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His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
 and the Honorable Council
 State House
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INFORMATIONAL ITEM

Pursuant to RSA 4:45, RSA 21-P:43, and Section 4 of Executive Order 2020-04 as extended by Executive Orders 2020-05, 2020-08, 2020-09, and 2020-10, Governor Sununu has authorized the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Long Term Supports and Services, to add \$199,980 of COVID-19 funding to the contracts listed in the table below for the Older Americans Act nutrition programs for the provision of adult day program services, to increase the total price limitation from \$1,308,960 to \$1,508,940, effective upon Governor approval. 100% Federal Funds.

Vendor Name	Vendor Code	Area Served	Current Contract Amount***	Informational Item – Increase (Decrease)	Total Contract Amount
Easter Seals New Hampshire, Inc.	177204	Manchester, NH and Rochester, NH	\$356,640.00	\$54,480.00	\$411,120
Area Agency of Greater Nashua, Inc.	155784	Nashua, NH	\$140,760.00	\$21,480.00	\$162,240
VNA at HCS, Inc.	177274	Keene, NH	\$237,720.00	\$36,360.00	\$274,080
Memorial Elder Health Services	TBD	No. Conway, NH	\$74,400.00	\$11,340.00	\$85,740
Nashua Adult Day Health, LLC	TBD	Nashua	\$499,440.00	\$76,320.00	\$575,760
		Total:	\$1,308,960.00	\$199,980.00	\$1,508,940

***Note: The Department has submitted a G&C request for the 6/24/20 agenda to approve new contracts with the Contractors listed in this table.

Funds are available in the following accounts for State Fiscal Year 2021, and are anticipated to be available in State Fiscal Year 2022, upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds in the future operating budget, with the authority to adjust budget line items within the price limitation and encumbrances between state fiscal years through the Budget Office, if needed and justified.

See attached fiscal details.

EXPLANATION

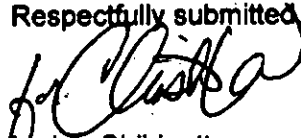
The Governor approved the addition of \$199,980 to the contracts listed in the table above to provide emergency federal COVID-19 funding to the Contractors to better support older, isolated, and frail adults, and adults 18-59 years of age with physical disabilities and/or chronic illnesses, who have become increasingly isolated during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Contractors will provide adult day services that are licensed by the Department's Bureau of Health Facilities to eligible adults 18-59 years of age with physical disabilities and/or chronic illnesses, and frail adults sixty (60) years of age and older. The services will be provided at community-based sites during the day and will assist individuals with continuing to reside in their communities and homes. Services include supervision; assistance with daily activities; nursing care; rehabilitation services; meals; and recreational, social, cognitive, and physical stimulation. Services also include monitoring of the individual's condition, referrals, and connections to other services and resources, as appropriate. In addition, these adult day services provide respite and support to caregiving families in order to maintain the care of the individual in the community.

The Department will monitor contracted services using the following performance measures:

- The number of applications and service requests received and processed.
- The number and percent of applicants found eligible for each service.
- The number and percent of individual plans of care in which the plan contains evidence of person-centered planning.
- The number and percentage of days that individuals did not receive a planned service(s) due to the service(s) not being available.

Areas served: Statewide.

Respectfully submitted,

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