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SECTION 1: EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

1.1 ADMISSION/ENROLLMENT PROCEDURES

Prior to the CONTRACTOR deciding whether or not to enroll a pupil, the LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR a copy of the pupil's current IEP/IFSP, and facilitate an observation of the pupil, data gathering from the current or prior education providers, and any other reasonable information gathering CONTRACTOR wishes to undertake prior to making an enrollment decision. The CONTRACTOR retains the right to decline enrollment of any pupil and nothing in this contract shall be construed to limit this right.

If a pupil is being considered for enrollment, his or her IEP/IFSP shall be reviewed in collaboration with the LEA, the CONTRACTOR, parents, and other invited participants, as appropriate.

The CONTRACTOR shall notify the LEA of its decision to decline enrollment or the effective date of enrollment of the pupil in accordance with Section 24 (Notices) of this contract within ten (10) working days of receipt of the referral.

1.2 SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT

The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for providing all standard and usual supplies and equipment required for the general program provided by the CONTRACTOR. If an individual pupil's IEP/IFSP requires specialized equipment and/or supplies beyond the CONTRACTOR'S general program, the LEA shall provide them unless otherwise specified in the Individual Services Agreement. The LEA shall provide the low incidence equipment assigned to the pupil through the IEP/IFSP unless the CONTRACTOR specifically agrees in the Individual Services Agreement to provide the low incidence equipment. Supplies and/or equipment purchased and/or provided by the LEA remain the property of the LEA and supplies and/or equipment purchased and/or provided by the CONTRACTOR remain the property of the CONTRACTOR, if not specifically reimbursed by the LEA for that specific supply or equipment. If the CONTRACTOR provides DIS and/or related services, the CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for providing usual and reasonable supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of services unless otherwise agreed in the Individual Services Agreement.

1.3 CALENDAR

The CONTRACTOR shall only provide designated instruction and services during the period of the pupil's regular or extended school year program, or both, at the location designated by the IEP, unless otherwise specified by the pupil's IEP/IFSP. The CONTRACTOR shall observe the following legal holidays including Independence Day, Veteran's Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President's Day, and Memorial Day, as specified in the CONTRACTOR'S official calendar. Make-up sessions may be scheduled for other days of school vacations.

1.4 PARENT VISITS/COMMUNICATION

- a. The CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental visits to all of the agency facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting attended by pupils and recreational activity areas. The CONTRACTOR shall notify case manager or other authorized LEA representative of all planned parental visits, and provide opportunity for case manager or other LEA representative to attend visit. The CONTRACTOR shall use its good faith efforts to provide that parental visits are in agreement with a court order, if any.
- All communication between the CONTRACTOR and Parent regarding programmatic decisions must include case manager or other authorized IEP team member, unless authorized by LEA representative or case manager, regarding program recommendations.

1.5 OWNERSHIP

All activity plans, token systems, reinforce systems or inventories, visual schedules, data, drills, progress reports, quarterly reports, behavior intervention plans, behavior support plans, behavior graphs, pupil assessment results, and program materials created specifically for individual pupils by the CONTRACTOR under this Master Contract shall be the joint property of the CONTRACTOR and LEA.

1.6 STAFF ABSENCES

When a provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide appropriate coverage in accordance with EC section 56061. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the LEA the documentation of such coverage upon request. As appropriate, the CONTRACTOR and the LEA may make arrangements for make-up sessions, usually within thirty (30) days, at a mutually convenient time and location if appropriate staff is not available to provide coverage for staff absences.

The CONTRACTORS who provide nurses, 1:1 aides or 1:1 behavior intervention staff in accordance with an individual pupil's IEP/IFSP shall provide substitute coverage when the staff member is absent, unless other arrangements have been made with the LEA on a case by case basis.

SECTION 2: ATTENDANCE

The CONTRACTOR shall keep original records of services provided to each pupil in a register, report or record with the pupil's absences clearly indicated. The CONTRACTOR shall file the signed copies of such service logs with monthly invoices to the LEA within thirty (30) days of the close of the school month. The documents and reports identified in this section shall be provided to LEA pursuant to the provisions in Section 24 (Notices) of the Nonpublic Master Contract. The CONTRACTOR is responsible for verifying accuracy of the service logs and for informing subcontractors of their personal responsibility for the completion and accuracy of said forms. A unit of service for payment purposes is one session as specified in the pupil's IEP/IFSP.

If a CONTRACTOR attempts to provide services for five (5) consecutive days or sessions, and the pupil is not available for the service, the CONTRACTOR may suspend the Individual Services Agreement and notify the LEA of the need to convene a meeting of the IEP/IFSP team to attempt to resolve the problem. If a pupil's absences exceed more than ten (10) unreimbursed days, the CONTRACTOR may notify the LEA of the intent to terminate the Individual Services Agreement and if it does, at the same time it shall request an IEP/IFSP meeting. Said notice shall be provided pursuant to Section 24 (Notices) of this contract. Upon receipt of this request, the LEA shall convene an IEP/IFSP meeting as soon as possible to review the placement, modify the IEP/IFSP if appropriate, or determine another appropriate placement option for the pupil.

SECTION 3: SAFETY

3.1 SAFE AND APPROPRIATE ENVIRONMENT

If nonpublic agency services are not provided on a school site, the CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for providing facilities in which it provides the services agreed to in the Individual Services Agreement, unless there is written agreement to the contrary. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with applicable law with respect to the structural specifications of the facilities in which it provides services. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable local, county, and/or state ordinances and statutes relating to fire, health, sanitation and building safety. If services are provided at a school site, the CONTRACTOR shall participate in the regularly scheduled fire, earthquake, and disaster drills as appropriate.

When the IEP specifies that NPA services are to be provided in the pupil's home, the parent/guardian or another adult caregiver designated by the parent shall be present in the home while the services are delivered.

SECTION 4: FINANCIAL

4.1 <u>FULL-TIME EQUIVALENCY BASIS</u>

Notwithstanding the requirements of Section 3.1 (Individual Services Agreement) of the Master Contract, when the CONTRACTOR provides services on a full-time equivalency basis (as opposed to a per pupil basis), the LEA shall maintain a list or lists of individual pupils that CONTRACTOR serves on this basis.

4.2 RATE SCHEDULE FOR CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR: Specialized Therapy Services			
CONTRACTOR NPA ID NUMBER: 9900324			
Education service(s) offered by the CONTRACTOR, and the charg	es for such service(s) duri	ng the term of this contract, shall be	as follows:
RELATED SERVICES	<u>RATE</u>	PERIOD	
Intensive Individual Services (340)			
Individual and Small Group Instruction (Ages 3-5 only) (350)			
Language and Speech (415)	\$86.00	Hour	
Language and Speech (415) - Licensed SLP-A			
Language and Speech (415) – Speech Therapy Aide			
Adapted Physical Education (425)			
Health and Nursing: Specialized Physical Health Care LVN (435)			
Health and Nursing: Specialized Physical Health Care RN (435)			
Health and Nursing: Specialized Physical Health Care CRN (435)			
Health and Nursing: Other Services LVN (436)			
Health and Nursing: Other Services RN (436)			
Health and Nursing: Other Services CRN (436)			
Health and Nursing: Other Services Health Aide/CNA (436)			
Assistive Technology Services – Credentialed (445)			
Assistive Technology Services - Classified (445)			
Occupational Therapy (450)			
Occupational Therapy (450) – Certified OT Assistant			
Physical Therapy (460)			

Physical Therapy – Licensed PT Assistant (460)		
Individual Counseling (510)		4
Counseling and Guidance (515)		
Parent Counseling (520)		
Social Work Services (525)		W
Psychological Services (530)		
Behavior Intervention Services (535) – BI Design		
Behavior Intervention Services (535) – BI Implementation		
Behavior Intervention Services (535) – BII (AIDE)		
Behavior Intervention Services (535) – BII (RBT)		
Behavior Intervention Services (535) – Supervision		
Specialized Services for Low Incidence Disabilities (610)		
Specialized Deaf and Hard of Hearing (710)		
Interpreter Services (715)		
Interpreter Services Shift Differential (715)		
Audiological Services (720)		
Specialized Vision Services (725)		
Orientation and Mobility (730)		
Braille Transcription (735)		
Specialized Orthopedic Services (740)	-	
Reader Services (745)		
Recreation Services, Including Therapeutic (760)	-	
College Awareness Preparation (820)		
Vocational Assessment, Counseling/Guidance Assessment (830)		
Career Awareness (840)		
Work Experience Education (850)		
Job Coaching (855)		

Mentoring (860)	
Agency Linkages (referral and placement) (865)	
Travel Training (870)	
Other Transition Services (890)	
Other Services (900) - Music Therapy	
Other Services (900) - Vision Therapy	
Other Service (900)	
Transportation – Emergency	
Bus Passes	 -
NOTES:	

^{*}Parent transportation reimbursement rates to be set forth in Individual Services Agreements.

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SECTION 5: APPROVALS		
CONTRACTOR Nonpublic Agency Authorized Representative Signature Steve Oas, Director (Type) Name and Title	12/28/2022 DATE:	
LEA Local Educational Agency Chonda Prows Authorized Representative Signature Rhonda Brown, Chief Business Officer (Type) Name and Title	DATE: <u>12.21.2022</u>	
LEA Board Approval	DATE:	