour replacement timeframe.

- c. The **AGENCY** shall, within three (3) business days of changes, submit written notification by electronic mail to their Contract Manager if any of the following positions are to be changed and identify the individual and qualifications of the successor or plan to recruit a successor:
 - i. Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
 - ii. Chief Operations Officer (COO)
 - iii. Chief Financial Officer (CFO)
 - iv. Chief Information Technology Officer (CITO) or
 - v. Any other equivalent position within the **AGENCY**'s Organizational chart.
 - vi. Integral personnel funded through this Agreement or direct Supervisors of personnel funded through this Agreement

8. **Monitoring.**

- a. The **AGENCY** will cooperate in monitoring site visits including, but not limited to, review of staff, fiscal and client records, programmatic documents, and will provide related information at any reasonable time.
- b. The **AGENCY** will submit other reports and information in such formats and at such times as may be prescribed by the **COUNTY**.
- c. The **AGENCY** shall submit reports on any monitoring of the program funded in whole or in part by the **COUNTY** that are conducted by federal, state or local governmental agencies or other funders within ten (10) days of the **AGENCY's** receipt of the monitoring report.

- d. If the **AGENCY** receives licensing and accreditation reviews, each review shall be submitted to the **COUNTY** within ten (10) days of receipt by the **AGENCY**.
- e. All monitoring reports will be as detailed as may be reasonably requested by the COUNTY and will be deemed incomplete if not satisfactory to the COUNTY as determined in its sole reasonable discretion. Reports will contain the information or be in the format as may be requested by the COUNTY. If approved by the COUNTY, the COUNTY will accept a report from another monitoring agency in lieu of reports customarily required by the COUNTY.

9. **Documentation.**

The **AGENCY** shall maintain and provide the following documents upon request by the **COUNTY** within three (3) business days of receiving the request, as applicable:

- a. Articles of Incorporation
- b. **AGENCY** By-Laws
- c. Past twelve (12) months of financial statements and receipts
- d. Membership list of governing board
- e. All legally required licenses
- f. Latest agency financial audit and management letter
- g. Biographical data on the **AGENCY** chief executive and program director
- h. Equal Employment Opportunity Program
- i. Inventory system (equipment records)
- j. IRS Status Certification/501 (c) (3)
- k. Current job descriptions for staff positions and **AGENCY** Organizational Chart
- 1. Match documentation

10. **Special Situations.**

The AGENCY agrees to inform the COUNTY within one (1) business day of any circumstances or events which may reasonably be considered to jeopardize its capability to continue to meet its obligations under the terms of this Agreement. Circumstances or events may include, but are not limited to, those resulting in injury, media coverage or public reaction that may have an impact on the AGENCY's or the COUNTY's ability to protect and serve its participants, or other significant effect on the AGENCY or the COUNTY. Circumstances or events shall be reported to the designated COUNTY contact in the form prescribed by the COUNTY.

11. Amendment/Modification.

In addition to applicable federal, state and local statutes and regulations, this Agreement expresses the entire understanding of the parties concerning the matters covered herein. Unless specifically indicated herein, no addition to, or alteration of, the terms of this Agreement, whether by written or verbal understanding of the parties, their officers, agents or employees, shall be valid unless made in the form of a written amendment to this Agreement and formally approved by the parties. Budget or operational modifications that do not result in an increase of funding, change the underlying public purpose of this Agreement or otherwise amend the terms of this Agreement shall be submitted in the format prescribed and provided by the **COUNTY** which is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Attachment 2.

12. **Termination.**

- a. The **COUNTY** shall have the right to cancel this Agreement without cause by giving thirty (30) days prior notice to the other party in writing of the intention to cancel.
- b. Failure of the **AGENCY** to comply with any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a material breach of the Agreement. Where the **COUNTY** determines that a

material breach can be corrected, the **AGENCY** shall be given thirty (30) days to cure said breach. If the **AGENCY** fails to cure, or if the breach is of the nature that the **COUNTY** has determined cannot be corrected, or that the harm caused cannot be undone, the **COUNTY** may immediately terminate this Agreement, with cause, upon notice in writing to the **AGENCY**.

- c. In the event sufficient budgeted funds are not available for a new fiscal period or are otherwise encumbered, the **COUNTY** shall notify the **AGENCY** of such occurrence and the Agreement shall terminate on the last day of the then current fiscal period without penalty or expense to the **COUNTY**.
- d. In the event the **AGENCY** uses any funds provided by this Agreement for any purpose or program other than authorized under this Agreement, the **AGENCY** shall repay such amount and, at the option of the **COUNTY**, be deemed to have waived the privilege of receiving additional funds under this Agreement.

13. <u>Assignment/Subcontracting.</u>

- a. This Agreement, and any rights or obligations hereunder, shall not be assigned, transferred or delegated to any other person or entity. Any purported assignment in violation of this section shall be null and void.
- b. The AGENCY is fully responsible for completion of the Services required by this Agreement and for completion of all subcontractor work, if authorized as provided herein. The AGENCY shall not subcontract any work under this Agreement to any subcontractor other than the subcontractors specified in the proposal and previously approved by the COUNTY, without the prior written consent of the COUNTY, which shall be determined by the COUNTY in its sole discretion.

14. Non-Exclusive Services.

During the term of this Agreement, and any extensions thereof, the **COUNTY** reserves the right to contract for another provider for similar services as it determines necessary in its sole discretion.

15. **Indemnification**

The AGENCY agrees to indemnify, pay the cost of defense, including attorney's fees, and hold harmless the COUNTY, its officers, employees and agents from all damages, suits, actions or claims, including reasonable attorney's fees incurred by the COUNTY, of any character brought on account of any injuries or damages received or sustained by any person, persons, or property, or in any way relating to or arising from the Agreement; or on account of any act or omission, neglect or misconduct of the AGENCY; or by, or on account of, any claim or amounts recovered under the Workers' Compensation Law or of any other laws, regulations, ordinance, order or decree; or arising from or by reason of any actual or claimed trademark, patent or copyright infringement or litigation based thereon; except only such injury or damage as shall have been occasioned by the sole negligence of the COUNTY.

16. **Insurance.**

The **AGENCY** shall comply with the insurance requirements set out in Attachment 3, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

17. Public Entities Crimes.

The **AGENCY** is directed to the Florida Public Entities Crime Act, Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, and represents to the **COUNTY** that the **AGENCY** is qualified to transact business with public entities in Florida and that its performance of the Agreement will comply with all applicable laws including those referenced herein. The **AGENCY** represents and certifies that the **AGENCY** is and will at all times remain eligible for and perform the services subject to the requirements of

these, and other applicable, laws. The **AGENCY** agrees that any contract awarded to the **AGENCY** will be subject to termination by the **COUNTY** if the **AGENCY** fails to comply or to maintain such compliance.

18. **Business Practices.**

- a. The **AGENCY** shall utilize financial procedures in accordance with generally accepted accounting procedures and Florida Statutes, including adequate supporting documents, to account for the use of funds provided by the **COUNTY**.
- b. The **AGENCY** shall retain all records (programmatic, property, personnel, and financial) relating to this Agreement for five (5) years after final payment is made.
- c. All **AGENCY** records relating to this Agreement shall be subject to audit by the **COUNTY** and the **AGENCY** shall provide an independent audit to the **COUNTY**, if so requested by the **COUNTY**.
- d. The **AGENCY** shall permit access to records by the pass-through entities and/or federal awarding agency.

19. **Public Records.**

The AGENCY acknowledges that information and data it manages as part of the services may be public records in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes and Pinellas County public records policies. The AGENCY agrees that prior to providing services it will implement policies and procedures to maintain, produce, secure, and retain public records in accordance with applicable laws, regulations, and the AGENCY policies, including but not limited to the Section 119.0701, Florida Statutes. Specifically, section 119.0701 requires AGENCY perform the following:

a. Keep and maintain public records required by the **COUNTY** to perform the service.

- b. Upon request from the **COUNTY**'s custodian of public records, provide the **COUNTY** with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119 or as otherwise provided by law.
- c. Ensure that public records that are deemed exempt and/or confidential are exempted from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the contract if the **AGENCY** does not transfer the records to the **COUNTY**.
- d. Upon completion of the contract, transfer, at no cost to the COUNTY, all public records in possession of the AGENCY or keep and maintain public records required by the COUNTY to perform the service. If the contractor transfers all public records to the COUNTY upon completion of the contract, the AGENCY shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the AGENCY keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the AGENCY shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the COUNTY, upon request from the COUNTY's public agency's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the COUNTY.

IF THE AGENCY HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE AGENCY'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

Public Records Liaison

440 Court St., 2nd Floor Clearwater, FL 33756 astanton@pinellascounty.org

(727) 464-8437

20. **Nondiscrimination.**

- a. Pursuant to Section 2.02(e) of the Pinellas County Code Protection of human rights. The **COUNTY** shall establish provisions, pursuant to state and federal law, for protection of human rights from discrimination based upon religion, political affiliation, race, color, age, sex, or national origin by providing and ensuring equal rights and opportunities for all people of Pinellas County.
- b. The **AGENCY** shall not discriminate against any applicant for employment or employee with respect to hire, tenure, terms, conditions or privileges of employment or any matter directly or indirectly related to employment or against any client because of age, sex, race, ethnicity, color, religion, national origin, disability, marital status, or sexual orientation.
- c. The **AGENCY** shall not discriminate against any person on the basis of age, sex, race, ethnicity, color, religion, national origin, disability, marital status or sexual orientation in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services and activities.
- d. The **AGENCY** shall, during the performance of this Agreement, comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state and local laws and regulations pertaining to prohibited discrimination.
- e. At no time will clients served under this Agreement be segregated or separated in a manner that may distinguish them from other clients being served by the **AGENCY**.

21. Conflicts of Interest.

a. No officer, member, or employee of the **COUNTY**, and no member of its governing body, and no other public official of the governing body of any locality in which the

program is situated or being carried out who exercises any functions or responsibility in the review or approval of the undertaking or carrying out of this program, shall participate in any decisions relating to this Agreement which affect his/her personal interest or the interest of any corporation, partnership, or association in which he/she is, directly or indirectly, interested; nor shall any such officer, member, or employee of the **COUNTY**, or any member of its governing body, or public official of the governing body of any locality in which the program is situated or being carried out, who exercises any functions or responsibilities in the review or approval of the undertaking or carrying out of this program, have any interest, direct or indirect, in this Agreement or the proceeds thereof.

b. The AGENCY shall promptly notify the COUNTY in writing of any business association, interest, or other circumstance which constitutes a conflict of interest as provided herein. If the AGENCY is in doubt as to whether a prospective business association, interest, or other circumstance constitutes a conflict of interest, the AGENCY may identify the prospective business association, interest or circumstance, the nature of work that the AGENCY may undertake and request an opinion as to whether the business association, interest or circumstance constitutes a conflict of interest if entered into by the AGENCY. The COUNTY agrees to notify the AGENCY of its opinion within ten (10) calendar days of receipt of notification by the AGENCY, which shall be binding on the AGENCY.

22. Independent Contractor.

It is expressly understood and agreed by the parties that the **AGENCY** is at all times hereunder acting and performing as an independent contractor and not as an agent, servant, or employee of the **COUNTY**. No agent, employee, or servant of the **AGENCY** shall be, or shall be deemed to be, the agent or servant of the **COUNTY**. None of the benefits provided by the

COUNTY to their employees including, but not limited to, Worker's Compensation Insurance and Unemployment Insurance are available from the **COUNTY** to the employees, agents, or servants of the **AGENCY**.

23. Additional Funding.

Funds from this Agreement shall be used as the matching portion for any federal grant only in the manner provided by federal and state law and applicable federal and state rules and regulations. The **AGENCY** agrees to make all reasonable efforts to obtain funding from additional sources wherever said **AGENCY** may qualify. Should this Agreement reflect a required match, documentation of said match is required to be provided to the **COUNTY**.

24. **Governing Law.**

The laws of the State of Florida shall govern this Agreement.

25. Conformity to the Law.

The **AGENCY** shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and ordinances and any rules or regulations adopted thereunder.

26. **<u>E-VERIFY</u>**

- a. The **AGENCY** must register with and use the E-verify system in accordance with Florida Statute 448.095. The **AGENCY** shall submit an affidavit of compliance with this section at the start of this agreement.
- b. If the **AGENCY** enters into a contract with a Subcontractor, the Subcontractor must provide the **AGENCY** with an affidavit stating that the Subcontractor does not employ, contract with, or subcontract with unauthorized aliens. The Contractor must maintain a copy of the affidavit for the duration of the contract.

- c. If the **COUNTY**, the **AGENCY**, or Subcontractor has a good faith belief that a person or entity with which it is contracting has knowingly violated Florida Statute 448.09(1), the party shall immediately terminate the contract with the person or entity.
- d. If the **COUNTY** has a good faith belief that a Subcontractor knowingly violated this provision, but the **AGENCY** otherwise complied with this provision, the **COUNTY** will notify the **AGENCY** and order that the **AGENCY** immediately terminate the contract with the Subcontractor.
- e. A contract terminated under the provisions of this section is not a breach of contract and may not considered such. Any contract termination under the provisions of this section may be challenged to Section 448.095(2)(d), Florida Statute. The AGENCY acknowledges upon termination of this agreement by the COUNTY for violation of this section by AGENCY, the AGENCY may not be awarded a public contract for at least one (1) year. The AGENCY acknowledges that the AGENCY is liable for any additional costs incurred by the COUNTY as a result of termination of any contract for a violation of this section.
- f. The **AGENCY** shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in this section, requiring the subcontracts to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The **AGENCY** shall be responsible for compliance by any Subcontractor or Lower Tier Subcontractor with the clause set for in this section.

27. Prior Agreement, Waiver, and Severability.

This Agreement supersedes any prior Agreements between the Parties and is the sole basis for agreement between the Parties in regard to this matter. The waiver of either party of a violation or default of any provision of this Agreement shall not operate as, or be construed to be, a waiver of any subsequent violation or default hereof. If any provision, or any portion thereof, contained

in this Agreement is held unconstitutional, invalid, or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or portion thereof, shall be deemed severable, shall not be affected, and shall remain in full force and effect.

28. Agreement Management and Notice.

All notices and other communications referred to and required herein must either be given by US Postal Service mail or Email, unless otherwise specified herein, to the parties as shown below. The effective date of any notice sent via email shall be the date of receipt, provided such receipt has been confirmed by the recipient. Each party must advise the other parties of any status change concerning this Notice section.

Pinellas County Human Services designates the following person(s) as the liaison for the **COUNTY:**

Abigail Stanton, Contracts Division Director Pinellas County Human Services 440 Court Street, 2nd Floor Clearwater, Florida 33756 astanton@pinellas.gov

AGENCY designates the following person(s) as the liaison:

Carlene Lemaster, Operations Manager
MORE Health, INC
3821 Henderson Blvd
Tampa, Florida 33629
clemaster@morehealthinc.org
(813) 288-0378

SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be executed on the day and year written below.

| APPROVED AS TO FORM | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| By: _ | Cody J. Ward |
| • | Office of the County Attorney |

PINELLAS COUNTY, FLORIDA, by and through its County Administrator

By: Burlow

Barry A. Burton

Date: October 21 ____, 2023

MORE HEALTH, INC.

Karen Buckenheimer, Executive Director

Date: Oct 1 , 2023

ATTACHMENT 1 FFY22 JAGC FUNDING- PROJECT SUMMARY

Agency: MORE Health, Inc.

Program: Firearm and Violence Prevention Education

Grant Term: October 1, 2023-September 30, 2024

Human Services Priority Area: Justice Programs

JAG Program Area/Performance Reporting Area: Prevention and Education/ Crime Prevention

Target Population and Eligibility Criteria:

MORE Health's target population includes public, private, and charter, elementary, and middle school children in Pinellas County. All area schools are eligible to schedule the Firearm Safety program. MORE Health makes every effort to provide the life-saving Firearm Safety Lessons to all schools that request it.

Scope of Services:

The Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention program will provide at least 340 Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention presentations to Pinellas County students one class at a time. Third-grade students, at the discretion of their classroom teacher, will also watch a video entitled "What is a Hero?"

Middle school students with be taught the Firearm Safety lesson 2, "Respect, Reason, Responsibility".

Program Goals:

- The Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention program will provide at least 340 Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention presentations to approximately 7,000 students.
- Host at least one community event, with at least 25 people attending.

Reports:

Quarterly and year-end reporting are required.

- Report #1: October 1, 2023, thru December 31, 2023
 - o Report due January 11, 2024
- Report #2: January 1, 2024, thru March 31, 2024
 - o Report due April 11, 2024

- Report #3: April 1, 2024, thru June 30, 2024
 - o Report due July 11, 2024
- Report #4: July 1, 2024, thru September 30, 2024
 - o Report due October 11, 2024
- SAAB Report a verbal and written presentation on the outcomes of the program
 - o Will be done during the Fall SAAB Meeting

Project Budget:

Award Amount: \$25,000.00 Unit Cost = \$73.53 per class Will cover approximately 340 classrooms

- Instructor Teaching Time will teach approximately 340 classrooms @\$26.00 per classroom = \$8,840.
- Program Coordinator will work with school administration to schedule the presentations in each school, prepare and order the pre/post visit printing, train the instructors, observe instructors in the classroom. 340 classrooms x \$16.80 = 5,712.
- Project Manager will oversee the project, ensuring the schools are scheduled, reviewing pre and post-test, classroom evaluations, attend meetings, process reports, hold meetings, etc. 340 classrooms \$8.51 = 2,893.40
- Fringe Benefits @ 10.5% = 2,616.81
- Materials, supplies, and mileage is 14.52% of the unit cost = \$4,936.80.