

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS  
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services *me*

BOARD AGENDA # \*B-1\*

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE September 16, 2008

CEO Concur with Recommendation YES  NO   
(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES  NO

SUBJECT:

Approval to Submit Applications to California Board of Pharmacy for Permits for Outpatient Clinics – Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Authorize Behavioral Health and Recovery Services to submit Pharmacy Permit applications and Change of Pharmacy Permit applications to the California Board of Pharmacy for the twelve outpatient sites noted in Attachment A.
2. Approve the site names as noted on Attachment A.
3. Authorize the Behavioral Health Director or her designee to sign the applications to the California Board of Pharmacy and any future applications pursuant to this request.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of applying for a Pharmacy Permit is waived for government entities. The cost of contracting for a Consulting Pharmacist has already been included in the Department's proposed budget. There is no additional County General Fund impact associated with this agenda item.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2008-653

On motion of Supervisor Grover, Seconded by Supervisor Monteith  
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Grover, Monteith, and Vice-Chairman DeMartini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: Mayfield

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2) \_\_\_\_\_ Denied

3) \_\_\_\_\_ Approved as amended

4) \_\_\_\_\_ Other:

MOTION:

*Christine Ferraro*

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.

**DISCUSSION:**

Behavioral Health and Recovery Services provides medication management services to residents with mental illness to assist with their treatment and recovery. This service includes prescribing and dispensing pharmaceutical company samples. The California State Board of Pharmacy and California Code, Article 13, Sections 4180-4186, require clinics to follow specific procedures in order to dispense the samples. Included in these procedures is a requirement for the clinic to obtain and maintain a Pharmacy Permit.

To fulfill many of the Code requirements, Behavioral Health and Recovery Services has contracted with a local pharmacy to serve as the Consulting Pharmacist. The Consulting Pharmacist is required to collaborate with the Department on the development and review of policies and procedures related to medications, certify compliance with regulatory requirements at the time of the annual permit review, be available for consultation, and provide an annual in-service training for medical staff.

Recently several department programs co-located at a new site on North 9<sup>th</sup> Street. Two of the programs formerly served specific areas of Modesto and were known as West Modesto Regional Services and East Modesto Regional Services. Since they are now located at the same site, they have opted to change their names to reflect the move and the focus on recovery. West Modesto Regional Services will now be known as Modesto Recovery Services. East Modesto Regional Services, provided through a contract with Telecare Corporation, will now be known as Telecare Modesto Recovery Services.

Unfortunately this creates an issue with the Board of Pharmacy who require either 1) a county fictitious name certificate, 2) articles of incorporation, or 3) a copy of the entity's Board minutes authorizing the name change. To facilitate this application and any changes to the annual renewals, the Department is requesting that the Board of Supervisors approve the site names as noted on Attachment A and authorize the Behavioral Health Director or her designee to sign these and any future applications pursuant to this request. As a contract agency, Telecare Modesto Recovery Services will submit their own Board of Pharmacy Permit Change application.

**POLICY ISSUE:**

Approval to submit applications for Board of Pharmacy Permit applications and Board of Pharmacy Change Permit applications supports the Board priorities of *A safe community* and *A healthy community*.

**STAFFING IMPACT:**

There is no impact on staffing associated with the request.

**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH & RECOVERY SERVICES  
OUTPATIENT MENTAL HEALTH CLINICS  
PHARMACY PERMITS  
9/9/08**

- 1) Senior Access Treatment Team  
Senior Access & Resource Team  
707 14<sup>th</sup> Street  
Modesto, CA 95350  
209 525-6041/7432  
CLE #1621
- 2) SED/School Based Services  
1100 Kansas Avenue, Suite B  
Modesto, CA 95351  
209 558-8884  
CLE 1630
- 3) Turlock Regional Services  
2101 Geer Road, Suite 120  
Turlock, CA 95380  
209 664-8044  
CLE 1628
- 4) Modesto Recovery Services (formerly  
Modesto Counseling Ctr and WMRS)  
500 North 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite A  
Modesto, CA 95350  
209 558-4598  
CLE 1626
- 5) Leaps & Bounds  
4640 Spyres Way, Bldg. B, Suite 7  
Modesto, CA 95356  
209 558-4595  
CLE 1762
- 6) Integrated Forensics Team  
Mental Health Tx Court  
500 North 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite C  
Modesto, CA 95350  
209 558-4420  
CLE 1759
- 7) Wellness Recovery Center  
500 North 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite A  
Modesto, CA 95350  
209 558-4610  
CLE 1620
- 8) Community Emergency Response  
Team (CERT)  
800 Scenic Drive, Bldg D  
Modesto, CA 95350  
209 558-4600 – CLE 1623
- 9) Juvenile Justice  
2215 Blue Gum Avenue  
Modesto, CA 95351  
209 525-5401  
CLE 1622
- 10) Health/Mental Health Team  
1301 G Street  
Modesto, CA 95354  
209 558-4238  
CLE 1629
- 11) BHRS-Patterson Site  
119 N. Second Street, Suite D  
Patterson, CA 95363  
209 892-8787  
CLE 1627
- 12) Oakdale Community Care  
145 Second Avenue, Suite 10  
Oakdale, CA 95361  
209 848-6018/6019  
CLE 1625