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Jeffrey A. Meyers Commissioner

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#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

#### **DIVISION FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**

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January 16, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council State House Concord, New Hampshire 03301

#### REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Health and Human Services, Division for Behavioral Health, to enter into a **retroactive** agreement with JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. d/b/a Community Health Institute, (Vendor Number 161611-B001) to conduct New Hampshire's Public Mental Health Consumer Survey, in an amount not to exceed \$168,522, effective retroactive to January 2, 2019 upon the date of Governor and Executive Council approval through December 31, 2020. 100% Other Funds.

Funds are available in the following account(s) for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2019, and are anticipated to be available in SFY 2020 and SFY 2021, upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds in the future operating budgets, with authority to adjust amounts within the price limitation and adjust encumbrances between State Fiscal Years through the Budget Office if needed and justified, without approval from Governor and Executive Council.

05-95-92-922010-4121-102-500731, HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, DEPT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SVS, HHS: DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, BUREAU OF MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, MENTAL HEALTH DATA COLLECTION

SFY	Class/Account	Class Title Job Number		Total Amount
2019	102-500731	Contracts for Program Services	92204121	\$42,130
2020	102/500731	Contracts for Program Services	92204121	\$84,262
2021	102/500731	Contracts for Program Services	92204121	\$42,130
-			Total	\$168,522

### **EXPLANATION**

This request is **retroactive** because the fully executed contract documents were not processed in time for the Governor and Executive Council meeting of December 21, 2018. In order to successfully complete the federally required annual satisfaction survey by the year-end deadline, the Department and the vendor must begin the survey sampling process in January. Otherwise, there will not be sufficient time to perform the steps required to prepare and conduct a statistically valid survey by the deadline, which would render the survey incomparable to prior year results. His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council Page 2 of 3

The purpose of this request is to develop, conduct, analyze, and report on the Community Mental Health Consumer Survey, which is required annually by the Center for Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services, Administration of the United States Department of Health and Human Services.

The Community Mental Health Consumer Survey provides data that informs the federal Universal Reporting System. The Universal Reporting System tables represent data on NH behavioral health service recipients and the quality of services received. Results from the surveys are used by the Department to complete required federal annual reports, and to guide Division of Behavioral Health efforts in monitoring the Community Mental Health system.

The Contractor will be held accountable to the following performance measures:

- Ensuring survey response rates achieved for each module are at least fifty percent (50%).
- Monitoring ten percent (10%) of interviews for the purpose of quality assurance and provide feedback to interviewers.
- Providing final electronic survey data to the Department upon completion of the survey results report which shall include a file in Microsoft Excel format with tabular weighted frequencies and ninety-five percent (95%) confidence intervals for each question and for any composite or calculated measures.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. d/b/a Community Health Institute was selected for this project through a competitive bid process. A Request for Proposals was posted on The Department of Health and Human Services' website from October 10, 2018 through November 5, 2018. The Department received two (2) proposals. The proposals were reviewed and scored by a team of individuals with program specific knowledge. The review included a thorough discussion of the strengths and weaknesses of the proposals. The Score Summary Sheet is attached.

As referenced in the Request for Proposals and in Exhibit C-1 of this contract, this Agreement has the option to extend for up to two (2) additional year(s), contingent upon satisfactory delivery of services, available funding, agreement of the parties and approval of the Governor and Executive Council.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract to the contrary, no services shall continue after June 30, 2019, and the Department shall not be liable for any payments for services provided after June 30, 2019, unless and until an appropriation for these services has been received from the state legislature and funds encumbered for the SFY 2020-2021 and SFY 2022-2023 biennia.

Should the Governor and Executive Council not authorize this request, the Department will not meet the federal requirement to complete the annual Community Mental Health satisfaction survey. Additionally, the results from the survey will not be available to the Department for completion of federal reports, and for use in monitoring the Community Mental Health System. These reports are a requirement for state recipients of the Mental Health Block Grant, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), and a failure to report would jeopardize Mental Health Block Grant funding.

Area served: Statewide.

Source of Funds: 100% Other Funds

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In the event that Other Funds become no longer available, General Funds will not be requested to support this program.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Jeffrey A. Meyers Commissioner

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## New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services **Office of Business Operations Contracts & Procurement Unit Summary Scoring Sheet**

RFP-2019-DBH-01-COMMU

**RFP Number** 

### **Community Mental Health Consumer**

Survey **RFP Name** 

**Bidder Name** 

#### 1. Market Decisions LLC

<sup>2.</sup> JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.

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Pass/Fail	Maximum Points	Actual Points
	275	231
	275	237

## **Reviewer Names**

Amy O'Hara, Finance Mgr, BHHS 1. Div of Family Asst.

Tanja Godtfredsen, Behavioral Hlth Business Admin II

2.

Susan Knight, Business Systems Analyst, OMBP 3.

Lauren Quann, Administrator Bureau Mental Hith Srvs 4.

Erica Ungarelli, Director, Bureau of 5. Children's Bhvrl Hlth



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DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 27 Hazen Dr., Concord, NH 03301 Fax: 603-271-1516 TDD Access: 1-800-735-2964 www.nh.gov/doit

Denis Goulet Commissioner

January 18, 2019

Jeffrey A. Meyers, Commissioner Department of Health and Human Services State of New Hampshire 129 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301

Dear Commissioner Meyers:

This letter represents formal notification that the Department of Information Technology (DoIT) has approved your agency's request to enter into a contract with JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. d/b/a Community Health Institute, as described below and referenced as DoIT No. 2019-066.

This is a request to enter into a **retroactive** contract to conduct the Community Mental Health Consumer Survey required by the Center for Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration of the United States Department of Health and Human Services.

The amount of the contract is not to exceed \$168,522.00, and shall become effective retroactive to January 2, 2019 upon the date of Governor and Executive Council approval through December 31, 2020.

A copy of this letter should accompany the Department of Health and Human Services' submission to the Governor and Executive Council for approval.

Sincerely

**Denis** Goulet

DG/kaf DoIT #2019-066

cc: Bruce Smith, IT Manager, DoIT

"Innovative Technologies Today for New Hampshire's Tomorrow"

### FORM NUMBER P-37 (version 5/8/15)

#### Subject: Community Mental Health Consumer Survey (RFP-2019-DBH-01-COMMU)

Notice: This agreement and all of its attachments shall become public upon submission to Governor and Executive Council for approval. Any information that is private, confidential or proprietary must be clearly identified to the agency and agreed to in writing prior to signing the contract.

#### AGREEMENT

The State of New Hampshire and the Contractor hereby mutually agree as follows:

### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

1. IDENTIFICATION.				
1.1 State Agency Name		1.2 State Agency Address		
NH Department of Health and Human Services		129 Pleasant Street		
		Concord, NH 03301-3857		
1.3 Contractor Name		1.4 Contractor Address		
JSI Research and Training Instit	ute, Inc. d/b/a Community Health	44 Farnsworth Street		
Institute		Boston, MA 02210		
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1.5 Contractor Phone	1.6 Account Number	1.7 Completion Date	1.8 Price Limitation	
Number		1		
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	500731			
1.9 Contracting Officer for Sta	te Agency	1.10 State Agency Telephone No	umber	
Nathan D. White, Director		603-271-9631		
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2. EMPLOYMENT OF CONTRACTOR/SERVICES TO

**BE PERFORMED.** The State of New Hampshire, acting through the agency identified in block 1.1 ("State"), engages contractor identified in block 1.3 ("Contractor") to perform, and the Contractor shall perform, the work or sale of goods, or both, identified and more particularly described in the attached EXHIBIT A which is incorporated herein by reference ("Services").

#### 3. EFFECTIVE DATE/COMPLETION OF SERVICES.

3.1 Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, and subject to the approval of the Governor and Executive Council of the State of New Hampshire, if applicable, this Agreement, and all obligations of the parties hereunder, shall become effective on the date the Governor and Executive Council approve this Agreement as indicated in block 1.18, unless no such approval is required, in which case the Agreement shall become effective on the date the Agreement is signed by the State Agency as shown in block 1.14 ("Effective Date").

3.2 If the Contractor commences the Services prior to the Effective Date, all Services performed by the Contractor prior to the Effective Date shall be performed at the sole risk of the Contractor, and in the event that this Agreement does not become effective, the State shall have no liability to the Contractor, including without limitation, any obligation to pay the Contractor for any costs incurred or Services performed. Contractor must complete all Services by the Completion Date specified in block 1.7.

#### 4. CONDITIONAL NATURE OF AGREEMENT.

Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, all obligations of the State hereunder, including, without limitation, the continuance of payments hereunder, are contingent upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds, and in no event shall the State be liable for any payments hereunder in excess of such available appropriated funds. In the event of a reduction or termination of appropriated funds, the State shall have the right to withhold payment until such funds become available, if ever, and shall have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately upon giving the Contractor notice of such termination. The State shall not be required to transfer funds from any other account to the Account identified in block 1.6 in the event funds in that Account are reduced or unavailable.

#### 5. CONTRACT PRICE/PRICE LIMITATION/ PAYMENT.

5.1 The contract price, method of payment, and terms of payment are identified and more particularly described in EXHIBIT B which is incorporated herein by reference.
5.2 The payment by the State of the contract price shall be the only and the complete reimbursement to the Contractor for all expenses, of whatever nature incurred by the Contractor in the performance hereof, and shall be the only and the complete compensation to the Contractor for the Services. The State shall have no liability to the Contractor other than the contract price.

5.3 The State reserves the right to offset from any amounts otherwise payable to the Contractor under this Agreement those liquidated amounts required or permitted by N.H. RSA 80:7 through RSA 80:7-c or any other provision of law.
5.4 Notwithstanding any provision in this Agreement to the contrary, and notwithstanding unexpected circumstances, in no event shall the total of all payments authorized, or actually made hereunder, exceed the Price Limitation set forth in block 1.8.

#### 6. COMPLIANCE BY CONTRACTOR WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS/ EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.

6.1 In connection with the performance of the Services, the Contractor shall comply with all statutes, laws, regulations, and orders of federal, state, county or municipal authorities which impose any obligation or duty upon the Contractor. including, but not limited to, civil rights and equal opportunity laws. This may include the requirement to utilize auxiliary aids and services to ensure that persons with communication disabilities, including vision, hearing and speech, can communicate with, receive information from, and convey information to the Contractor. In addition, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable copyright laws. 6.2 During the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, color, religion, creed, age, sex, handicap, sexual orientation, or national origin and will take affirmative action to prevent such discrimination. 6.3 If this Agreement is funded in any part by monies of the United States, the Contractor shall comply with all the provisions of Executive Order No. 11246 ("Equal Employment Opportunity"), as supplemented by the regulations of the United States Department of Labor (41 C.F.R. Part 60), and with any rules, regulations and guidelines as the State of New Hampshire or the United States issue to implement these regulations. The Contractor further agrees to permit the State or United States access to any of the Contractor's books, records and accounts for the purpose of ascertaining compliance with all rules, regulations and orders, and the covenants, terms and conditions of this Agreement.

#### 7. PERSONNEL.

7.1 The Contractor shall at its own expense provide all personnel necessary to perform the Services. The Contractor warrants that all personnel engaged in the Services shall be qualified to perform the Services, and shall be properly licensed and otherwise authorized to do so under all applicable laws.

7.2 Unless otherwise authorized in writing, during the term of this Agreement, and for a period of six (6) months after the Completion Date in block 1.7, the Contractor shall not hire, and shall not permit any subcontractor or other person, firm or corporation with whom it is engaged in a combined effort to perform the Services to hire, any person who is a State employee or official, who is materially involved in the procurement, administration or performance of this

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Agreement. This provision shall survive termination of this Agreement.

7.3 The Contracting Officer specified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, shall be the State's representative. In the event of any dispute concerning the interpretation of this Agreement, the Contracting Officer's decision shall be final for the State.

#### 8. EVENT OF DEFAULT/REMEDIES.

8.1 Any one or more of the following acts or omissions of the Contractor shall constitute an event of default hereunder ("Event of Default"):

8.1.1 failure to perform the Services satisfactorily or on schedule;

8.1.2 failure to submit any report required hereunder; and/or 8.1.3 failure to perform any other covenant, term or condition of this Agreement.

8.2 Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default, the State may take any one, or more, or all, of the following actions: 8.2.1 give the Contractor a written notice specifying the Event of Default and requiring it to be remedied within, in the absence of a greater or lesser specification of time, thirty (30) days from the date of the notice; and if the Event of Default is not timely remedied, terminate this Agreement, effective two (2) days after giving the Contractor notice of termination;

8.2.2 give the Contractor a written notice specifying the Event of Default and suspending all payments to be made under this Agreement and ordering that the portion of the contract price which would otherwise accrue to the Contractor during the period from the date of such notice until such time as the State determines that the Contractor has cured the Event of Default shall never be paid to the Contractor;

8.2.3 set off against any other obligations the State may owe to the Contractor any damages the State suffers by reason of any Event of Default; and/or

8.2.4 treat the Agreement as breached and pursue any of its remedies at law or in equity, or both.

#### 9. DATA/ACCESS/CONFIDENTIALITY/ PRESERVATION.

9.1 As used in this Agreement, the word "data" shall mean all information and things developed or obtained during the performance of, or acquired or developed by reason of, this Agreement, including, but not limited to, all studies, reports, files, formulae, surveys, maps, charts, sound recordings, video recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, analyses, graphic representations, computer programs, computer printouts, notes, letters, memoranda, papers, and documents, all whether finished or unfinished.

9.2 All data and any property which has been received from the State or purchased with funds provided for that purpose under this Agreement, shall be the property of the State, and shall be returned to the State upon demand or upon termination of this Agreement for any reason.

9.3 Confidentiality of data shall be governed by N.H. RSA chapter 91-A or other existing law. Disclosure of data requires prior written approval of the State.

10. TERMINATION. In the event of an early termination of this Agreement for any reason other than the completion of the Services, the Contractor shall deliver to the Contracting Officer, not later than fifteen (15) days after the date of termination, a report ("Termination Report") describing in detail all Services performed, and the contract price earned, to and including the date of termination. The form, subject matter, content, and number of copies of the Termination Report shall be identical to those of any Final Report described in the attached EXHIBIT A.

#### 11. CONTRACTOR'S RELATION TO THE STATE. In

the performance of this Agreement the Contractor is in all respects an independent contractor, and is neither an agent nor an employee of the State. Neither the Contractor nor any of its officers, employees, agents or members shall have authority to bind the State or receive any benefits, workers' compensation or other emoluments provided by the State to its employees.

#### 12. ASSIGNMENT/DELEGATION/SUBCONTRACTS.

The Contractor shall not assign, or otherwise transfer any interest in this Agreement without the prior written notice and consent of the State. None of the Services shall be subcontracted by the Contractor without the prior written notice and consent of the State.

13. INDEMNIFICATION. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the State, its officers and employees, from and against any and all losses suffered by the State, its officers and employees, and any and all claims, liabilities or penalties asserted against the State, its officers and employees, by or on behalf of any person, on account of, based or resulting from, arising out of (or which may be claimed to arise out of) the acts or omissions of the Contractor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute a waiver of the sovereign immunity of the State, which immunity is hereby reserved<sup>1</sup> to the State. This covenant in paragraph 13 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

#### 14. INSURANCE.

14.1 The Contractor shall, at its sole expense, obtain and maintain in force, and shall require any subcontractor or assignee to obtain and maintain in force, the following insurance:

14.1.1 comprehensive general liability insurance against all claims of bodily injury, death or property damage, in amounts of not less than \$1,000,000per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate ; and

14.1.2 special cause of loss coverage form covering all property subject to subparagraph 9.2 herein, in an amount not less than 80% of the whole replacement value of the property. 14.2 The policies described in subparagraph 14.1 herein shall be on policy forms and endorsements approved for use in the State of New Hampshire by the N.H. Department of Insurance, and issued by insurers licensed in the State of New Hampshire.

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14.3 The Contractor shall furnish to the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, a certificate(s) of insurance for all insurance required under this Agreement. Contractor shall also furnish to the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, certificate(s) of insurance for all renewal(s) of insurance required under this Agreement no later than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date of each of the insurance policies. The certificate(s) of insurance and any renewals thereof shall be attached and are incorporated herein by reference. Each certificate(s) of insurance shall contain a clause requiring the insurer to provide the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, no less than thirty (30) days prior written notice of cancellation or modification of the policy.

#### 15. WORKERS' COMPENSATION.

15.1 By signing this agreement, the Contractor agrees, certifies and warrants that the Contractor is in compliance with or exempt from, the requirements of N.H. RSA chapter 281-A ("Workers' Compensation").

15.2 To the extent the Contractor is subject to the requirements of N.H. RSA chapter 281-A, Contractor shall maintain, and require any subcontractor or assignee to secure and maintain, payment of Workers' Compensation in connection with activities which the person proposes to undertake pursuant to this Agreement. Contractor shall furnish the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, proof of Workers' Compensation in the manner described in N.H. RSA chapter 281-A and any applicable renewal(s) thereof, which shall be attached and are incorporated herein by reference. The State shall not be responsible for payment of any Workers' Compensation premiums or for any other claim or benefit for Contractor, or any subcontractor or employee of Contractor, which might arise under applicable State of New Hampshire Workers' Compensation laws in connection with the performance of the Services under this Agreement.

16. WAIVER OF BREACH. No failure by the State to enforce any provisions hereof after any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of its rights with regard to that Event of Default, or any subsequent Event of Default. No express failure to enforce any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of the right of the State to enforce each and all of the provisions hereof upon any further or other Event of Default on the part of the Contractor.

17. NOTICE. Any notice by a party hereto to the other party shall be deemed to have been duly delivered or given at the time of mailing by certified mail, postage prepaid, in a United States Post Office addressed to the parties at the addresses given in blocks 1.2 and 1.4, herein.

18. AMENDMENT. This Agreement may be amended, waived or discharged only by an instrument in writing signed by the parties hereto and only after approval of such amendment, waiver or discharge by the Governor and Executive Council of the State of New Hampshire unless no

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such approval is required under the circumstances pursuant to State law, rule or policy.

#### **19. CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT AND TERMS.**

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Hampshire, and is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns. The wording used in this Agreement is the wording chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent, and no rule of construction shall be applied against or in favor of any party.

20. THIRD PARTIES. The parties hereto do not intend to benefit any third parties and this Agreement shall not be construed to confer any such benefit.

21. HEADINGS. The headings throughout the Agreement are for reference purposes only, and the words contained therein shall in no way be held to explain, modify, amplify or aid in the interpretation, construction or meaning of the provisions of this Agreement.

22. SPECIAL PROVISIONS. Additional provisions set forth in the attached EXHIBIT C are incorporated herein by reference.

23. SEVERABILITY. In the event any of the provisions of this Agreement are held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be contrary to any state or federal law, the remaining provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect.

24. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement, which may be executed in a number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, constitutes the entire Agreement and understanding between the parties, and supersedes all prior Agreements and understandings relating hereto.

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Exhibit A

# Scope of Services

# 1. Provisions Applicable to All Services

- 1.1. The Contractor shall submit a detailed description of the language assistance services they shall provide to persons with limited English proficiency to ensure meaningful access to their programs and/or services within ten (10) days of the contract effective date.
- 1.2. The Contractor agrees that, to the extent future legislative action by the New Hampshire General Court or federal or state court orders may have an impact on the Services described herein, the State Agency has the right to modify Service priorities and expenditure requirements under this Agreement so as to achieve compliance therewith.
- 1.3. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract to the contrary, no services shall continue after June 30, 2019, and the Department shall not be liable for any payments for services provided after June 30, 2019, unless and until an appropriation for these services has been received from the state legislature and funds encumbered for the SFY 2020-2021 biennia.
- 1.4. For the purposes of this Agreement, the Department has identified the Contractor as a Contractor, in accordance with 2 CFR 200.0. et seq.

## 2. Scope of Services

- 2.1. The Contractor shall:
  - 2.1.1. Prepare and conduct a statistically valid consumer survey that ensures comparability with prior year results of the clients receiving services from the ten (10) New Hampshire Public Community Mental Health Centers;
  - 2.1.2. Provide the surveys via mail, web-based and telephone;
  - 2.1.3. Maintain and ensure consumers' confidentiality and security of transmitted data;
  - 2.1.4. Have policies and procedures in place to adequately train staff how to safeguard all client information as required by state rule and state and federal law;
  - 2.1.5. Analyze the survey data;

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- 2.1.6. Prepare and produce reports of the survey results for both statewide averages and Community Mental Health Center specific results; and
- 2.1.7. Provide presentations to selected groups of the survey results.
- 2.1.8. Provide progress updates to the Department at least once per month outlining status, obstacles and other relevant information on the work plan for each year's survey.



#### Exhibit A

### 2.2. Survey Questionnaire Development

- 2.2.1. The Contractor shall utilize Adult and Family Member New Hampshire Public Mental Health consumer satisfaction survey instruments consisting of Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) required and Department added questions in two (2) modules. The Contractor shall ensure:
  - 2.2.1.1. Each module consists of approximately sixty (60) questions.
  - 2.2.1.2. One (1) module is designed for adults receiving services; and
  - 2.2.1.3. One (1) module is designed for the families of children who are receiving services.
- 2.2.2. The Contractor shall include an informed consent statement and instructions explaining how individuals and families are to complete and return the survey.
- 2.2.3. The Contractor shall review and provide feedback to the Department on Department-added questions for validity.
- 2.2.4. The Contractor shall increase the reliability of the survey by:
  - 2.2.4.1. Writing questions that are easily understood and are free from issues including, but not limited to double-barreled wordings and biased presentation of response categories.
  - 2.2.4.2. Calculating coefficient alphas for each domain score.
  - 2.2.4.3. Combining items that measure similar constructs into average scale scores.
- 2.2.5. The Contractor shall prepare translated versions of the questionnaires as provided by a qualified, human translator in Spanish and in other languages as directed by the Department.
- 2.2.6. The Contractor shall consult with the Department on the application of the current best practice data collection standards for Race, Ethnicity, and Language (REaL) and Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity (SOGI) data.
- 2.2.7. The Contractor shall prepare paper surveys that are in a scannable format to ensure reduction in data entry time and errors.
- 2.2.8. The Contractor shall print the required number of paper surveys.
- 2.2.9. The Contractor shall program the two (2) survey modules into the Contractor's Computer Assisted Telephone Interviewing (CATI) system.
- 2.2.10. The Contractor shall program the two (2) survey modules into a webbased survey program.

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- 2.2.11. The Contractor shall test each module in the CATI system and the web-based survey program to ensure that the questions and any skip instructions are identical to the paper versions.
- 2.2.12. The Contractor shall communicate the testing results to the Department prior to beginning telephone interviewing or web-based surveys.
- 2.2.13. The Contractor shall obtain approval from the Department prior to printing the surveys for:
  - 2.2.13.1. The final print-ready paper survey forms.
  - 2.2.13.2. Pre-notification and follow up letters.
  - 2.2.13.3. Letters accompanying the questionnaire.
- 2.2.14. The Contractor shall obtain approval from the Department prior to distributing the online surveys.

### 2.3. Work Plan

- 2.3.1. The Contractor shall submit a final project work plan that details how the survey for calendar year 2019 and for each subsequent survey year will be completed in accordance with the Work Plan Summary in Exhibit A-1.
- 2.3.2. The Contractor shall obtain Department approval to make changes to the Work Plan Summary in Exhibit A-1.
- 2.3.3. The Contractor shall ensure the work plan includes, but is not limited to a table which contains:
  - 2.3.3.1. Deliverables.
  - 2.3.3.2. Due Dates for Deliverables.
  - 2.3.3.3. Cost for each Deliverable.
  - 2.3.3.4. The person responsible for completion of each Deliverable.
  - 2.3.3.5. Any other items necessary to facilitate invoicing and progress reporting.
- 2.3.4. The Contractor shall complete and submit subsequent project work plans for Department approval by November 1 of each year starting in 2019, to conduct surveys for the following calendar years covered by the resulting Contract period.
- 2.3.5. The Contractor shall ensure one (1) individual is designated as a project manager who shall be the single point of contact and coordinator of all aspects of the project.
- 2.3.6. The Contractor shall participate in conference calls, as determined by the Department subject to the Contractor's availability, with the



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Department and other parties as needed to discuss progress, next steps and open items.

- 2.3.7. The Contractor shall conduct the consumer survey utilizing a methodology that includes, but is not limited to:
  - 2.3.7.1. Producing statistically valid survey results;
  - 2.3.7.2. Ensuring survey response rates achieved for each module are at least fifty (50) percent. Response rates shall be defined as the number of completed telephone, web-based, and paper questionnaires divided by the number of selected respondents with valid contact information;
  - 2.3.7.3. Employing Dilmans' Tailored Design Method or other method as approved by the Department; and

## 2.4. Survey Administration

- 2.4.1. The Contractor shall conduct the consumer survey utilizing the approach of mail, telephone and a proprietary confidential online survey.
- 2.4.2. The Contractor shall calculate the appropriate sample size to produce statistically valid survey results of the number of survey participants from each Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) so that the survey adequately represents the Department's eligible and open case population during the period of July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019. The Contractor shall ensure:
  - 2.4.2.1. The final responding sample size is adequate to provide a ninety-five percent (95%) confidence interval of plus or minus five percent (5%) when the proportion of respondents who agree or strongly agree is fifty percent (50%).
  - 2.4.2.2. The sample is drawn in a manner that proportionally represents the population of each CMHC.
  - 2.4.2.3. The sample is stratified and random to represent the age and gender distribution of each CMHC.
- 2.4.3. The Contractor shall submit survey methodology, data collection protocol, and a written sample design, no later than date identified in the work plan and prior to the start of sample selection, for Department approval.
- 2.4.4. The Contractor shall ensure the written sample design includes a sample size table that, at a minimum, contains:
  - 2.4.4.1. The name of each Community Mental Health Center;
  - 2.4.4.2. Estimated service population for each CMHC;

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- 2.4.4.3. Number of respondents to be selected from each CMHC;
- 2.4.4.4. Number of final respondents expected; and,
- 2.4.4.5. Expected confidence interval.
- 2.4.5. The Contractor shall contact the ten (10) Community Mental Health Centers no later than the date established in the work plan, to provide instructions on their role in the survey and the time-line for the survey.
- 2.4.6. The Contractor shall provide instruction and the protocol to the Community Mental Health Centers on how to generate a data set of current consumers who are eligible for services that shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 2.4.6.1. The number of survey participants to select;
  - 2.4.6.2. How to randomly select survey participants;
  - 2.4.6.3. Accurate contact information needed, which includes, but is not limited to:
    - 2.4.6.3.1. The names of consumers;
    - 2.4.6.3.2. Each consumer's contact information including:
      - 2.4.6.3.2.1. Mailing address;
      - 2.4.6.3.2.2. Phone number;
      - 2.4.6.3.2.3. Guardian's name with contact information;
      - 2.4.6.3.2.4. Parent's names for youth survey; and
      - 2.4.6.3.2.5. Primary language spoken.
- 2.4.7. The Contractor shall perform an initial USPS screening on the clients in both the Adult and Family Member samples as it is expected that a proportion of consumer addresses will not be up-to-date.
- 2.4.8. The Contractor shall work with the Department and the CMHCs to identify selected participants and best methods for reaching individuals who may be:
  - 2.4.8.1. Homeless.

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- 2.4.8.2. Racial/ethnic minorities or immigrants/refugees.
- 2.4.8.3. Persons with low literacy.
- 2.4.8.4. Persons whose primary language is not English.
- 2.4.9. The Contractor shall securely transmit data sets electronically to the CMHCs and the Department.
- 2.4.10. The Contractor shall utilize the Department's Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) site with appropriate security and logins for CMHC's,

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the Department, and the Contractor to transmit confidential survey data and/or to transfer confidential client information.

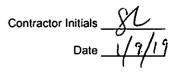
2.4.11. The Contractor shall obtain the names of eligible consumers to be surveyed from the CMHCs; conduct the survey between January 1, 2019 and June 30, 2019; and offer the survey to the randomly selected consumers.

## 2.5. Mail Protocol

- 2.5.1. The Contractor shall mail a Department-approved pre-notification letter to selected respondents that includes the language assistance taglines, per Department guidance, explaining the purpose of the survey within ten (10) to fourteen (14) days before the first survey is mailed.
- 2.5.2. The Contractor shall mail the surveys to the selected consumers in their primary language.
- 2.5.3. The survey mailing shall include:
  - 2.5.3.1. A Department-approved cover letter to the consumer in their primary language explaining:
    - 2.5.3.1.1. The purpose of the survey.
    - 2.5.3.1.2. The consumer's choice to consent to completing the survey.
    - 2.5.3.1.3. A guarantee of confidentiality.
    - 2.5.3.1.4. Contact procedures for questions or requests to be excluded from survey activities.
    - 2.5.3.1.5. How to complete the survey.
    - 2.5.3.1.6. When and how to return the survey.
  - 2.5.3.2. A prepaid addressed envelope for the consumer to return the completed survey to the Contractor by mail.
  - 2.5.3.3. A five dollar (\$5.00) cash upfront incentive.
  - 2.5.3.4. The paper survey instrument appropriate for the household.
  - 2.5.3.5. The language assistance taglines insert per Department guidance.
  - 2.5.3.6. Directions for completing the questionnaire on the web, if the selected consumer wishes to do so.
  - 2.5.3.7. A web address, username and password for the web-based questionnaire, which shall be unique to the selected consumer.

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- 2.5.4. The Contractor shall follow up with consumers who do not respond within the timeframes established in the approved project work plan by sending a Department-approved reminder to complete the survey.
- 2.5.5. The Contractor shall scan returned, completed paper surveys using scanning software or another system, as approved by the Department.
- 2.5.6. The Contractor shall resolve issues of light marks, double marks and scratched out/erased marks on the paper surveys.
- 2.5.7. The Contractor shall program parameters for each survey item into the scanning software to prevent key stroke errors and out-of-range responses.

## 2.6. **Telephone Protocol**

- 2.6.1. The Contractor shall identify consumers who have not responded to the paper survey within the timeframes defined in the project work plan and place telephone calls to those individuals a minimum of three (3) times or until an interview is completed or a refusal to complete the survey and/or interview is received.
- 2.6.2. The Contractor shall utilize a script to ensure:
  - 2.6.2.1. The identity of the consumer is clear.
  - 2.6.2.2. No confidential consumer information is inadvertently provided to another individual answering the telephone.
- 2.6.3. The Contractor shall ensure that appropriate consent is obtained from the consumer prior to obtaining any protected health information (PHI) over the telephone.
- 2.6.4. The Contractor shall encourage consumers reached by telephone to complete the questionnaire at that time using the Contractor's CATI system, the approved telephone methodology, and the questionnaire.
- 2.6.5. The Contractor shall provide CATI questionnaires and qualified interviewers to conduct the interview in the respondent's primary language, either by qualified bilingual staff or with the assistance of qualified over-the-phone interpreters.
- 2.6.6. The Contractor shall ensure all interviewers are experienced and have training that includes, but is not limited to:
  - 2.6.6.1. Non-directive interviewing methods;
  - 2.6.6.2. Maintaining respondent confidentiality; and
  - 2.6.6.3. Interviewing survey respondents who are mental health clients.
- 2.6.7. The Contractor shall maintain phone logs that shall include, but not be limited to:

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- 2.6.7.1. The telephone number;
- 2.6.7.2. Date and time of call(s);
- 2.6.7.3. Name of the person making the call;
- 2.6.7.4. Reason for the call; and
- 2.6.7.5. Outcome of the call.
- 2.6.8. The Contractor shall unobtrusively monitor ten percent (10%) of interviews for the purpose of quality assurance and providing feedback to interviewers.

### 2.7. Internet Web-Based Protocol

- 2.7.1. The Contractor shall develop Department-approved electronic versions of the questionnaires that are accessible to the selected consumers on a secure web site by the date indicated in the approved work plan.
- 2.7.2. The Contractor shall ensure the questionnaire is available in English and Spanish, as well as any additional languages as determined by the Department; with all questionnaires translated by qualified, human translators per paragraph 2.2.5.
- 2.7.3. The Contractor shall ensure the web-based questionnaire includes, but is not limited to:
  - 2.7.3.1. An entry page with an explanation of the survey;
  - 2.7.3.2. Assurance of confidentiality;
  - 2.7.3.3. Instructions on how to complete the questionnaire;
  - 2.7.3.4. Appropriate skip patterns to allow the consumer to complete the questionnaire in stages;
  - 2.7.3.5. Programming so that the consumer is unable to complete the questionnaire more than once; and
  - 2.7.3.6. A link on the entry page that takes the consumer to a page with information about the Contractor, including contact information with a toll free number to call with questions and an email address.

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2.7.4. The Contractor agrees that if the website is used to solicit information of individuals, the Contractor shall work with the DHHS Communications Bureau to ensure that any website designed, created, or managed on behalf of DHHS meets all NH DoIT website and social media requirements and policies and that any protected health information (PHI), personal information (PI), or other confidential information solicited either by social media or the website, shall not be maintained, stored or captured and shall not be further disclosed except as expressly provided in the contract.

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2.7.4.1. The solicitation or disclosure of any PHI, PI, or other confidential information shall be subject to the requirements in Exhibit K, Exhibit I, and all applicable state rules, or state or federal law.

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- 2.7.4.2. Unless specifically required by the contract and unless clear notice is provided to users of the website or social media, the Contractor agrees that site visitation will not be tracked, disclosed or used for website or social media analytics or marketing.
- 2.7.5. The Contractor shall use firewall protection and use Secure Socket Layer (SSL).
- 2.7.6. The Contractor shall be able to link each questionnaire completed for each username and password to the consumer information contained in the Contractor's data management system.
- 2.7.7. The Contractor shall collect the survey data from each survey, keeping the consumer name confidential, and prepare an electronic data file.
- 2.7.8. The Contractor shall ensure the consumer survey remains statistically valid by the standards of the Contractor, the Department and the Community Mental Health Centers.
- 2.7.9. The Contractor shall establish Department-approved guidelines to determine if a completed survey is unusable.
- 2.7.10. The Contractor shall supervise the collection process to ensure that all data is gathered according to the protocol.
- 2.7.11. The Contractor shall compile and maintain data from completed surveys, to be utilized in completion of statistical analysis for reporting as outlined in Section 3, Reporting and Deliverable Requirements.

## 2.8. Training and Protocol For Working With Mental Health Clients

- 2.8.1. The Contractor shall develop a written protocol for working with respondents who are mental health clients, and submit it to the Department for approval by the date identified in the approved work plan.
- 2.8.2. The Contractor shall utilize the written protocol developed and approved by the Department for working with respondents who are mental health clients and for making appropriate referrals to a Departmental Behavioral Health staff member or other Department approved resource as needed.
- 2.8.3. The Contractor shall ensure all staff interacting with survey respondents are properly trained in working with mental health clients which includes, but is not limited to:

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- 2.8.3.1. Training in the protocol for handling clients that may be agitated.
- 2.8.3.2. How to make appropriate referrals for agitated clients to a Departmental Behavioral Health staff member.
- 2.8.3.3. Training in non-directive interviewing methods.
- 2.8.3.4. Training on how to maintain the confidentiality of all information collected.

## 2.9. Data Collection and Data File Development

- 2.9.1. The Contractor shall collect the survey data, keeping all potentially identifying consumer information confidential, and shall prepare an electronic data file with respondent-level response data for all survey questions, along with a document indicating the file layout of the data file.
- 2.9.2. The Contractor shall ensure process integrity at all times and at all levels (Department and CMHC), following the approved survey protocol.
- 2.9.3. The Contractor shall establish Department-approved guidelines to determine if a returned survey is complete or unusable.
- 2.9.4. The Contractor shall supervise the collection process to ensure that all data is gathered according to the specific protocol for the survey as approved by the Department.
- 2.9.5. The Contractor shall develop a survey codebook and data dictionary for both surveys to document the variable names and response value coding assigned for each question.
- 2.9.6. The Contractor shall prepare and submit to the Department:
  - 2.9.6.1. The final survey files.
  - 2.9.6.2. Codebooks and data dictionaries.
  - 2.9.6.3. Documentation of sampling strategy.
  - 2.9.6.4. Weighting methods.
  - 2.9.6.5. Statistical analysis procedures.
- 2.9.7. The Contractor shall enter longer open-ended answers into an Excel spreadsheet and submit them to the Department.
- 2.9.8. The Contractor shall compile and maintain data from completed surveys in order to complete statistical analysis for reporting as described in Subsection 2.11, Analysis Requirements.
- 2.9.9. The Contractor shall ensure any database used for analysis purposes does not have names or addresses of consumers on the file.

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- 2.9.10. The Contractor shall provide final electronic survey data to the Department upon completion of the survey results report. The Contractor shall ensure data files include, but are not limited to:
  - 2.9.10.1. A file in .csv format containing individual respondent level responses for each question.
  - 2.9.10.2. Identification of any weighting and sample design variables needed to complete the analysis.
  - 2.9.10.3. Identification of the CMHC from which the respondent was selected.
  - 2.9.10.4. Demographic characteristics obtained.
  - 2.9.10.5. A Microsoft Excel workbook with separate tabs for:
    - 2.9.10.5.1. The tabular weighted frequencies and ninety-five percent (95%) confidence intervals for each question and for any composite or calculated measures.
    - 2.9.10.5.2. Responses to open ended questions.
    - 2.9.10.5.3. Corrected consumer contact information.
    - 2.9.10.5.4. Each CMHC that includes, but is not limited to:
      - 2.9.10.5.4.1. The number of respondents selected;
      - 2.9.10.5.4.2. The final number of respondents with completed surveys;
      - 2.9.10.5.4.3. The number of selected respondents with unusable contact information;
      - 2.9.10.5.4.4. The number of surveys that were incomplete or unusable; and

2.9.10.5.4.5. The response rate.

### 2.10. Data Confidentiality and Retention

- 2.10.1. The Contractor shall develop and utilize a Department-approved plan for data security, confidentiality, disaster recovery, and remote back up procedures.
- 2.10.2. The Contractor shall utilize methods to ensure all data is securely and confidentially maintained, which includes but is not limited to:
  - 2.10.2.1. Maintaining paper records in locked rooms and cabinets.
  - 2.10.2.2. Ensuring password protections are implemented on work stations and servers.
  - 2.10.2.3. Encrypting any portable devices;

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- 2.10.2.4. Limiting access such that individuals are only able to access information and resources that are necessary for legitimate purpose.
- 2.10.2.5. Limiting staff access to only those sections necessary for conducting staff functions.
- 2.10.2.6. Ensuring policies and procedures are in place that ensure appropriate training of staff for safeguarding confidentiality of the data.
- 2.10.3. The Contractor shall securely store the completed paper surveys, the web surveys, and the results of the CATI interviews for up to one (1) year after the survey is completed.
- 2.10.4. The Contractor shall properly destroy the paper surveys and the files containing survey results upon one (1) year after the survey is completed and only upon receiving Department approval for destruction of survey results.
- 2.10.5. The Contractor shall utilize a secure encrypted process to receive and send data securely, which allows the Department and CMHCs to transfer information to the Contractor.
- 2.10.6. The Contractor shall encrypt any personally identifiable information that is in transit and/or at rest.

## 2.11. Analysis Requirements

- 2.11.1. The Contractor shall provide survey results to the Department in the timeframe established in the project work plan as listed in Exhibit A-1.
- 2.11.2. The Contractor shall utilize a Department-approved analysis and reporting plan.
- 2.11.3. The Contractor shall complete statistical analysis of the survey data including, but not limited to:
  - 2.11.3.1. Demographics of the population.
  - 2.11.3.2. Service Provision.
  - 2.11.3.3. Participation with Treatment Team.
  - 2.11.3.4. General Satisfaction.
  - 2.11.3.5. Quality of Services.
  - 2.11.3.6. Social Connections.
  - 2.11.3.7. Function and Outcomes.
  - 2.11.3.8. Any standard measures required by SAMHSA.

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- 2.11.4. The Contractor shall, as part of the statistical analysis, calculate and display confidence intervals for survey estimates and perform significance testing comparing:
  - 2.11.4.1. CMHC current performance to prior years' performances and to the Department's average performance.
  - 2.11.4.2. The Department's average performance to prior years' performances.
- 2.11.5. The Contractor shall ensure confidence intervals and statistical testing are adjusted for sample design and weighting, as statistically appropriate.
- 2.11.6. The Contractor shall ensure survey data, reports, and any other information regarding the survey is released to the Department only.
- 2.11.7. The Contractor utilize a detailed data analysis plan as approved by the Department that includes, but is not limited to:
  - 2.11.7.1. Weighting survey data to account for sampling design.
  - 2.11.7.2. Descriptive frequencies to describe the sample of respondents.
  - 2.11.7.3. Client satisfaction domain and item-specific scores analyses.
  - 2.11.7.4. Subgroup analyses.
  - 2.11.7.5. CMHC-specific analyses.
  - 2.11.7.6. Trend analyses.
  - 2.11.7.7. Statistical testing.
  - 2.11.7.8. Behavioral outcomes including, but not limited to:
    - 2.11.7.8.1. Arrests and encounters with police.
    - 2.11.7.8.2. Participation in social activities.
    - 2.11.7.8.3. School attendance and/or expulsions or suspensions.
  - 2.11.7.9. Quantitative analyses of open-ended questions.
  - 2.11.7.10. Summary data reports.
  - 2.11.7.11. Individualized program reports.
- 2.12. In Person Presentations of Survey Results
  - 2.12.1. The Contractor shall provide up to three (3) formal, in-person presentations to the Department, selected stakeholders, such as the Chief Executive Officers of the CMHCs, and the New Hampshire Mental Health Planning and Advisory Council following the annual report submission which:

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- 2.12.1.1. Are approximately sixty (60) to ninety (90) minutes in length.
- 2.12.1.2. Include the survey results and reports.
- 2.12.1.3. Provide answers to any questions during the presentations.
- 2.12.2. The Contractor may use written, verbal, and electronic media to present the survey results.
- 2.12.3. The Contractor may be required to provide additional presentations to other stakeholders, as directed by the Department.
- 2.13. Data and Documents Requirements
  - 2.13.1. The Contractor agrees that ownership of all data collected for, and analysis resulting from this survey, belongs exclusively to the Department.
  - 2.13.2. The Contractor shall include, "Credits" on all documents, notices, press releases, research reports and other materials, in accordance with Exhibit C, Paragraph 13.
  - 2.13.3. The Contractor agrees to, "Prior Approval and Copyright Ownership", in accordance with Exhibit C, Paragraph 14.

## 3. Reporting Requirements

- 3.1. The Contractor shall provide, upon approval of the Department, printed Consumer Survey Reports that are:
  - 3.1.1. Coil bound.
  - 3.1.2. Have light card stock covers.
- 3.2. The Contractor shall develop a statewide report of survey results that includes annual reports of trending data for the current year as well as the previous three (3) years for each of the ten (10) Community Mental Health Centers.
- 3.3. The Contractor shall submit Consumer Survey Report drafts for Department review, by October 1, 2019.
- 3.4. The Contractor shall provide all reports as PDFs and ensure:
  - 3.4.1. Reports are proofread by the Department prior to printing or distribution.
  - 3.4.2. All graphics are consistently formatted.
  - 3.4.3. Adequate spacing.
  - 3.4.4. Legibility.
  - 3.4.5. Professional presentation.
  - 3.4.6. Color charts are utilized.



- 3.5. The Contractor shall design the reports to document, in common English, beyond statistical tables, the interpretation of the results in a manner that is easily understood by CMHC staff, DHHS program staff and the general public who may have little to no knowledge in research, program or evaluation.
- 3.6. The Contractor shall submit one (1) report that summarizes the statistical analysis defined in Section 2.11 for Department approval by the date defined in the work plan as listed in Exhibit A-1.
- 3.7. The Contractor shall complete the Uniform Reporting System (URS) tables 9, 11, 11A, 19A, and 19B on the required reports, as established by the National Research Institute, Inc. (NRI) or the Center for Mental Health Services/Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (CMHS/SAMHSA).
- 3.8. The Contractor shall prepare other reports as requested by the Department.

## 4. Performance Measures

- 4.1. The Contractor shall ensure survey response rates achieved for each module are at least fifty percent (50%).
- 4.2. The Contractor shall unobtrusively monitor ten percent (10%) of interviews for the purpose of quality assurance and provide feedback to interviewers.
- 4.3. The Contractor shall ensure ninety-five percent (95%) confidence intervals for each question and for any composite or calculated measures.

## 5. Deliverables

5.1. The Contractor shall provide deliverables to the Department in the timeframe established in the project work plan as listed in Exhibit A-1.

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	Work Plan for Calendar Year 2019 and Calendar Year 2020		
Activi	ty/Deliverable	Due Date	
1	Written and approved work plan	2/8	
2	Written and approved plan for data security and confidentiality, disaster recovery,	2/12	
-	and remote backup procedures		
3	Written and approved survey methodology and data collection protocol	2/15	
4a	Total eligible sample numbers received by JSI from DHHS	2/20	
4b	Approved sample methodology	2/25	
	Database transferred to JSI with:		
4c	-CMHC	3/4	
	-Unique client ID	-, -	
	-Demographic variables		
4d	JSI selects samples	3/8	
4e	JSI sends DHHS selected IDs	3/8	
<u>4f</u>	DHHS posts selected IDs to CMHC folders	3/8	
	CMHCs add corresponding client information:		
	-Name		
4g	-Addresses	3/22	
75	-Phone numbers	5,22	
	-Primary language		
	-homeless		
4h	JSI compiles complete data base of selected samples from 10 CMHCs	3/25	
4i	JSI completes drawing of the sample	3/29	
5a	Written and approved final print ready paper survey	3/6	
5b	Programmed and approved final web survey	3/15	
Sc	Written and approved final telephone follow up protocol using web survey	6/3	
5d	Department approved all client letters	3/20	
6	Department approved training and protocol for working with mental health clients	6/3	
	Pre-notification results letter	4/2-4/9	
	Survey + cash incentive	4/22-4/23	
-	Reminder letter	5/6-5/7	
7	Second survey	5/20-5/21	
	Second reminder letter	6/3-6/4	
	Telephone follow-up	6/17 - 8/23	
8	Written and approved analysis plan including DHHS guidelines to determine if a returned survey is complete or unusable	· 8/9	
9	Completed and approved data collection and data compilation	9/6	
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11a	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file containing responses to open ended questions	10/18
11b	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file containing corrected consumer contact information	10/18
12	Completed and Approved Uniform Reporting System (URS) Tables 9, 11, 11a, 19a, and 19b on the required reports	10/28
13	Approved final electronic survey data delivered to DHHS	11/4
14a	JSI produces a .csv file containing: -Individual respondent-level responses for each question -Weighting and sample design variables need for analysis -CMHC the respondent was selected from -Demographic characteristics obtained from the survey questions or CMHC's	12/2
14b	JSI produces a Microsoft Excel file with tabular weighted frequencies and 95% confidence intervals for each question and any composite or calculated measures	11/15
14c	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file for each CMHC containing: -Number of respondents selected -Number of respondents with completed surveys -Number of respondents with unusable contact information -Number of surveys that were incomplete or unusable -Response rate	12/2
15	Written and approved final public mental health consumer survey report delivered electronically to DHHS	12/13
16	Delivered and approved printed reports (less than 50)	12/30
17	Completed and Approved Onsite Presentations (up to 3)	12/20

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### Exhibit B

# Method and Conditions Precedent to Payment

- The State shall pay the Contractor an amount not to exceed the Form P-37, General Provisions Block 1.8, Price Limitation for the services provided by the Contractor pursuant to Exhibit A, Scope of Services. Failure to meet the scope of services may jeopardize the funded Contractor's current and/or future funding.
- 2. This agreement is funded with Other Funds.
- 3. The Contractor agrees to provide the services in Exhibit A, Scope of Service in compliance with funding requirements.
- 4. Payment for said services shall be made as follows:
  - 4.1. The Contractor shall keep detailed records of their activities related to DHHS-funded programs and services.
  - 4.2. The Contractor shall be reimbursed, up to the maximum allowable price, for actual activities provided and approved by the Department according to the Cost deliverables in Exhibit B-1 and the Time deliverables in Exhibit A-1.
  - 4.3. The State shall make payment to the Contractor within thirty (30) days of receipt of each invoice for services provided pursuant to this Agreement.
  - 4.4. The Contractor shall submit an invoice in a form satisfactory to the State by the twentieth (20<sup>th</sup>) working day of each month, which identifies and requests reimbursement for authorized expenses incurred in the prior month.
  - 4.5. The invoice must be completed, signed, dated and returned to the Department in order to initiate payment. The Contractor agrees to keep records of their activities related to Department programs and services.
  - 4.6. The invoice must be completed, signed, dated and returned to the Department in order to initiate payment. The Contractor agrees to keep records of their activities related to Department programs and services.
  - 4.7. The State shall make payment to the Contractor within thirty (30) days of receipt of each invoice, subsequent to approval of the submitted invoice and if sufficient funds are available.
  - 4.8. The Contractor shall submit the final invoice to the Department no later than forty (40) days after the contract completion date identified in Form P-37, General Provisions, Block 1.7, Completion Date.
  - 4.9: In lieu of hard copies, all invoices may be assigned an electronic signature and emailed to <u>Beth.Nichols@dhhs.nh.gov</u>, or invoices may be mailed to:

MHBG State Planner Department of Health and Human Services Division of Behavioral Health, Bureau of Mental Health Services 105 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301

- 4.10. Payments may be withheld pending receipt of required reports or documentation as identified in Exhibit A, Scope of Services and in this Exhibit B.
- 5. Notwithstanding paragraph 18 of the General Provisions P-37, changes limited to adjusting encumbrances between State Fiscal Years, may be made by written agreement of both parties and may be made without obtaining approval of the Governor and Executive Council.

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	Cost per Deliverables per year		
	for Calendar Year 2019 and Calendar Year 2020		
Activit	y/Deliverable		Cost
1	Written and approved work plan	\$	1,800.00
2	Written an approved plan for data security and confidentiality, disaster recovery,	\$	1,000.00
2	and remote backup procedures	ې 	1,000.00
3	Written and approved survey methodology and data collection protocol	\$	2,000.00
4a	Total eligible sample numbers received by JSI from DHHS		
4b	Approved sample methodology	\$	2,000.00
	Database transferred to JSI with:		
	-CMHC		
4c	-Unique client ID		
	-Demographic variables		
4d	JSI selects samples	\$	1,000.00
4e	JSI sends DHHS selected IDs	\$	2,000.00
4f	DHHS posts selected IDs to CMHC folders		
	CMHCs add corresponding client information:		
	-Name		
_	-Addresses		
4g	-Phone numbers		
	-Primary language		
	-homeless		
4h	JSI compiles complete data base of selected samples from 10 CMHCs	\$	2,000.00
4i	JSI completes drawing of the sample	\$	2,000.00
5a	Written and approved final print ready paper survey	\$	3,000.00
5b	Programmed and approved final web survey	\$	3,000.00
5c	Written and approved final telephone follow up protocol using web survey	\$	2,000.00
5d	Department approved all client letters	\$	1,000.00
6	Department approved training and protocol for working with mental health	\$	1,000.00
ס	clients	Ş	1,000.00
	Pre-notification results letter		
	Survey + cash incentive		
7	Reminder letter	\$	45,000.00
/	, Second survey	Ş	45,000.00
	Second reminder letter		
	Telephone follow-up		
_	Written and approved analysis plan including DHHS guidelines to determine if a		1 000 00
8	returned survey is complete or unusable	\$	1,000.00
9	Completed and approved data collection and data compilation	\$	1,200.00
10	Draft of public mental consumer survey report	\$	2,200.00

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11a	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file containing responses to open ended questions	\$	500.00
11b	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file containing corrected consumer contact information	\$	500.00
12	Completed and Approved Uniform Reporting System (URS) Tables 9, 11, 11a, 19a, and 19b on the required reports	\$	1,000.00
13	Approved final electronic survey data delivered to DHHS	\$	500.00
14a	JSI produces a .csv file containing: -Individual respondent-level responses for each question -Weighting and sample design variables need for analysis -CMHC the respondent was selected from -Demographic characteristics obtained from the survey questions or CMHC's	\$	2,000.00
14b	JSI produces a Microsoft Excel file with tabular weighted frequencies and 95% confidence intervals for each question and any composite or calculated measures	\$	2,500.00
14c	JSI transfers a Microsoft Excel file for each CMHC containing: -Number of respondents selected -Number of respondents with completed surveys -Number of respondents with unusable contact information -Number of surveys that were incomplete or unusable -Response rate	\$	3,000.00
15	Written and approved final public mental health consumer survey report delivered electronically to DHHS	\$	500.00
16	Delivered and approved printed reports (less than 50)	\$	300.00
17	Completed and Approved Onsite Presentations (up to 3)	\$	261.00
	TOTAL COST PER YEAR		84,261.00
	Total Cost for Calendary Year 2019 and Calendar Year 2020	\$	168,522.00

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### SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Contractors Obligations: The Contractor covenants and agrees that all funds received by the Contractor under the Contract shall be used only as payment to the Contractor for services provided to eligible individuals and, in the furtherance of the aforesaid covenants, the Contractor hereby covenants and agrees as follows:

- 1. Compliance with Federal and State Laws: If the Contractor is permitted to determine the eligibility of individuals such eligibility determination shall be made in accordance with applicable federal and state laws, regulations, orders, guidelines, policies and procedures.
- 2. Time and Manner of Determination: Eligibility determinations shall be made on forms provided by the Department for that purpose and shall be made and remade at such times as are prescribed by the Department.
- 3. **Documentation:** In addition to the determination forms required by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain a data file on each recipient of services hereunder, which file shall include all information necessary to support an eligibility determination and such other information as the Department requests. The Contractor shall furnish the Department with all forms and documentation regarding eligibility determinations that the Department may request or require.
- 4. Fair Hearings: The Contractor understands that all applicants for services hereunder, as well as individuals declared ineligible have a right to a fair hearing regarding that determination. The Contractor hereby covenants and agrees that all applicants for services shall be permitted to fill out an application form and that each applicant or re-applicant shall be informed of his/her right to a fair hearing in accordance with Department regulations.
- 5. Gratuities or Kickbacks: The Contractor agrees that it is a breach of this Contract to accept or make a payment, gratuity or offer of employment on behalf of the Contractor, any Sub-Contractor or the State in order to influence the performance of the Scope of Work detailed in Exhibit A of this Contract. The State may terminate this Contract and any sub-contract or sub-agreement if it is determined that payments, gratuities or offers of employment of any kind were offered or received by any officials, officers, employees or agents of the Contractor or Sub-Contractor.
- 6. **Retroactive Payments:** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Contract or in any other document, contract or understanding, it is expressly understood and agreed by the parties hereto, that no payments will be made hereunder to reimburse the Contractor for costs incurred for any purpose or for any services provided to any individual prior to the Effective Date of the Contract and no payments shall be made for expenses incurred by the Contractor for any services provided prior to the date on which the individual applies for services or (except as otherwise provided by the federal regulations) prior to a determination that the individual is eligible for such services.
- 7. Conditions of Purchase: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Contract, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to obligate or require the Department to purchase services hereunder at a rate which reimburses the Contractor in excess of the Contractors costs, at a rate which exceeds the amounts reasonable and necessary to assure the quality of such service, or at a rate which exceeds the rate charged by the Contractor to ineligible individuals or other third party funders for such service. If at any time during the term of this Contract or after receipt of the Final Expenditure Report hereunder, the Department shall determine that the Contractor has used payments hereunder to reimburse items of expense other than such costs, or has received payment in excess of such costs or in excess of such rates charged by the Contractor to ineligible individuals or other third party funders, the Department may elect to:
  - 7.1. Renegotiate the rates for payment hereunder, in which event new rates shall be established;
  - 7.2. Deduct from any future payment to the Contractor the amount of any prior reimbursement in excess of costs;

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7.3. Demand repayment of the excess payment by the Contractor in which event failure to make such repayment shall constitute an Event of Default hereunder. When the Contractor is permitted to determine the eligibility of individuals for services, the Contractor agrees to reimburse the Department for all funds paid by the Department to the Contractor for services provided to any individual who is found by the Department to be ineligible for such services at any time during the period of retention of records established herein.

RECORDS: MAINTENANCE, RETENTION, AUDIT, DISCLOSURE AND CONFIDENTIALITY:

- 8. **Maintenance of Records:** In addition to the eligibility records specified above, the Contractor covenants and agrees to maintain the following records during the Contract Period:
  - 8.1. Fiscal Records: books, records, documents and other data evidencing and reflecting all costs and other expenses incurred by the Contractor in the performance of the Contract, and all income received or collected by the Contractor during the Contract Period, said records to be maintained in accordance with accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all such costs and expenses, and which are acceptable to the Department, and to include, without limitation, all ledgers, books, records, and original evidence of costs such as purchase requisitions and orders, vouchers, requisitions for materials, inventories, valuations of in-kind contributions, labor time cards, payrolls, and other records requested or required by the Department.
  - 8.2. Statistical Records: Statistical, enrollment, attendance or visit records for each recipient of services during the Contract Period, which records shall include all records of application and eligibility (including all forms required to determine eligibility for each such recipient), records regarding the provision of services and all invoices submitted to the Department to obtain payment for such services.
  - 8.3. Medical Records: Where appropriate and as prescribed by the Department regulations, the Contractor shall retain medical records on each patient/recipient of services.
- 9. Audit: Contractor shall submit an annual audit to the Department within 60 days after the close of the agency fiscal year. It is recommended that the report be prepared in accordance with the provision of Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non Profit Organizations" and the provisions of Standards for Audit of Governmental Organizations, Programs, Activities and Functions, issued by the US General Accounting Office (GAO standards) as they pertain to financial compliance audits.
  - 9.1. Audit and Review: During the term of this Contract and the period for retention hereunder, the Department, the United States Department of Health and Humán Services, and any of their designated representatives shall have access to all reports and records maintained pursuant to the Contract for purposes of audit, examination, excerpts and transcripts.
  - 9.2. Audit Liabilities: In addition to and not in any way in limitation of obligations of the Contract, it is understood and agreed by the Contractor that the Contractor shall be held liable for any state or federal audit exceptions and shall return to the Department, all payments made under the Contract to which exception has been taken or which have been disallowed because of such an exception.
- 10. **Confidentiality of Records:** All information, reports, and records maintained hereunder or collected in connection with the performance of the services and the Contract shall be confidential and shallnot be disclosed by the Contractor, provided however, that pursuant to state laws and the regulations of the Department regarding the use and disclosure of such information, disclosure may be made to public officials requiring such information in connection with their official duties and for purposes directly connected to the administration of the services and the Contract; and provided further, that the use or disclosure by any party of any information concerning a recipient for any purpose not directly connected with the administration of the Department or the Contractor's responsibilities with respect to purchased services hereunder is prohibited except on written consent of the recipient, his attorney or guardian.

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Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein the covenants and conditions contained in the Paragraph shall survive the termination of the Contract for any reason whatsoever.

- 11. **Reports:** Fiscal and Statistical: The Contractor agrees to submit the following reports at the following times if requested by the Department.
  - 11.1. Interim Financial Reports: Written interim financial reports containing a detailed description of all costs and non-allowable expenses incurred by the Contractor to the date of the report and containing such other information as shall be deemed satisfactory by the Department to justify the rate of payment hereunder. Such Financial Reports shall be submitted on the form designated by the Department or deemed satisfactory by the Department.
  - 11.2. Final Report: A final report shall be submitted within thirty (30) days after the end of the term of this Contract. The Final Report shall be in a form satisfactory to the Department and shall contain a summary statement of progress toward goals and objectives stated in the Proposal and other information required by the Department.
- 12. Completion of Services: Disallowance of Costs: Upon the purchase by the Department of the maximum number of units provided for in the Contract and upon payment of the price limitation hereunder, the Contract and all the obligations of the parties hereunder (except such obligations as, by the terms of the Contract are to be performed after the end of the term of this Contract and/or survive the termination of the Contract) shall terminate, provided however, that if, upon review of the Final Expenditure Report the Department shall disallow any expenses claimed by the Contractor as costs hereunder the Department shall retain the right, at its discretion, to deduct the amount of such expenses as are disallowed or to recover such sums from the Contractor.
- 13. Credits: All documents, notices, press releases, research reports and other materials prepared during or resulting from the performance of the services of the Contract shall include the following statement:
  - 13.1. The preparation of this (report, document etc.) was financed under a Contract with the State of New Hampshire, Department of Health and Human Services, with funds provided in part by the State of New Hampshire and/or such other funding sources as were available or required, e.g., the United States Department of Health and Human Services.
- 14. **Prior Approval and Copyright Ownership:** All materials (written, video, audio) produced or purchased under the contract shall have prior approval from DHHS before printing, production, distribution or use. The DHHS will retain copyright ownership for any and all original materials produced, including, but not limited to, brochures, resource directories, protocols or guidelines, posters, or reports. Contractor shall not reproduce any materials produced under the contract without prior written approval from DHHS.
- 15. Operation of Facilities: Compliance with Laws and Regulations: In the operation of any facilities for providing services, the Contractor shall comply with all laws, orders and regulations of federal, state, county and municipal authorities and with any direction of any Public Officer or officers pursuant to laws which shall impose an order or duty upon the contractor with respect to the operation of the facility or the provision of the services at such facility. If any governmental license or permit shall be required for the operation of the said facility or the performance of the said services, the Contractor will procure said license or permit, and will at all times comply with the terms and conditions of each such license or permit. In connection with the foregoing requirements, the Contractor hereby covenants and agrees that, during the term of this Contract the facilities shall comply with all rules, orders, regulations, and requirements of the State Office of the Fire Marshal and the local fire protection agency, and shall be in conformance with local building and zoning codes, by-laws and regulations.
- 16. Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP): The Contractor will provide an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP) to the Office for Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs (OCR), if it has received a single award of \$500,000 or more. If the recipient receives \$25,000 or more and has 50 or

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more employees, it will maintain a current EEOP on file and submit an EEOP Certification Form to the OCR, certifying that its EEOP is on file. For recipients receiving less than \$25,000, or public grantees with fewer than 50 employees, regardless of the amount of the award, the recipient will provide an EEOP Certification Form to the OCR certifying it is not required to submit or maintain an EEOP. Non-profit organizations, Indian Tribes, and medical and educational institutions are exempt from the EEOP requirement, but are required to submit a certification form to the OCR to claim the exemption. EEOP Certification Forms are available at: http://www.ojp.usdoj/about/ocr/pdfs/cert.pdf.

- 17. Limited English Proficiency (LEP): As clarified by Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination on the basis of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Contractors must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to its programs.
- Pilot Program for Enhancement of Contractor Employee Whistleblower Protections: The following shall apply to all contracts that exceed the Simplified Acquisition Threshold as defined in48 CFR 2.101 (currently, \$150,000)

CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEE WHISTLEBLOWER RIGHTS AND REQUIREMENT TO INFORM EMPLOYEES OF WHISTLEBLOWER RIGHTS (SEP 2013)

(a) This contract and employees working on this contract will be subject to the whistleblower rights and remedies in the pilot program on Contractor employee whistleblower protections established at 41 U.S.C. 4712 by section 828 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (Pub. L. 112-239) and FAR 3.908.

(b) The Contractor shall inform its employees in writing, in the predominant language of the workforce, of employee whistleblower rights and protections under 41 U.S.C. 4712, as described in section 3.908 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.

(c) The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts over the simplified acquisition threshold.

19. Subcontractors: DHHS recognizes that the Contractor may choose to use subcontractors with greater expertise to perform certain health care services or functions for efficiency or convenience, but the Contractor shall retain the responsibility and accountability for the function(s). Prior to subcontracting, the Contractor shall evaluate the subcontractor's ability to perform the delegated function(s). This is accomplished through a written agreement that specifies activities and reporting responsibilities of the subcontractor and provides for revoking the delegation or imposing sanctions if the subcontractor's performance is not adequate. Subcontractors are subject to the same contractual conditions as the Contractor and the Contractor is responsible to ensure subcontractor compliance with those conditions.

When the Contractor delegates a function to a subcontractor, the Contractor shall do the following:

- 19.1. Evaluate the prospective subcontractor's ability to perform the activities, before delegating the function
- 19.2. Have a written agreement with the subcontractor that specifies activities and reporting responsibilities and how sanctions/revocation will be managed if the subcontractor's performance is not adequate
- 19.3. Monitor the subcontractor's performance on an ongoing basis

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19.4. Provide to DHHS an annual schedule identifying all subcontractors, delegated functions and responsibilities, and when the subcontractor's performance will be reviewed

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19.5. DHHS shall, at its discretion, review and approve all subcontracts.

If the Contractor identifies deficiencies or areas for improvement are identified, the Contractor shall take corrective action.

### 20. Contract Definitions:

- 20.1. COSTS: Shall mean those direct and indirect items of expense determined by the Department to be allowable and reimbursable in accordance with cost and accounting principles established in accordance with state and federal laws, regulations, rules and orders.
- 20.2. DEPARTMENT: NH Department of Health and Human Services.
- 20.3. PROPOSAL: If applicable, shall mean the document submitted by the Contractor on a form or forms required by the Department and containing a description of the services and/or goods to be provided by the Contractor in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Contract and setting forth the total cost and sources of revenue for each service to be provided under the Contract.
- 20.4. UNIT: For each service that the Contractor is to provide to eligible individuals hereunder, shall mean that period of time or that specified activity determined by the Department and specified in Exhibit B of the Contract.
- 20.5. FEDERAL/STATE LAW: Wherever federal or state laws, regulations, rules, orders, and policies, etc. are referred to in the Contract, the said reference shall be deemed to mean all such laws, regulations, etc. as they may be amended or revised from time to time.
- 20.6. SUPPLANTING OTHER FEDERAL FUNDS: Funds provided to the Contractor under this Contract will not supplant any existing federal funds available for these services.

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### **REVISIONS TO STANDARD CONTRACT LANGUAGE**

- 1. Revisions to Form P-37, General Provisions
  - 1.1. Section 4, Conditional Nature of Agreement, is replaced as follows:
    - 4. CONDITIONAL NATURE OF AGREEMENT.

Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, all obligations of the State hereunder, including without limitation, the continuance of payments, in whole or in part, under this Agreement are contingent upon continued appropriation or availability of funds, including any subsequent changes to the appropriation or availability of funds affected by any state or federal legislative or executive action that reduces, eliminates, or otherwise modifies the appropriation or availability of funding for this Agreement and the Scope of Services provided in Exhibit A, Scope of Services, in whole or in part. In no event shall the State be liable for any payments hereunder in excess of appropriated or available funds. In the event of a reduction, termination or modification of appropriated or available funds, the State shall have the right to reduce, terminate or modify services under this Agreement immediately upon giving the Contractor notice of such reduction, termination or modification. The State shall not be required to transfer funds from any other source or account into the Account(s) identified in block 1.6 of the General Provisions, Account Number, or any other account in the event funds are reduced or unavailable.

- 1.2. Section 10, <u>Termination</u>, is amended by adding the following language:
  - 10.1 The State may terminate the Agreement at any time for any reason, at the sole discretion of the State, 30 days after giving the Contractor written notice that the State is exercising its option to terminate the Agreement.
  - 10.2 In the event of early termination, the Contractor shall, within 15 days of notice of early termination, develop and submit to the State a Transition Plan for services under the Agreement, including but not limited to, identifying the present and future needs of clients receiving services under the Agreement and establishes a process to meet those needs.
  - 10.3 The Contractor shall fully cooperate with the State and shall promptly provide detailed information to support the Transition Plan including, but not limited to, any information or data requested by the State related to the termination of the Agreement and Transition Plan and shall provide ongoing communication and revisions of the Transition Plan to the State as requested.
  - 10.4 In the event that services under the Agreement, including but not limited to clients receiving services under the Agreement are transitioned to having services delivered by another entity including contracted providers or the State, the Contractor shall provide a process for uninterrupted delivery of services in the Transition Plan.
  - 10.5 The Contractor shall establish a method of notifying clients and other affected individuals about the transition. The Contractor shall include the proposed communications in its Transition Plan submitted to the State as described above.

### 2. Renewal

2.1. The Department reserves the right to extend this agreement for up to two (2) additional years, contingent upon satisfactory delivery of services, available funding, written agreement of the parties and approval of the Governor and Executive Council.



### CERTIFICATION REGARDING DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Sections 5151-5160 of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D; 41 U.S.C. 701 et seq.), and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

#### **ALTERNATIVE I - FOR GRANTEES OTHER THAN INDIVIDUALS**

#### US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - CONTRACTORS US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - CONTRACTORS US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - CONTRACTORS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Sections 5151-5160 of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D; 41 U.S.C. 701 et seq.). The January 31, 1989 regulations were amended and published as Part II of the May 25, 1990 Federal Register (pages 21681-21691), and require certification by grantees (and by inference, sub-grantees and sub-contractors), prior to award, that they will maintain a drug-free workplace. Section 3017.630(c) of the regulation provides that a grantee (and by inference, sub-grantees and sub-contractors) that is a State may elect to make one certification to the Department in each federal fiscal year in lieu of certificates for each grant during the federal fiscal year covered by the certification. The certificate set out below is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when the agency awards the grant. False certification or violation of the certification shall be grounds for suspension of payments, suspension or termination of grants, or government wide suspension or debarment. Contractors using this form should send it to:

Commissioner NH Department of Health and Human Services 129 Pleasant Street, Concord, NH 03301-6505

- 1. The grantee certifies that it will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - 1.1. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - 1.2. Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about
    - 1.2.1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    - 1.2.2. The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    - 1.2.3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and
    - 1.2.4. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;
  - 1.3. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - 1.4. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will
    - 1.4.1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    - 1.4.2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such conviction;
  - 1.5. Notifying the agency in writing, within ten calendar days after receiving notice under subparagraph 1.4.2 from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to every grant officer on whose grant activity the convicted employee was working, unless the Federal agency

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has designated a central point for the receipt of such notices. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant;

- Taking one of the following actions, within 30 calendar days of receiving notice under 1.6. subparagraph 1.4.2, with respect to any employee who is so convicted
  - 1.6.1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  - Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or 1,6.2. rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal. State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through 1.7. implementation of paragraphs 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, and 1.6.
- 2. The grantee may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific grant.

Place of Performance (street address, city, county, state, zip code) (list each location)

Check I if there are workplaces on file that are not identified here.

Contractor Name: JSI RESEARCH + TRATUING INSTITUTE INC.

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STEWART LANDERS Name:

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### **CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING**

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 319 of Public Law 101-121, Government wide Guidance for New Restrictions on Lobbying, and 31 U.S.C. 1352, and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - CONTRACTORS **US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - CONTRACTORS US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - CONTRACTORS** 

Programs (indicate applicable program covered): \*Temporary Assistance to Needy Families under Title IV-A \*Child Support Enforcement Program under Title IV-D \*Social Services Block Grant Program under Title XX \*Medicaid Program under Title XIX \*Community Services Block Grant under Title VI \*Child Care Development Block Grant under Title IV

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement (and by specific mention sub-grantee or sub-contractor).
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement (and by specific mention sub-grantee or subcontractor), the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form LLL, (Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying, in accordance with its instructions, attached and identified as Standard Exhibit E-I.)
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award document for sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Contractor Name: JSI RESEARCH + TRACINING INSTITUTE INC.

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#### CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Executive Office of the President, Executive Order 12549 and 45 CFR Part 76 regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters, and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal (contract), the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. If necessary, the prospective participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the NH Department of Health and Human Services' (DHHS) determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.
- 3. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when DHHS determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, DHHS may terminate this transaction for cause or default.
- 4. The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the DHHS agency to whom this proposal (contract) is submitted if at any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 5. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549: 45 CFR Part 76. See the attached definitions.
- 6. The prospective primary participant agrees by submitting this proposal (contract) that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by DHHS.
- 7. The prospective primary participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," provided by DHHS, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 8. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or involuntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Nonprocurement List (of excluded parties).
- 9. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and

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information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

10. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 6 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal government, DHHS may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

#### PRIMARY COVERED TRANSACTIONS

- 11. The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
  - 11.1. are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
  - 11.2. have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal (contract) been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or a contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - 11.3. are not presently indicted for otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (I)(b) of this certification; and
  - 11.4. have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- 12. Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal (contract).

#### LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

- 13. By signing and submitting this lower tier proposal (contract), the prospective lower tier participant, as defined in 45 CFR Part 76, certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals:
  - 13.1. are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
  - 13.2. where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the above, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal (contract).
- 14. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal (contract) that it will include this clause entitled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.

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#### CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS PERTAINING TO FEDERAL NONDISCRIMINATION, EQUAL TREATMENT OF FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS AND WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTIONS

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees by signature of the Contractor's representative as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions, to execute the following certification:

Contractor will comply, and will require any subgrantees or subcontractors to comply, with any applicable federal nondiscrimination requirements, which may include:

- the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. Section 3789d) which prohibits recipients of federal funding under this statute from discriminating, either in employment practices or in the delivery of services or benefits, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, and sex. The Act requires certain recipients to produce an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan;

- the Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Act of 2002 (42 U.S.C. Section 5672(b)) which adopts by reference, the civil rights obligations of the Safe Streets Act. Recipients of federal funding under this statute are prohibited from discriminating, either in employment practices or in the delivery of services or benefits, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, and sex. The Act includes Equal Employment Opportunity Plan requirements;

- the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. Section 2000d, which prohibits recipients of federal financial assistance from discriminating on the basis of race, color, or national origin in any program or activity);

- the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Section 794), which prohibits recipients of Federal financial assistance from discriminating on the basis of disability, in regard to employment and the delivery of services or benefits, in any program or activity;

- the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Sections 12131-34), which prohibits discrimination and ensures equal opportunity for persons with disabilities in employment, State and local government services, public accommodations, commercial facilities, and transportation;

- the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 U.S.C. Sections 1681, 1683, 1685-86), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in federally assisted education programs;

- the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. Sections 6106-07), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age in programs or activities receiving Federal financial assistance. It does not include employment discrimination;

- 28 C.F.R. pt. 31 (U.S. Department of Justice Regulations - OJJDP Grant Programs); 28 C.F.R. pt. 42 (U.S. Department of Justice Regulations - Nondiscrimination; Equal Employment Opportunity; Policies and Procedures); Executive Order No. 13279 (equal protection of the laws for faith-based and community organizations): Executive Order No. 13559, which provide fundamental principles and policy-making criteria for partnerships with faith-based and neighborhood organizations;

- 28 C.F.R. pt. 38 (U.S. Department of Justice Regulations - Equal Treatment for Faith-Based Organizations); and Whistleblower protections 41 U.S.C. §4712 and The National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year 2013 (Pub. L. 112-239, enacted January 2, 2013) the Pilot Program for Enhancement of Contract Employee Whistleblower Protections, which protects employees against reprisal for certain whistle blowing activities in connection with federal grants and contracts.

The certificate set out below is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when the agency awards the grant. False certification or violation of the certification shall be grounds for suspension of payments, suspension or termination of grants, or government wide suspension or debarment.

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In the event a Federal or State court or Federal or State administrative agency makes a finding of discrimination after a due process hearing on the grounds of race, color, religion, national origin, or sex against a recipient of funds, the recipient will forward a copy of the finding to the Office for Civil Rights, to the applicable contracting agency or division within the Department of Health and Human Services, and to the Department of Health and Human Services Office of the Ombudsman.

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees by signature of the Contractor's representative as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions, to execute the following certification:

1. By signing and submitting this proposal (contract) the Contractor agrees to comply with the provisions indicated above.

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Name: STEWART LANDERS Title: DIRECTOR, BOSTON HEALTH STEVICE

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#### CERTIFICATION REGARDING ENVIRONMENTAL TOBACCO SMOKE

Public Law 103-227, Part C - Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by Federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by Federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a civil monetary penalty of up to \$1000 per day and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees, by signature of the Contractor's representative as identified in Section 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions, to execute the following certification:

1. By signing and submitting this contract, the Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to comply with all applicable provisions of Public Law 103-227, Part C, known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994.

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### HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY ACT BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions of the Agreement agrees to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, Public Law 104-191 and with the Standards for Privacy and Security of Individually Identifiable Health Information, 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164 applicable to business associates. As defined herein, "Business Associate" shall mean the Contractor and subcontractors and agents of the Contractor that receive, use or have access to protected health information under this Agreement and "Covered Entity" shall mean the State of New Hampshire, Department of Health and Human Services.

## (1) <u>Definitions</u>.

- a. <u>"Breach"</u> shall have the same meaning as the term "Breach" in section 164.402 of Title 45, Code of Federal Regulations.
- b. <u>"Business Associate"</u> has the meaning given such term in section 160.103 of Title 45, Code of Federal Regulations.
- c. <u>"Covered Entity"</u> has the meaning given such term in section 160.103 of Title 45, Code of Federal Regulations.
- d. "<u>Designated Record Set</u>" shall have the same meaning as the term "designated record set" in 45 CFR Section 164.501.
- e. "<u>Data Aggregation</u>" shall have the same meaning as the term "data aggregation" in 45 CFR Section 164.501.
- f. "<u>Health Care Operations</u>" shall have the same meaning as the term "health care operations" in 45 CFR Section 164.501.
- g. <u>"HITECH Act"</u> means the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act, TitleXIII, Subtitle D, Part 1 & 2 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.
- h. "<u>HIPAA</u>" means the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, Public Law 104-191 and the Standards for Privacy and Security of Individually Identifiable Health Information, 45 CFR Parts 160, 162 and 164 and amendments thereto.
- i. "Individual" shall have the same meaning as the term "individual" in 45 CFR Section 160.103 and shall include a person who qualifies as a personal representative in accordance with 45 CFR Section 164.501(g).
- j. "<u>Privacy Rule</u>" shall mean the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information at 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164, promulgated under HIPAA by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.
- k. "<u>Protected Health Information</u>" shall have the same meaning as the term "protected health information" in 45 CFR Section 160.103, limited to the information created or received by Business Associate from or on behalf of Covered Entity.

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- "<u>Required by Law</u>" shall have the same meaning as the term "required by law" in 45CFR Section 164.103.
- *m.* "<u>Secretary</u>" shall mean the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services or his/her designee.
- n. "Security Rule" shall mean the Security Standards for the Protection of Electronic Protected Health Information at 45 CFR Part 164, Subpart C, and amendments thereto.
- o. <u>"Unsecured Protected Health Information"</u> means protected health information that is not secured by a technology standard that renders protected health information unusable, unreadable, or indecipherable to unauthorized individuals and is developed or endorsed by a standards developing organization that is accredited by the American National Standards Institute.
- p. <u>Other Definitions</u> All terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning established under 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164, as amended from time to time, and the HITECH Act.

## (2) Business Associate Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information.

- a. Business Associate shall not use, disclose, maintain or transmit Protected Health Information (PHI) except as reasonably necessary to provide the services outlined under Exhibit A of the Agreement. Further, Business Associate, including but not limited to all its directors, officers, employees and agents, shall not use, disclose, maintain or transmit PHI in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy and Security Rule.
- b. Business Associate may use or disclose PHI:
  - I. For the proper management and administration of the Business Associate;
  - II. As required by law, pursuant to the terms set forth in paragraph d. below; or
  - III. For data aggregation purposes for the health care operations of Covered Entity.
- c. To the extent Business Associate is permitted under the Agreement to disclose PHI to a third party, Business Associate must obtain, prior to making any such disclosure, (i) reasonable assurances from the third party that such PHI will be held confidentially and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purpose for which it was disclosed to the third party; and (ii) an agreement from such third party to notify Business Associate, in accordance with the HIPAA Privacy, Security, and Breach Notification Rules of any breaches of the confidentiality of the PHI, to the extent it has obtained knowledge of such breach.
- d. The Business Associate shall not, unless such disclosure is reasonably necessary to provide services under Exhibit A of the Agreement, disclose any PHI in response to a request for disclosure on the basis that it is required by law, without first notifying Covered Entity so that Covered Entity has an opportunity to object to the disclosure and to seek appropriate relief. If Covered Entity objects to such disclosure, the Business

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Associate shall refrain from disclosing the PHI until Covered Entity has exhausted all remedies.

e. If the Covered Entity notifies the Business Associate that Covered Entity has agreed to be bound by additional restrictions over and above those uses or disclosures or security safeguards of PHI pursuant to the Privacy and Security Rule, the Business Associate shall be bound by such additional restrictions and shall not disclose PHI in violation of such additional restrictions and shall abide by any additional security safeguards.

## (3) Obligations and Activities of Business Associate.

- a. The Business Associate shall notify the Covered Entity's Privacy Officer immediately after the Business Associate becomes aware of any use or disclosure of protected health information not provided for by the Agreement including breaches of unsecured protected health information and/or any security incident that may have an impact on the protected health information of the Covered Entity.
- b. The Business Associate shall immediately perform a risk assessment when it becomes aware of any of the above situations. The risk assessment shall include, but not be limited to:
  - o The nature and extent of the protected health information involved, including the types of identifiers and the likelihood of re-identification;
  - o The unauthorized person used the protected health information or to whom the disclosure was made;
  - o Whether the protected health information was actually acquired or viewed
  - o The extent to which the risk to the protected health information has been mitigated.

The Business Associate shall complete the risk assessment within 48 hours of the breach and immediately report the findings of the risk assessment in writing to the Covered Entity.

- c. The Business Associate shall comply with all sections of the Privacy, Security, and Breach Notification Rule.
- d. Business Associate shall make available all of its internal policies and procedures, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of PHI received from, or created or received by the Business Associate on behalf of Covered Entity to the Secretary for purposes of determining Covered Entity's compliance with HIPAA and the Privacy and Security Rule.
- e. Business Associate shall require all of its business associates that receive, use or have access to PHI under the Agreement, to agree in writing to adhere to the same restrictions and conditions on the use and disclosure of PHI contained herein, including the duty to return or destroy the PHI as provided under Section 3 (I). The Covered Entity shall be considered a direct third party beneficiary of the Contractor's business associate agreements with Contractor's intended business associates, who will be receiving PHI

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- pursuant to this Agreement, with rights of enforcement and indemnification from such business associates who shall be governed by standard Paragraph #13 of the standard contract provisions (P-37) of this Agreement for the purpose of use and disclosure of protected health information.
- f. Within five (5) business days of receipt of a written request from Covered Entity, Business Associate shall make available during normal business hours at its offices all records, books, agreements, policies and procedures relating to the use and disclosure of PHI to the Covered Entity, for purposes of enabling Covered Entity to determine Business Associate's compliance with the terms of the Agreement.
- g. Within ten (10) business days of receiving a written request from Covered Entity, Business Associate shall provide access to PHI in a Designated Record Set to the Covered Entity, or as directed by Covered Entity, to an individual in order to meet the requirements under 45 CFR Section 164.524.
- h. Within ten (10) business days of receiving a written request from Covered Entity for an amendment of PHI or a record about an individual contained in a Designated Record Set, the Business Associate shall make such PHI available to Covered Entity for amendment and incorporate any such amendment to enable Covered Entity to fulfill its obligations under 45 CFR Section 164.526.
- i. Business Associate shall document such disclosures of PHI and information related to such disclosures as would be required for Covered Entity to respond to a request by an individual for an accounting of disclosures of PHI in accordance with 45 CFR Section 164.528.
- j. Within ten (10) business days of receiving a written request from Covered Entity for a request for an accounting of disclosures of PHI, Business Associate shall make available to Covered Entity such information as Covered Entity may require to fulfill its obligations to provide an accounting of disclosures with respect to PHI in accordance with 45 CFR Section 164.528.
- k. In the event any individual requests access to, amendment of, or accounting of PHI directly from the Business Associate, the Business Associate shall within two (2) business days forward such request to Covered Entity. Covered Entity shall have the responsibility of responding to forwarded requests. However, if forwarding the individual's request to Covered Entity would cause Covered Entity or the Business Associate to violate HIPAA and the Privacy and Security Rule, the Business Associate shall instead respond to the individual's request as required by such law and notify Covered Entity of such response as soon as practicable.
- I. Within ten (10) business days of termination of the Agreement, for any reason, the Business Associate shall return or destroy, as specified by Covered Entity, all PHI received from, or created or received by the Business Associate in connection with the Agreement, and shall not retain any copies or back-up tapes of such PHI. If return or destruction is not feasible, or the disposition of the PHI has been otherwise agreed to in the Agreement, Business Associate shall continue to extend the protections of the Agreement, to such PHI and limit further uses and disclosures of such PHI to those purposes that make the return or destruction infeasible, for so long as Business

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Associate maintains such PHI. If Covered Entity, in its sole discretion, requires that the Business Associate destroy any or all PHI, the Business Associate shall certify to Covered Entity that the PHI has been destroyed.

## (4) Obligations of Covered Entity

- a. Covered Entity shall notify Business Associate of any changes or limitation(s) in its Notice of Privacy Practices provided to individuals in accordance with 45 CFR Section 164.520, to the extent that such change or limitation may affect Business Associate's use or disclosure of PHI.
- b. Covered Entity shall promptly notify Business Associate of any changes in, or revocation of permission provided to Covered Entity by individuals whose PHI may be used or disclosed by Business Associate under this Agreement, pursuant to 45 CFR Section 164.506 or 45 CFR Section 164.508.
- c. Covered entity shall promptly notify Business Associate of any restrictions on the use or disclosure of PHI that Covered Entity has agreed to in accordance with 45 CFR 164.522, to the extent that such restriction may affect Business Associate's use or disclosure of PHI.

## (5) <u>Termination for Cause</u>

In addition to Paragraph 10 of the standard terms and conditions (P-37) of this Agreement the Covered Entity may immediately terminate the Agreement upon Covered Entity's knowledge of a breach by Business Associate of the Business Associate Agreement set forth herein as Exhibit I. The Covered Entity may either immediately terminate the Agreement or provide an opportunity for Business Associate to cure the alleged breach within a timeframe specified by Covered Entity. If Covered Entity determines that neither termination nor cure is feasible, Covered Entity shall report the violation to the Secretary.

## (6) <u>Miscellaneous</u>

- a. <u>Definitions and Regulatory References</u>. All terms used, but not otherwise defined herein, shall have the same meaning as those terms in the Privacy and Security Rule, amended from time to time. A reference in the Agreement, as amended to include this Exhibit I, to a Section in the Privacy and Security Rule means the Section as in effect or as amended.
- b. <u>Amendment</u>. Covered Entity and Business Associate agree to take such action as is necessary to amend the Agreement, from time to time as is necessary for Covered Entity to comply with the changes in the requirements of HIPAA, the Privacy and Security Rule, and applicable federal and state law.
- c. <u>Data Ownership</u>. The Business Associate acknowledges that it has no ownership rights with respect to the PHI provided by or created on behalf of Covered Entity.
- d. <u>Interpretation</u>. The parties agree that any ambiguity in the Agreement shall be resolved to permit Covered Entity to comply with HIPAA, the Privacy and Security Rule.

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- e. <u>Segregation</u>. If any term or condition of this Exhibit I or the application thereof to any person(s) or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other terms or conditions which can be given effect without the invalid term or condition; to this end the terms and conditions of this Exhibit I are declared severable.
- f. <u>Survival</u>. Provisions in this Exhibit I regarding the use and disclosure of PHI, return or destruction of PHI, extensions of the protections of the Agreement in section (3) I, the defense and indemnification provisions of section (3) e and Paragraph 13 of the standard terms and conditions (P-37), shall survive the termination of the Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have duly executed this Exhibit I.

Department of Health and Human Services

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### CERTIFICATION REGARDING THE FEDERAL FUNDING ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY ACT (FFATA) COMPLIANCE

The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) requires prime awardees of individual Federal grants equal to or greater than \$25,000 and awarded on or after October 1, 2010, to report on data related to executive compensation and associated first-tier sub-grants of \$25,000 or more. If the initial award is below \$25,000 but subsequent grant modifications result in a total award equal to or over \$25,000, the award is subject to the FFATA reporting requirements, as of the date of the award. In accordance with 2 CFR Part 170 (Reporting Subaward and Executive Compensation Information), the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) must report the following information for any subaward or contract award subject to the FFATA reporting requirements:

- 1. Name of entity
- 2. Amount of award
- 3. Funding agency
- 4. NAICS code for contracts / CFDA program number for grants
- 5. Program source
- 6. Award title descriptive of the purpose of the funding action
- 7. Location of the entity
- 8. Principle place of performance
- 9. Unique identifier of the entity (DUNS #)
- 10. Total compensation and names of the top five executives if:
  - 10.1. More than 80% of annual gross revenues are from the Federal government, and those revenues are greater than \$25M annually and
  - 10.2. Compensation information is not already available through reporting to the SEC.

Prime grant recipients must submit FFATA required data by the end of the month, plus 30 days, in which the award or award amendment is made.

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act, Public Law 109-282 and Public Law 110-252, and 2 CFR Part 170 (Reporting Subaward and Executive Compensation Information), and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

The below named Contractor agrees to provide needed information as outlined above to the NH Department of Health and Human Services and to comply with all applicable provisions of the Federal Financial Accountability and Transparency Act.

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As the Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions, I certify that the responses to the below listed questions are true and accurate.

- 1. The DUNS number for your entity is: 14-5729117
- 2. In your business or organization's preceding completed fiscal year, did your business or organization receive (1) 80 percent or more of your annual gross revenue in U.S. federal contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, sub-grants, and/or cooperative agreements; and (2) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from U.S. federal contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, subgrants, and/or cooperative agreements; loans, grants, subgrants, grants, grant

X\_\_NO

\_\_\_\_\_ YES

If the answer to #2 above is NO, stop here

If the answer to #2 above is YES, please answer the following:

3. Does the public have access to information about the compensation of the executives in your business or organization through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C.78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986?

\_\_\_\_\_NO \_\_\_\_\_YES

If the answer to #3 above is YES, stop here

If the answer to #3 above is NO, please answer the following:

 The names and compensation of the five most highly compensated officers in your business or organization are as follows:

Name:	Amount:
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# **DHHS Information Security Requirements**

## A. Definitions

The following terms may be reflected and have the described meaning in this document:

- "Breach" means the loss of control, compromise, unauthorized disclosure, unauthorized acquisition, unauthorized access, or any similar term referring to situations where persons other than authorized users and for an other than authorized purpose have access or potential access to personally identifiable information, whether physical or electronic. With regard to Protected Health Information, "Breach" shall have the same meaning as the term "Breach" in section 164.402 of Title 45, Code of Federal Regulations.
- "Computer Security Incident" shall have the same meaning "Computer Security Incident" in section two (2) of NIST Publication 800-61, Computer Security Incident Handling Guide, National Institute of Standards and Technology, U.S. Department of Commerce.
- "Confidential Information" or "Confidential Data" means all confidential information disclosed by one party to the other such as all medical, health, financial, public assistance benefits and personal information including without limitation, Substance Abuse Treatment Records, Case Records, Protected Health Information and Personally Identifiable Information.

Confidential Information also includes any and all information owned or managed by the State of NH - created, received from or on behalf of the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) or accessed in the course of performing contracted services - of which collection, disclosure, protection, and disposition is governed by state or federal law or regulation. This information includes, but is not limited to Protected Health Information (PHI), Personal Information (PI), Personal Financial Information (PFI), Federal Tax Information (FTI), Social Security Numbers (SSN), Payment Card Industry (PCI), and or other sensitive and confidential information.

- 4. "End User" means any person or entity (e.g., contractor, contractor's employee, business associate, subcontractor, other downstream user, etc.) that receives DHHS data or derivative data in accordance with the terms of this Contract.
- 5. "HIPAA" means the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
- 6. "Incident" means an act that potentially violates an explicit or implied security policy, which includes attempts (either failed or successful) to gain unauthorized access to a system or its data, unwanted disruption or denial of service, the unauthorized use of a system for the processing or storage of data; and changes to system hardware, firmware, or software characteristics without the owner's knowledge, instruction, or consent. Incidents include the loss of data through theft or device misplacement, loss or misplacement of hardcopy documents, and misrouting of physical or electronic

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mail, all of which may have the potential to put the data at risk of unauthorized access, use, disclosure, modification or destruction.

- 7. "Open Wireless Network" means any network or segment of a network that is not designated by the State of New Hampshire's Department of Information Technology or delegate as a protected network (designed, tested, and approved, by means of the State, to transmit) will be considered an open network and not adequately secure for the transmission of unencrypted PI, PFI, PHI or confidential DHHS data.
- 8. "Personal Information" (or "PI") means information which can be used to distinguish or trace an individual's identity, such as their name, social security number, personal information as defined in New Hampshire RSA 359-C:19, biometric records, etc., alone, or when combined with other personal or identifying information which is linked or linkable to a specific individual, such as date and place of birth, mother's maiden name, etc.
- 9. "Privacy Rule" shall mean the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information at 45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 164, promulgated under HIPAA by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.
- 10. "Protected Health Information" (or "PHI") has the same meaning as provided in the definition of "Protected Health Information" in the HIPAA Privacy Rule at 45 C.F.R. § 160.103.
- 11. "Security Rule" shall mean the Security Standards for the Protection of Electronic Protected Health Information at 45 C.F.R. Part 164, Subpart C, and amendments thereto.
- 12. "Unsecured Protected Health Information" means Protected Health Information that is not secured by a technology standard that renders Protected Health Information unusable, unreadable, or indecipherable to unauthorized individuals and is developed or endorsed by a standards developing organization that is accredited by the American National Standards Institute.

## I. RESPONSIBILITIES OF DHHS AND THE CONTRACTOR

- A. Business Use and Disclosure of Confidential Information.
  - The Contractor must not use, disclose, maintain or transmit Confidential Information except as reasonably necessary as outlined under this Contract. Further, Contractor, including but not limited to all its directors, officers, employees and agents, must not use, disclose, maintain or transmit PHI in any manner that would constitute a violation of the Privacy and Security Rule.
  - 2. The Contractor must not disclose any Confidential Information in response to a

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request for disclosure on the basis that it is required by law, in response to a subpoena, etc., without first notifying DHHS so that DHHS has an opportunity to consent or object to the disclosure.

- 3. If DHHS notifies the Contractor that DHHS has agreed to be bound by additional restrictions over and above those uses or disclosures or security safeguards of PHI pursuant to the Privacy and Security Rule, the Contractor must be bound by such additional restrictions and must not disclose PHI in violation of such additional restrictions and must abide by any additional security safeguards.
- 4. The Contractor agrees that DHHS Data or derivative there from disclosed to an End User must only be used pursuant to the terms of this Contract.
- 5. The Contractor agrees DHHS Data obtained under this Contract may not be used for any other purposes that are not indicated in this Contract.
- 6. The Contractor agrees to grant access to the data to the authorized representatives of DHHS for the purpose of inspecting to confirm compliance with the terms of this Contract.

## II. METHODS OF SECURE TRANSMISSION OF DATA

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- 1. Application Encryption. If End User is transmitting DHHS data containing Confidential Data between applications, the Contractor attests the applications have been evaluated by an expert knowledgeable in cyber security and that said application's encryption capabilities ensure secure transmission via the internet.
- 2. Computer Disks and Portable Storage Devices. End User may not use computer disks or portable storage devices, such as a thumb drive, as a method of transmitting DHHS data.
- 3. Encrypted Email. End User may only employ email to transmit Confidential Data if email is <u>encrypted</u> and being sent to and being received by email addresses of persons authorized to receive such information.
- Encrypted Web Site. If End User is employing the Web to transmit Confidential Data, the secure socket layers (SSL) must be used and the web site must be secure. SSL encrypts data transmitted via a Web site.
- 5. File Hosting Services, also known as File Sharing Sites. End User may not use file hosting services, such as Dropbox or Google Cloud Storage, to transmit Confidential Data.
- 6. Ground Mail Service. End User may only transmit Confidential Data via *certified* ground mail within the continental U.S. and when sent to a named individual.
- 7. Laptops and PDA. If End User is employing portable devices to transmit Confidential Data said devices must be encrypted and password-protected.
- 8. Open Wireless Networks. End User may not transmit Confidential Data via an open

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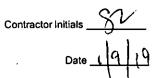


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wireless network. End User must employ a virtual private network (VPN) when remotely transmitting via an open wireless network.

- 9. Remote User Communication. If End User is employing remote communication to access or transmit Confidential Data, a virtual private network (VPN) must be installed on the End User's mobile device(s) or laptop from which information will be transmitted or accessed.
- 10. SSH File Transfer Protocol (SFTP), also known as Secure File Transfer Protocol. If End User is employing an SFTP to transmit Confidential Data, End User will structure the Folder and access privileges to prevent inappropriate disclosure of information. SFTP folders and sub-folders used for transmitting Confidential Data will be coded for 24-hour auto-deletion cycle (i.e. Confidential Data will be deleted every 24 hours).
- 11. Wireless Devices. If End User is transmitting Confidential Data via wireless devices, all data must be encrypted to prevent inappropriate disclosure of information.

# III. RETENTION AND DISPOSITION OF IDENTIFIABLE RECORDS

The Contractor will only retain the data and any derivative of the data for the duration of this Contract. After such time, the Contractor will have 30 days to destroy the data and any derivative in whatever form it may exist, unless, otherwise required by law or permitted under this Contract. To this end, the parties must:

# A. Retention

- The Contractor agrees it will not store, transfer or process data collected in connection with the services rendered under this Contract outside of the United States. This physical location requirement shall also apply in the implementation of cloud computing, cloud service or cloud storage capabilities, and includes backup data and Disaster Recovery locations.
- 2. The Contractor agrees to ensure proper security monitoring capabilities are in place to detect potential security events that can impact State of NH systems and/or Department confidential information for contractor provided systems.
- 3. The Contractor agrees to provide security awareness and education for its End Users in support of protecting Department confidential information.
- 4. The Contractor agrees to retain all electronic and hard copies of Confidential Data in a secure location and identified in section IV. A.2
- 5. The Contractor agrees Confidential Data stored in a Cloud must be in a FedRAMP/HITECH compliant solution and comply with all applicable statutes and regulations regarding the privacy and security. All servers and devices must have currently-supported and hardened operating systems, the latest anti-viral, anti-hacker, anti-spam, anti-spyware, and anti-malware utilities. The environment, as a

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whole, must have aggressive intrusion-detection and firewall protection.

- 6. The Contractor agrees to and ensures its complete cooperation with the State's Chief Information Officer in the detection of any security vulnerability of the hosting infrastructure.
- B. Disposition
  - 1. If the Contractor will maintain any Confidential Information on its systems (or its sub-contractor systems), the Contractor will maintain a documented process for securely disposing of such data upon request or contract termination; and will obtain written certification for any State of New Hampshire data destroyed by the Contractor or any subcontractors as a part of ongoing, emergency, and or disaster recovery operations. When no longer in use, electronic media containing State of New Hampshire data shall be rendered unrecoverable via a secure wipe program in accordance with industry-accepted standards for secure deletion and media sanitization, or otherwise physically destroying the media (for example, degaussing) as described in NIST Special Publication 800-88, Rev 1, Guidelines for Media Sanitization, National Institute of Standards and Technology, U.S. Department of Commerce. The Contractor will document and certify in writing at time of the data destruction, and will provide written certification to the Department upon request. The written certification will include all details necessary to demonstrate data has been properly destroyed and validated. Where applicable, regulatory and professional standards for retention requirements will be jointly evaluated by the State and Contractor prior to destruction.
  - 2. Unless otherwise specified, within thirty (30) days of the termination of this Contract, Contractor agrees to destroy all hard copies of Confidential Data using a secure method such as shredding.
  - 3. Unless otherwise specified, within thirty (30) days of the termination of this Contract, Contractor agrees to completely destroy all electronic Confidential Data by means of data erasure, also known as secure data wiping.

# IV. PROCEDURES FOR SECURITY

- A. Contractor agrees to safeguard the DHHS Data received under this Contract, and any derivative data or files, as follows:
  - 1. The Contractor will maintain proper security controls to protect Department confidential information collected, processed, managed, and/or stored in the delivery of contracted services.
  - 2. The Contractor will maintain policies and procedures to protect Department confidential information throughout the information lifecycle, where applicable, (from creation, transformation, use, storage and secure destruction) regardless of the media used to store the data (i.e., tape, disk, paper, etc.).

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- 3. The Contractor will maintain appropriate authentication and access controls to contractor systems that collect, transmit, or store Department confidential information where applicable.
- 4. The Contractor will ensure proper security monitoring capabilities are in place to detect potential security events that can impact State of NH systems and/or Department confidential information for contractor provided systems.
- 5. The Contractor will provide regular security awareness and education for its End Users in support of protecting Department confidential information.
- 6. If the Contractor will be sub-contracting any core functions of the engagement supporting the services for State of New Hampshire, the Contractor will maintain a program of an internal process or processes that defines specific security expectations, and monitoring compliance to security requirements that at a minimum match those for the Contractor, including breach notification requirements.
- 7. The Contractor will work with the Department to sign and comply with all applicable State of New Hampshire and Department system access and authorization policies and procedures, systems access forms, and computer use agreements as part of obtaining and maintaining access to any Department system(s). Agreements will be completed and signed by the Contractor and any applicable sub-contractors prior to system access being authorized.
- 8. If the Department determines the Contractor is a Business Associate pursuant to 45 CFR 160.103, the Contractor will execute a HIPAA Business Associate Agreement (BAA) with the Department and is responsible for maintaining compliance with the agreement.
- 9. The Contractor will work with the Department at its request to complete a System Management Survey. The purpose of the survey is to enable the Department and Contractor to monitor for any changes in risks, threats, and vulnerabilities that may occur over the life of the Contractor engagement. The survey will be completed annually, or an alternate time frame at the Departments discretion with agreement by the Contractor, or the Department may request the survey be completed when the scope of the engagement between the Department and the Contractor changes.
- 10. The Contractor will not store, knowingly or unknowingly, any State of New Hampshire or Department data offshore or outside the boundaries of the United States unless prior express written consent is obtained from the Information Security Office leadership member within the Department.
- 11. Data Security Breach Liability. In the event of any security breach Contractor shall make efforts to investigate the causes of the breach, promptly take measures to prevent future breach and minimize any damage or loss resulting from the breach. The State shall recover from the Contractor all costs of response and recovery from

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the breach, including but not limited to: credit monitoring services, mailing costs and costs associated with website and telephone call center services necessary due to the breach.

- 12. Contractor must, comply with all applicable statutes and regulations regarding the privacy and security of Confidential Information, and must in all other respects maintain the privacy and security of PI and PHI at a level and scope that is not less than the level and scope of requirements applicable to federal agencies, including, but not limited to, provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. § 552a), DHHS Privacy Act Regulations (45 C.F.R. §5b), HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules (45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 164) that govern protections for individually identifiable health information and as applicable under State law.
- 13. Contractor agrees to establish and maintain appropriate administrative, technical, and physical safeguards to protect the confidentiality of the Confidential Data and to prevent unauthorized use or access to it. The safeguards must provide a level and scope of security that is not less than the level and scope of security requirements established by the State of New Hampshire, Department of Information Technology. Refer to Vendor Resources/Procurement at https://www.nh.gov/doit/vendor/index.htm for the Department of Information Technology policies, guidelines, standards, and procurement information relating to vendors.
- 14. Contractor agrees to maintain a documented breach notification and incident response process. The Contractor will notify the State's Privacy Officer and the State's Security Officer of any security breach immediately, at the email addresses provided in Section VI. This includes a confidential information breach, computer security incident, or suspected breach which affects or includes any State of New Hampshire systems that connect to the State of New Hampshire network.
- 15. Contractor must restrict access to the Confidential Data obtained under this Contract to only those authorized End Users who need such DHHS Data to perform their official duties in connection with purposes identified in this Contract.
- 16. The Contractor must ensure that all End Users:
  - a. comply with such safeguards as referenced in Section IV A. above, implemented to protect Confidential Information that is furnished by DHHS under this Contract from loss, theft or inadvertent disclosure.
  - b. safeguard this information at all times.

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- c. ensure that laptops and other electronic devices/media containing PHI, PI, or PFI are encrypted and password-protected.
- d. send emails containing Confidential Information only if <u>encrypted</u> and being sent to and being received by email addresses of persons authorized to receive such information.

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- e. limit disclosure of the Confidential Information to the extent permitted by law.
- f. Confidential Information received under this. Contract and individually identifiable data derived from DHHS Data, must be stored in an area that is physically and technologically secure from access by unauthorized persons during duty hours as well as non-duty hours (e.g., door locks, card keys, biometric identifiers, etc.).
- g. only authorized End Users may transmit the Confidential Data, including any derivative files containing personally identifiable information, and in all cases, such data must be encrypted at all times when in transit, at rest, or when stored on portable media as required in section IV above.
- h. in all other instances Confidential Data must be maintained, used and disclosed using appropriate safeguards, as determined by a risk-based assessment of the circumstances involved.
- understand that their user credentials (user name and password) must not be shared with anyone. End Users will keep their credential information secure. This applies to credentials used to access the site directly or indirectly through a third party application.

Contractor is responsible for oversight and compliance of their End Users. DHHS reserves the right to conduct onsite inspections to monitor compliance with this Contract, including the privacy and security requirements provided in herein, HIPAA, and other applicable laws and Federal regulations until such time the Confidential Data is disposed of in accordance with this Contract.

## V. LOSS REPORTING

The Contractor must notify the State's Privacy Officer and Security Officer of any Security Incidents and Breaches immediately, at the email addresses provided in Section VI.

The Contractor must further handle and report Incidents and Breaches involving PHI in accordance with the agency's documented Incident Handling and Breach Notification procedures and in accordance with 42 C.F.R. §§ 431.300 - 306. In addition to, and notwithstanding, Contractor's compliance with all applicable obligations and procedures, Contractor's procedures must also address how the Contractor will:

- 1. Identify Incidents;
- 2. Determine if personally identifiable information is involved in Incidents;
- 3. Report suspected or confirmed Incidents as required in this Exhibit or P-37;
- 4. Identify and convene a core response group to determine the risk level of Incidents and determine risk-based responses to Incidents; and

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5. Determine whether Breach notification is required, and, if so, identify appropriate Breach notification methods, timing, source, and contents from among different options, and bear costs associated with the Breach notice as well as any mitigation measures.

Incidents and/or Breaches that implicate PI must be addressed and reported, as applicable, in accordance with NH RSA 359-C:20.

# VI. PERSONS TO CONTACT

A. DHHS Privacy Officer:

DHHSPrivacyOfficer@dhhs.nh.gov

B. DHHS Security Officer:

DHHSInformationSecurityOffice@dhhs.nh.gov

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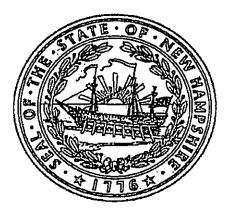


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#### CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that JSI RESEARCH & TRAINING INSTITUTE, INC. is a Massachusetts Nonprofit Corporation registered to transact business in New Hampshire on February 17, 2016. I further certify that all fees and documents required by the Secretary of State's office have been received and is in good standing as far as this office is concerned.

Business ID: 739507



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,

I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Seal of the State of New Hampshire, this 23rd day of May A.D. 2017.

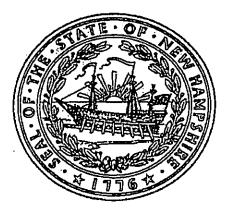
William M. Gardner Secretary of State

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## CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that COMMUNITY HEALTH INSTITUTE is a New Hampshire Trade Name registered to transact business in New Hampshire on April 12, 2016. I further certify that all fees and documents required by the Secretary of State's office have been received and is in good standing as far as this office is concerned.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Seal of the State of New Hampshire, this 23rd day of May A.D. 2017.

William M. Gardner Secretary of State

**CERTIFICATE OF VOTE** I, <u>JOEL H. LAMSTEIN, RESIDENT</u>, do hereby certify that: (Name of the elected Officer of the Agency; cannot be contract signatory) 1. I am a duly elected Officer of JSI RESEARCH + TRAINENG INSTITUTE INC. (Agency Name) 2. The following is a true copy of the resolution duly adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Agency duly held on <u>10/1/2007</u>: (Date) RESOLVED: That the DIRECTOR, BOSTON HEALTH SERVICES (Title of Contract Signatory) is hereby authorized on behalf of this Agency to enter into the said contract with the State and to execute any and all documents, agreements and other instruments, and any amendments, revisions, or modifications thereto, as he/she may deem necessary, desirable or appropriate. 3. The forgoing resolutions have not been amended or revoked, and remain in full force and effect as of the <u>9</u><sup>th</sup> day of <u>January</u>, 20<u>19</u>. (Date Contract Signed) 4. STEWART LANDRAS is the duly elected DIRECTOR, BOSTON HEALTH SERVICES (Name of Contract Signatory) . Title of Contract Signatory) of the Agency. Elected Officer STATE OF NEW HAMPSINE County of SUFFOLK The forgoing-instrument was acknowledged before me this  $\underline{9}^{\text{H}}_{\text{H}}$  day of  $\overline{\text{ActuARY}}$ , 20\_12, (Name of Elected Officer of the Agency) (Notary Public/Justice of the Peace (NOTARY SEAL) Notary Pub Commission Expires: June 6, 3025 Joanne <u>Å</u>. McDade ly Commission Expires on June 6, 202

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September 30, 2017

# JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate September 30, 2017

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#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Board of Directors JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate

#### **Report on the Consolidated Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate (both non-profit organizations), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of September 30, 2017, and the related consolidated statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk

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assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate as of September 30, 2017, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Other Matters**

#### Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole.

#### Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited the JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate consolidated financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated April 26, 2017. In our opinion, the summarized consolidated comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended September 30, 2016 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited consolidated financial statements from which it has been derived.

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#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated April 23, 2018, on our consideration of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of their compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance.

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Duxbury, Massachusetts April 23, 2018

## JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION September 30, 2017 (With Comparative Totals for 2016)

	2017	2016
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 74,642,976	\$ 68,620,315
Receivables for program work	19,782,268	18,498,218
Loans receivable - related party	-	-
Field advances - program	1,697,407	1,670,752
Employee advances	190,500	276,013
Prepaid expenses	67,950	
Total Current Assets	96,381,101	89,065,298
Property and Equipment:		
Furniture and equipment	679,098	636,492
Leasehold improvements	30,355	
	709,453	666,847
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(651,423)	(634,621)
Net Property and Equipment	58,030	. 32,226
Other Assets	119,888	109,058
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 96,559,019</u>	<u>\$ 89,206,582</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and payroll withholdings	<b>\$</b> 11,67 <b>8,68</b> 7	\$ 10,873,875
Accrued vacation	1,920,964	1,824,437
Advances for program work	35,095,465	30,642,424
Loans payable - related party	196,828	1,001,492
Notes payable	-	-
Contingencies		<u>-</u>
Total Current Liabilities	48,891,944	44,342,228
Net Assets:		
Unrestricted	47,467,027	44,706,560
Temporarily restricted	200,048	157,794
Total Net Assets	47,667,075	44,864,354
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 96,559,019</u>	<u>\$ 89,206,582</u>

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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## JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Year Ended September 30, 2017 (With Comparative Totals for 2016)

	2017	2016
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS:		
Public Support and Revenue		
Public Support:		
Government grants and contracts:		
, U.S. Government	\$ 271,426,627	\$ 243,054,246
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	5,258,877	6,069,315
Other grants and contracts	57,926,891	53,310,784
Program income	99,859	186,344
Contributions	332,613	11,700,204
In-kind project contributions	14,444,516	6,852,099
Interest income	121,168	41,432
Total Unrestricted Support and Revenue	349,610,551	321,214,424
Expenses		
Program Services:		
International programs	293,709,946	256,624,631
Domestic programs	19,653,591	18,826,817
Total Program Services	313,363,537	275,451,448
Supporting Services:		
Management and General	33,327,219	31,053,862
Fundraising	149,914	171,766
Total Supporting Services	33,477,133	31,225,628
Total Expenses	346,840,670	306,677,076
Increase (Decrease) in Unrestricted Net Assets	2,769,881	14,537,348
TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS	r	
	22 840	150 704
Program restricted net assets	32,840	152,794
Increase (decrease) in temporarily restricted net assets	32,840	152,794
Increase (decrease) in net assets	2,802,721	14,690,142
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	44,864,354	30,174,212
Net Assets at End of Year	\$ 47,667,075	\$ 44,864,354

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# JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES Year Ended September 30, 2017 (With Comparative Totals for 2016)

	PROGRAM SERVICES			SUPPORTING SERVICES				TOTAL EXPENSES							
	International Programs		Domestic Programs		Total		lanagement ind General	Fu	ndraising		Total		2017		2016
Salaries	\$ 26,154,72	4 S	7,921,065	\$	34,075,789	s	6,731,319	\$	64,270	\$	6,795,589	s	40,871,378	\$	38,731,616
Consultants	15,636,68	4	4,431,853		20,068,537		2,279,342		16,362		2,295,704		22,364,241		22,656,189
Cooperating National															
Salaries	36,099.94	4	-		36,099,944		511,039		-		511,039		36,610,983		38,733,286
Travel	12,597,14	9	853,619		13,450,768		643,136		326		643,462		14,094,230		16,170,730
Allowance & Training	9,929,25	7	61,671		9,990,928		431,836		-		431,836		10,422,764		10,163,306
Sub-contracts	123,068,41	9	4,715,999		127,784,418		58,140		8,897		67,037		127,851,455		93,526,758
Equipment, Material and															
Supplies	13,897,75	9	84,541		13,982,300		443,184		•		443,184		14,425,484		6,969,920
Other Costs	41,881,49	4	1,584,843		43,466,337		22,212,421		60,059	•	22,272,480		65,738,817		72,857,717
In-kind project expenses	14,444,51	5	-		14,444,516		-		-				14,444,516		6,852,135
Depreciation			•		<u> </u>		16,802	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		16,802		16,802	<b></b>	15,419
TOTAL EXPENSE	<u>\$ 293,709,94</u>	<u>s</u>	19,653,591	<u>s</u>	313,363,537	<u>s</u>	33,327,219	<u>s</u>	149,914	<u>s</u>	33,477,133	<u>s</u>	346,840,670	<u>s</u>	306,677,076

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# JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS Year Ended September 30, 2017 (With Comparative Totals for 2016)

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	2017	2016
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:		·
Increase (Decrease) in net assets	\$ 2,802,721	\$ 14,690,142
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net		
cash provided by operating activities:	1	
Depreciation	16,802	15,419
(Increase) Decrease in receivables for program work	(1,284,050)	(118,116)
(Increase) Decrease in field advances - program	(26,655)	2,160,324
(Increase) Decrease in employee advances	85,513	; (7,586)
(Increase) Decrease in prepaid expenses	(67,950)	3,700
(Increase) Decrease in other assets	(10,830)	(25,722)
Increase (Decrease) in accounts payable and		
payroll withholdings	804,812	4,702,652
Increase (Decrease) in accrued vacation	96,527	242,541
Increase (Decrease) in advances for program work	4,453,041	13,111,616
Net Cash Provided (Used) By		
Operating Activities	6,869,931	34,774,970
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:		
Loans made	(1,001,492)	_
Loans repaid	196,828	1,132,362
Acquisition of property and equipment	(42,606)	(10,579)
Net Cash Provided (Used) By		
Investing Activities	(847,270)	1,121,783
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	6,022,661	35,896,753
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	68,620,315	32,723,562
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	<u>\$ 74,642,976</u>	<u>\$ 68,620,315</u>

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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# NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND NATURE OF ACTIVITIES

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. was incorporated in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on April 11, 1979. JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. provides education and research primarily to non-profit health and human service agencies both in the United States and abroad. Current funding is principally from the United States Agency for International Development and the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. is the sole member of World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) with such powers as are typically accorded to a sole member including the power of appointment and removal of the World Education, Inc. board of trustees, the right to approve amendments to the bylaws and certificate of incorporation of World Education, Inc., and the right to approve any merger, consolidation, dissolution or transfer of substantial assets of World Education, Inc.

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) was founded in 1951 and incorporated in the state of New Jersey. Working in partnership with community, national, and international agencies in Asia, Africa, and the United States, it provides professional assistance in the design and implementation of non-formal adult education programs. These programs integrate functional education with relevant problem-solving aspects of individual growth and national development such as health, nutrition, family planning, childcare, refugee education, agricultural practices, literacy, and income generation.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and its affiliate are tax exempt organizations under 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and file separate unconsolidated tax returns.

# **NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### **Principles of Consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and World Education, Inc., its affiliate, (collectively referred to as the Organization). Significant intra-entity accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The consolidated financial statements of the Organization have been prepared utilizing the accrual basis of accounting and include the accounts of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and its affiliate in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

# NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES – continued

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

#### Fair Value

The Organization values its qualifying assets and liabilities under a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs and assumptions used to measure fair value. The hierarchy consists of three broad levels: Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities and have the highest priority, Level 2 inputs consist of observable inputs other than quoted prices for identical assets, and Level 3 inputs have the lowest priority. The Organization uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its assets and liabilities. When available, the Organization measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Organization considers all monies in banks and highly liquid investments with maturity dates of three months or less to be cash equivalents. The carrying value of cash and cash equivalents approximates fair value because of the short maturities of those financial instruments.

#### Investments

Investments in marketable securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities (marketable investments) are measured at fair values based on quoted market prices in the consolidated statement of financial position. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the statement of activities.

#### **Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment is reported on the basis of cost less accumulated depreciation. Acquisitions of property and equipment in excess of \$5,000 are capitalized. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method calculated to extinguish the book value of the respective assets over their estimated useful lives (5 - 7 years) of the related assets.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

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The majority of the Organization's revenues are derived from contracts, cooperative agreements, and grants with U.S. government agencies, primarily the United States Agency for International Development and the United States Department of Health and Human Services. Revenues are recognized when the Organization incurs qualifying expenditures that are reimbursable under the terms of the contracts, agreements or grants, or in accordance with the grantor's restrictions.

# NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### **Revenue Recognition - continued**

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Unrestricted and restricted contributions are recognized as revenue at the date the pledge is made or the gift is received, whichever is earlier.

#### Contributions

Contributions received are recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor restrictions. Contributions are reported as temporarily restricted support and are then reclassified to unrestricted net assets upon expiration of the time restriction. Temporarily restricted support, whose restrictions are met in the same reporting period, is shown as unrestricted support.

#### **Donated Materials and Services**

Donated materials and services are recorded as in kind project contributions at their estimated fair market value as of the date of receipt and as an expense in the accompanying consolidated statement of activities. Donated services are recognized if the services received create or enhance non-financial assets or require specialized skills that are provided by individuals possessing those skills and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Organization is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and is not a private foundation as described in Section 509. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes is included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

The Organization has evaluated its tax positions and believes that there would be no material changes to the results of its operations or financial position as a result of an audit by the applicable taxing authorities, federal or state. The Organization has filed all of its known and required returns in a timely manner including as permitted allowed extensions. Following administrative practice of the taxing authorities, the tax years 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017, remain open years subject to examination and review.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) file separate unconsolidated tax returns. JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. files tax returns based on a September 30<sup>th</sup> year end and its affiliate files tax returns based on a June 30<sup>th</sup> year end.

#### **Functional Allocation of Expenses**

The costs of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the consolidated statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.

# **NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES – continued**

#### **Financial Statement Presentation**

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In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the Organization reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets based upon the existence or absence of donor imposed restrictions. For the year ended September 30, 2017 there was no activity in permanently restricted net assets.

#### **Prior Year Comparative Totals**

The financial statements include prior-year summarized comparative information in total. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Company's financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2016, from which the summarized information was derived.

#### Reclassification

Certain amounts for 2016 have been reclassified to conform to current year presentation.

#### **NOTE 3 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK**

The Organization maintains demand deposits and money market funds at financial institutions. At times, certain balances held in these accounts may not be fully guaranteed by the United States Government. The uninsured portions of cash and money market accounts are backed solely by the assets of the financial institution. Therefore, the failure of a financial institution could result in a financial loss to the Organization. However, the Organization has not experienced losses on these accounts in the past and management believes the risk of loss, if any, to be minimal.

#### **NOTE 4 – INVESTMENTS**

#### Fair Value

In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the Organization values its qualifying assets and liabilities under a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs and assumptions used to measure fair value. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

### **NOTE 4 – INVESTMENTS - continued**

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#### Fair Value - continued

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- Level 1 Observable inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices in active markets that are observable for the asset either directly or indirectly, including inputs from markets that are not considered to be active.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs which reflect the Organization's assessment of the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability including assumptions about risk.

A qualifying asset or liability's level within the framework is based upon the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

The following is a summary of fair values of investments which are measured on a recurring basis using Level 1 inputs as recorded in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position at September 30, 2017:

	\$ 61,271,603
Cash and cash equivalents (invested)	<u>\$ 61,271,603</u>
Current assets:	

No assets or liabilities were measured at Level 2 or Level 3.

The following schedule summarizes the investment return and its classification in the Consolidated Statement of Activities for the year ended September 30, 2017:

		Unrestricted
Interest income		<u>\$ 121,168</u>
Total investment return	1	<u>\$ 121,168</u>

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### NOTE 5 – RECEIVABLES FOR PROGRAM WORK

Receivables for program work are stated at the amount management expects to collect from outstanding balances. Management provides for probable uncollectable amounts through a provision for bad debt expense and an adjustment to a valuation allowance based on its assessment of the current status of individual accounts. Balances that are still outstanding after management has used reasonable collection efforts are written off through a charge to the valuation allowance and a credit to accounts receivable. The allowance for doubtful accounts at September 30, 2017 was \$0.

Receivables for program work consist of the following at September 30, 2017:

U.S. Agency for International Development	\$ 11,921,024
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services	814,712
U.S. Department of State	1,306,716
U.S. Department of Labor	111,857
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	584,391
Other - non-governmental	5,043,568
	<u>\$ 19,782,268</u>

### NOTE 6 – LOANS RECEIVABLE – RELATED PARTY

Loans receivable – related party consist of various unsecured short-term loans, due on demand, from John Snow, Inc., a related party (See NOTE 17). No interest is charged on the loans. The loans receivable balance at September 30, 2017 is \$0.

# NOTE 7 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT AND ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION

Property and equipment and accumulated depreciation account balances are as follows:

		<u>Cost</u>		cumulated		Net
Furniture and equipment Leasehold improvements	\$ 	679,098 30,355	\$ 	(621,068) (30,355)	\$	58,030
	<u>s</u>	709,453	<u>\$</u>	(651,423)	<u>\$</u>	58,030

Depreciation expense was \$16,802 for the year ended September 30, 2017.

# **NOTE 8 – OTHER ASSETS**

Other assets consist of the following at September 30, 2017:

Deposits	\$	82,943
Artwork - donated	<u></u>	36,945
	<u>\$</u>	119,888

Donated artwork is recorded at a discounted appraised value at the date of gift.

# **NOTE 9 – ACCRUED VACATION**

In accordance with formal policies, vacation was accrued at September 30, 2017 as follows:

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.	\$	1,628,028
World Education, Inc. (Affiliate)		292,936
	<u>\$</u>	1,920,964

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# **NOTE 10 – ADVANCES FOR PROGRAM WORK**

Advances for program work consist of the following at September 30, 2017:

Other - non-governmental		
Partnership for Supply Chain Management, Inc. (related party)	\$	91,723
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation		25,082,446
Other	_	9,921,296
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### NOTE 11 – LOANS PAYABLE – RELATED PARTY

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Loans payable – related party consist of various unsecured short-term loans, payable on demand, from John Snow, Inc., a related party (See NOTE 17). No interest is charged on the loans. The loans payable balance at September 30, 2017 is \$196,828.

### NOTE 12 – NOTES PAYABLE

# Citizens Bank

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) has a revolving line of credit established February 3, 2004 with Citizens Bank of Massachusetts with a borrowing limit of up to \$500,000. The revolving line of credit was renewed on July 11, 2017. The loan is payable on demand. Interest is charged by utilizing a fluctuating rate based on the LIBOR (Advantage) rate plus 2.50%. The line of credit remains in effect until May 31, 2018 and annually thereafter contingent upon performance. The loan is collateralized by a first priority interest in all the assets of World Education, Inc. No funds were borrowed during the year and as a result, as of September 30, 2017, the outstanding balance is \$0 and no interest was incurred on this loan during the year ended September 30, 2017.

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#### **NOTE 12 – NOTES PAYABLE - continued**

### John Snow, Inc.

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) has an unsecured revolving line of credit established September 1, 2007 with John Snow, Inc. (a related party) with a borrowing limit of up to \$1,000,000. The loan was renewed on July 1, 2016. Interest is charged by utilizing a fluctuating rate based on the current prime rate plus 0.25%. The loan is payable on demand and, in any event, on or prior to June 30, 2017. The loan is not collateralized. No funds were borrowed during the year and as a result, as of September 30, 2017, the outstanding balance is \$0. No interest was incurred on this loan during the year ended September 30, 2017. (See NOTE 17)

### **NOTE 13 – CONTINGENCIES**

In accordance with the terms of its federal and state grants and contracts, the records of the Organization are subject to audit. The Organization is, therefore, contingently liable for any disallowed costs. Management believes that any adjustment, which might result from such an audit, would be immaterial.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. is a co-borrower (with a related party) of a demand loan with no balance due at September 30, 2017. Management believes that the co-borrower is current on the loan and that its collateral exceeds the balance due. (See NOTE 17)

Provisional indirect cost rates are negotiated with the United States Agency for International Development (AID) on an annual basis. As of September 30, 2017, actual indirect cost rates have been approved by AID for JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. through December 31, 2010 and World Education, Inc. through June 30, 2015. Based on favorable past experience, management believes the effects of changes to the overhead rates, if any, would not be material to the financial statements.

# NOTE 14 - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets are restricted by donors as follows at September 30, 2017:

Program Services		\$ 195,048
Time Restrictions		 5,000
		\$ 200,048

No assets were released from donor restriction by occurrence of events specified by the donor during the year ended September 30, 2017.

#### **NOTE 15 – SURPLUS REVENUE RETENTION**

In accordance with the Massachusetts Division of Bureau Services, Regulation 808 CMR 1.03(7), "if, through cost savings initiatives implemented consistent with programmatic and contractual obligations, a non-profit Contractor accrues an annual net surplus from the revenues and expenses associated with services provided to Departments which are subject to 808 CMR 1.00, the Contractor may retain, for future use, a portion of that annual surplus not to exceed 20% of said revenues. Surpluses may be used by the Contractor for any of its established charitable purposes, provided that no portion of the surplus may be used for any non-reimbursable cost set forth in 808 CMR 1.05, the free care prohibition excepted. Operational Services Division shall be responsible for determining the amount of surplus that may be retained by each Contractor in any given year and may determine whether any excess surplus shall be used to reduce future prices or be recouped."

For the year ended September 30, 2017, the organization did not have an annual net surplus that exceeded 20% of relevant Massachusetts revenues.

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#### **NOTE 16 – COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

The following is a schedule of expenditures with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

Receivables from program work at September 30, 2017	\$	584,391
Disbursements/expenditures	_	5,258,877
Receipts		(5,224,368)
Receivables from program work at October 1, 2016	\$	549,882

#### **NOTE 17 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

#### John Snow, Inc.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. (an exempt organization) and John Snow, Inc. (a nonexempt corporation) purchase consulting services from each other. Mr. Joel Lamstein is President and Director of both organizations, and is the sole stockholder of John Snow, Inc. The two companies bill each other at the same rates that they bill the federal and state governments.

During the year ended September 30, 2017, John Snow, Inc. billed JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. \$24,641,616 for consulting services (technical support). This amount is reflected under the program services - consulting line item (\$16,086,359) and program services - other costs line item (\$8,555,257) on the statement of functional expenses. In addition, JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. performed consulting services (technical support) for John Snow, Inc. totaling \$7,459,675.

The two companies also share facilities and pool various overhead expenses. For the year ended September 30, 2017, JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. incurred \$25,994,433 of overhead expenses (supporting services), of which \$9,314,712 was its share of John Snow, Inc. incurred costs.

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. is a co-borrower with John Snow, Inc. on a commercial demand loan-revolving line of credit with an expiration date of May 31, 2018, which allows for borrowings up to \$6,500,000. The loan is collateralized by a security agreement with a first position lien on all corporate assets of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and John Snow, Inc. including assignment of promissory notes and security documents between the two companies. Interest is charged by utilizing a fluctuating rate based on LIBOR (Advantage) plus two percent (2.00%) payable monthly in arrears, which at September 30, 2017 was 3.235%. At September 30, 2017, a balance of \$0 was outstanding on the loan. Management believes the loan payable will be extended, when due, under similar terms and conditions.

# NOTE 17 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS - continued John Snow, Inc. – continued

During the year, the Company had various loans receivable due from, and various loans payable due to John Snow, Inc. At September 30, 2017, the loan receivable balance is \$0 and the loan payable balance is \$196,828.

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) has an agreement with John Snow, Inc. whereby John Snow, Inc. will provide administrative and technical support as deemed necessary by World Education, Inc.'s Board of Trustees. Transactions with John Snow, Inc. for the year ended September 30, 2017 are summarized as follows:

Administrative and technical support	\$ 1,481,286
Other direct charges (including rent of \$884,924)	 1,297,647
	\$ 2,778,933
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The agreement is on a year-to-year basis and can be terminated by either party upon ninety days written notice to the other.

World Education, Inc. provided services to John Snow, Inc. during the year ended September 30, 2017 totaling \$88,760 and was recorded as revenue in the consolidated statement of activities.

World Education, Inc. has an unsecured line of credit with John Snow, Inc. with a borrowing limit of up to \$1,000,000. (See NOTE 12)

#### Partnership for Supply Chain Management, Inc.

Partnership for Supply Chain Management, Inc. (PSCM) (an exempt organization) was incorporated on February 14, 2005 by JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Management Sciences for Health, Inc. Each organization has 50% control.

PSCM has been awarded a U.S. government contract to procure and deliver life-saving medicines and medical supplies to treat HIV/AIDS patients worldwide. The contract for the Supply Chain Management System project was awarded through the U.S. Agency for the International Development as part of the U.S. government's \$15 billion President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief.

Mr. Joel Lamstein, President and Director of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc., is President and Director of PSCM.

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### NOTE 17 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS - continued Partnership for Supply Chain Management, Inc. – continued

During the year ended September 30, 2017, JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. billed PSCM \$11,771,551 for services performed with a cost of \$9,926,355 and a fee of \$1,845,196. At September 30, 2017, PSCM advanced the Organization \$91,723 for program work.

### Other

The Organization has an agreement with a certain related company to purchase services. Transactions with this company were charged to sub-contracts expense and are as follows:

The Manoff Group, Inc. (a non-exempt corporation;		
40% owned by John Snow, Inc.)	<u>\$</u>	1,061,497
	<u>\$</u>	1,061,497

# **NOTE 18 – RETIREMENT PLANS**

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. has a defined contribution profit sharing/401(K) plan covering substantially all its employees. Employee contributions are voluntary. Employer contributions are based on a percentage (10% - 15% depending on length of service) of salary. The Plan was effective April 11, 1979. Pension expense was \$3,612,409 for the year ended September 30, 2017.

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) provides retirement benefits to substantially all employees under a plan. World Education, Inc.'s contributions of 7 percent of employee salaries are used to purchase individual annuities. Additional voluntary contributions may be made by the employees. Participants of the plan are fully and immediately vested when contributions are made. Pension costs incurred by World Education, Inc. were \$334,310 for the year ended September 30, 2017.

#### **NOTE 19 – COMMITMENTS**

#### **Operating Leases**

The JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. leases space for general offices under operating leases expiring from 2017 through 2019. The leases contain renewal options for periods of up to 5 years.

### NOTE 19 - COMMITMENTS - continued

During the year ended September 30, 2017, rentals under long-term lease obligations were \$518,335. Future obligations over the primary terms of the Company's long-term leases as of September 30, 2017 are:

Year Ended September 30,		
2018	S	386,434
2019		127,139
	<u>s</u>	513,573

World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) leases space for general offices on a year-to-year basis. Rent expense for the year ended September 30, 2017 was \$884,924.

#### NOTE 20 – CONCENTRATION OF FUNDING

The Organization receives a majority of its funding through contracts and grants with various departments and agencies of the Federal government.

The Organization received 10% or more of its revenues and support from the following sources for the year ended September 30, 2017:

	Income	% of
	 Received	Total Income
U.S. Agency for International Development	\$ 209,646,197	59.97%

### **NOTE 21 – IN KIND PROJECT CONTRIBUTIONS**

The Organization receives donated materials and services consisting of commodities, facilities and equipment, and services for use in its programs from overseas collaborative private voluntary organizations and from foundations providing grants directly to a project. Donated materials and services totaled \$14,444,516 for the year ended September 30, 2017, and are reflected as In Kind Project Contributions on the Consolidated Statement of Activities and In Kind Project Expenses on the Consolidated Statement of Functional Expenses.

### **NOTE 21 – IN KIND PROJECT CONTRIBUTIONS - continued**

These contributions satisfy part of the matching requirements needed to obtain full funding on certain U.S. Agency for International Development grants. During the year ended September 30, 2017, the following donated materials and services received by the Organization have been used to fulfill matching requirements on active grants:

36532	Turkmenistan YC	\$ 39,146
36697	SPRING	3,702,019
36895	Mozambique M-SIP	21,755
36991	AIDS FREE	8,507,628
37024	Tanzania CHSS	982,199
37134	Timor Leste RBHS	208,708
37162	Ghana HIV/AIDS	54,044
37186	Madagascar CCH	229,806
37244	Russia P2P	21,234
63101	Senegal/Journalism	90,738
63114	Uganda	75,264
63139	Benin FFE	13,330
64024	Tanzania	21,702
64057	Zimbabwe	61,029
64062	Uganda	192,537
64071	OUTCOMES	136,459
64074	Mozambique	76,471
		\$ 14,434,069

# **NOTE 22 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through April 23, 2018, the date on which the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued. During this period, there were no subsequent events that require adjustment to the consolidated financial statements.

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Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Program Title	Agency or Pass-through Number	Federal CFDA <u>Number</u>	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Federal Expenditures
U.S. AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOP	MENT:			
Direct Grants:				
36521 - Uganda HIV/AIDS/TB	617-A-00-09-00007-00	98.001	<b>\$</b> 35,943	\$ 478,356
36532 - Turkmenistan YC	120-A-00-09-00029-00	98.001	-	276,323
36662 - Madagascar CBIHP	687-A-00-11-00013-00	98.001	(10,469)	(10,469)
36697 - SPRING	AID-OAA-A-11-00031	98.001	7,483,566	27,002,657
36702 - Nepal CHX Cord Care	AID-OAA-A-11-00073	98.001	-	1,015,986
36747 - Ukraine HWUP	AID-121-A-11-00003	98.001	-	7,656
36800 - Advancing Partners	AID-OAA-A-12-00047	98.001	38,170,434	60,045,239
36845 - Pakistan HSSP	AID-391-A-13-00002	98.001	1,694,570	6,061,436
36895 - Mozambique M-SIP	AID-656-A-13-00006	98.001	-	1,213,872
36932 - Senegal LLP	AID-685-A-14-00001	98.001	12,252	127,675
36991 - AIDSFREE	AID-OAA-A-14-00046	98.001	27,033,705	46,523,456
37024 - Tanzania CHSS	AID-621-A-14-00004	98.001	1,545,547	9,323,796
37129 - Zambia Discover Health	AID-611-A-16-00004	98.001	1,197,619	19,810,322
37134 - Timor Leste RBHS	AID-472-A-16-00001	98.001	-	1,498,645
37162 - Ghana HIV/AIDS	AID-641-A-16-00007	98.001	1,567,945	4,907,365
37186 - Madagascar CCH	AID-687-A-16-00001	98.001	471,524	6,992,770
Total Direct Grants - CFDA #98.001			79,202,636	185,275,085
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through Partnership for Supply Chain				
Management, Inc. (PSCM):				
36344/36519/36524/37034/37053/37150 - Supply				•
Chain Management System	GPO-1-00-05-00032-00	98.001	-	9,926,355
Passed through Johns Hopkins University:				
37099 - Ethiopia SBCC	AID-663-A-15-000011	98.001	-	(1,076)
Passed through Pathfinder International:				
37265 - Ethiopia TRANSFORM	AID663A1700002	98.001	-	887,909
Passed through Program for Appropriate Technology				
in Health:				
37301 - Open LMIS - Phase I	AID.2134-01555716-CR	98.001		44,269
Passed through Management Science for Health, Inc.:		20.001	-	44,209
37305 - MSH Guinea eLMIS TA	SIAPS-Guinea-17-01	98.001		76 106
Total Pass-through Grants - CFDA #98.001		90.001		<u> </u>
-				10,092,045
Total - CFDA #98.001 - USAID Foreign				
Assistance for Programs Overseas			79,202,636	196,167,728
TOTAL - U.S. AGENCY FOR INTERNATION	NAL			
DEVELOPMENT			<u>\$ 79,202,636</u>	<u>\$ 196,167,728</u>
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	ERVICES:			
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through NACCHO:			•	
36689 - NH MRC Conferences	2011-041218	93.008	<u>s                                    </u>	<u>\$ 75</u>
Total CFDA #93.008 - Medical Reserve Corps Small Grant Program	;		_ <u></u>	75
Direct Grant:				
37087 - Adolescent HIV/AIDS Prevention	MAIAH000001	93.057	55,510	342,523
Total CFDA #93.057 - National Resource Cente	r			
for HIV Prevention Among Adolescents			55,510	342,523
Direct Grant:				
37128 - Competitive Abstinence Education	Agreement @09/30/15	93.060	-	9,391
Total CFDA #93.060 - Competitive Abstinence Education (CAE)			<u> </u>	9,391
Direct Grant:				<u> </u>
36901 - CDC - Strategic Assessments for Strategic	1U2GGH001132-01	93.067		
Action in India			-	24,360
Total CFDA #93.067 - Global AIDS				24,360
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through State of Vermont:				
37096 - Asthma Control Program	29370	93.070	-	4,048
37206 - VT Climate Change Eval.	31578	93.070	-	10,591
37212 - VT HPDP Evaluation	Contract #31786	93.070		29,867
Total CFDA #93.070 - Environmental Public		•		
Health and Emergency Response			<u> </u>	44,506
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through the State of New Hampshire:				
37132 - NH Ebola Readiness	Agreement @ 11/18/15	93.074	-	877
37222 - South Central CHIP	Agreement @ 04/01/16	93.074		1,064
Total CFDA #93.074 - Hospital Preparedness				
Program				1,941

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	ERVICES - CONTINUI	ED:		
Direct Grant:				
37103 - HITEQ	U30CS29366	93.129	1,308,648	2,116,274
Pass-through Grants: Passed through Community Health Assoc. of Mountain/Plain States:				
37225 - CHAMPS Planning 2016 Passed through Community Health Center:	APW/CHAMPS/9.1.16	93.129	-	4,847
37241 - CHCACT UDS Training Passed through National Assoc. of Community Health Centers, Inc.:	APW/11.10.16/CHACT	93.129	-	3,578
37256 - NACHC Pop Health Web	APW/NACH/10.12.16	93.129	-	676
37266 - NACHC Payment Reform	Agreement, 01-30-2017	93.129	-	13,801
37319 - NACHC PR Webinar	U30CS16089	93.129		1,283
Total CFDA #93.129 - Technical and				
Non-Financial Assistance to Health Centers			1,308,648	2,140,459
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Dartmouth Toxic Metals:				
37297 - Dartmouth Arsenic Site	APW/DTMSRP/4.17.17	93.143		1,421
Total CFDA #93.143 - NIEHS Superfund				
Hazardous Substances-Basic Research and E	ducation		<u> </u>	1,421
Direct Grant:				
36904 - Ryan White ACE	UF2HA26520	93.145	3,333	4,667
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Health Research, Inc.:				
37221 - National Quality Center Evaluation Project	Agreement @ 7-01-16	93.145		86,326
Total CFDA #93.145 - AIDS Education and				
Training Centers			3,333	90,993
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through the State of Vermont .:				
37212 - VT HPDP Evaluation	Contract #31786	93.184	-	14,171
Total CFDA #93.184 - Disabilities Prevention		•		14,171
Pass-through Grants:		,		
37163 - FamPlan Data Systems		93.217		116,399
37281 - FamPlan Data Systems		93.217		68,774
Total CFDA #93.217 - Family Planning Service	s			185,173
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	ERVICES - CONTINU	ED:		
Direct Grant:				
37103 - HITEQ	U30CS29366-03	93.224	16,477	96,580
Total CFDA #93.224 - Health Center Program				
(Community Health Centers, Migrant Health	I			
Centers, Health Care for the Homeless,				
and Public Housing Primary Care)			16,477	96,580
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through Buildings Bright Futures State				
Advisory Council, Inc.:				
36850 - Vermont L.A.U.N.C.H. Project	13/7	93.243	1,540	52,268
Passed through Community Health Institute and				
Harbor Homes, Inc.:				
37042 - Harbor Homes Inc.		93.243	-	4,612
Passed through State of Rhode Island:				
37107 - PFS II	3426881	93.243	10,000	60,705
Passed through State of New Hampshire:				
37133 - HCDC Evaluation	Agreement @ 10/01/15	93.243	-	44,358
37151 - NH DMH Client Survey	Agreement @ 01/13/16	93.243	14,413	66,857
Passed through State of Vermont:				
37212 - VT LOL Survey	Contract #31786	93.243	3,083	31,531
Passed through Prism Health North Texas:				
37286 - HS Atlanta Consulting	Emails 4/24-7/7/2017	93.243	-	7,313
Passed through Savannah State University:				
37286 - HS Atlanta Consulting	Email 7/28/17	93.243	-	4,367
Passed through Substance Abuse Certer:				)
37300 - RI Healthy Trans		93.243		13,249
Total CFDA #93.243 - Substance Abuse and				
Mental Health Services Projects of Regional		•		
and National Significance			29,036	285,260
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Boston University:				
37243 - Dartmouth Training		93.249		5,415
Total CFDA #93.249 - Public Health Training				
Centers Program			· -	5,415

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	SERVICES - CONTINU	ED:		
Direct Grants:				
36777 - National Training Center - Quality Assurance	c <b>e</b> ,			
Quality Improvement, Evaluation	FPTPA006025	93.260	-	4
36787 - Reproductive Health Prevention Training				
and Technical Assistance	FPTPA006015	93.260	-	143
36792 - National Training Center for Management				
and Systems Improvement	FPTPA006023	93.260	-	(3,481)
37223 - Family Planning National Training Center				
for Service Delivery Improvement	FPTPA006028	93.260	1,247,914	3,447,396
Total - CFDA #93.260 - Family Planning -				
Personnel Training			<u> </u>	3,444,062
Direct Grant:				
37321 - HRSA RRHO	UH5HA30789	93.266	-	131,343
Total CFDA #93.266 - Health Systems				<u></u>
Strengthening and HIV/AIDS Prevention,				
Care and Treatment under the President's				
<b>Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief</b>			<u> </u>	131,343
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through United Way/Greater Nashua:				
36937 - Nashua DFC Eval FY14	Agreement @ 9-30-16	93.276	-	4,075
Passed through Narragansett Prevention Partnership:				,
37148 - NPP Evaluation	Agreement @ 1-01-16	93.276	-	11,282
Passed through Monadnock Alcohol and Drug Abuse Coalition:				, -
37184 - Monadnock TAP	Agreement @ 2-01-16	93.276	-	217
Passed through City of Franklin, NH:	, - <b>-</b>			
37290 - FMDTF DFC Eval	APW/COF/1.5.17	93.276	-	9.008
Passed through Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital:				,,
37324 - Upper Valley DFC Eval	Agreement @ 3-29-17	93.276	-	2,005
Total CFDA #93.276 - Drug-free Communities			·····	
Support Program Grants				26,587

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	SERVICES - CONTINU	ED:		
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through Commonwealth of Massachusetts				
Department of Health:		02 202		
HIV/AIDS Research, Training and Support Passed through Catholic Medical Center Community	INTF-4111M04500824036	93.283	-	169,912
Services:		(		
37315 - CMC Focus Group	APW/CMC/6.14.17	93.283		986
Passed through State of Vermont:		<i>))</i> .20 <i>)</i>	-	960
37125 - VOHC Planning	30445	93.283	-	443
37212 - VT HPDP Evaluation	Contract #31786	93.283		9,457
Total - CFDA #93.283 - Centers for Disease				
<b>Control and Prevention - Investigations</b>				
and Technical Assistance		,	<u>-</u>	180,798
Direct Grant:				
36891 - PPHF 2013 - OSTLTS Partnerships	1U3801000188	93.292	49,000	98,131
Total - CFDA #93.292 - National Public Health Improvement Initiative	I		49,000	98,131
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through New Hampshire Dept. of Health and Human Services:				
37214 - NH Tobacco Helpline FY17	Agreement @ 07-01-16	<del>9</del> 3.305	-	122,169
Passed through Vermont Department of Health:				
37212 - Vermont Health Evaluation	Contract #31786	93.305	3,083	165,256
Total - CFDA #93.305 - Nat. State Based			<b>۲۵۵</b> ۲	207 425
Tobacco Control Program			3,083	287,425
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through the Association of State and Territoria Health Officials:	1			
37149 - ASTHO Adult Immunization	Agreement @ 1-01-16	93.524	-	488
37273 - ASTHO Toolkit	63-12913	93.524		4,879
Total - CFDA #93.524 - Building Capacity of				
the Public Health System to Improve				
Population Health through Nat'l. NPOs			· <u>-</u>	5,367

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN	SERVICES - CONTINU	ED:		
Pass-through Grant: Passed through the University of Colorado: 37270 - TCPI	PSC-00584	93.638		79.450
Total - CFDA #93.638 - ACA Transforming Clinical Practice Initiative: Practice Transformation Networks (PTNs)	,	75.050	i	<u>38,452</u> <u>38,452</u>
Direct Grant:				
37015 - Tobacco Use Prevention	NU58DP005338	93,735	-	63,449
Total - CFDA #93.735 - State Public Health Approaches for Ensuring Quitline Capacity				63,449
Pass-through Grants:	,			<u> </u>
Passed through State of New Hampshire:				
37048 - National Diabetes Prevention Program	1042855	93.757	-	142,265
37068 - Technical Assistance Network for Rural Health Clinics	1043188	93.757	28,320	74,676
37200 - Public Health Program Services Support Total - CFDA #93.757 - State Public Health Actions to Prevent Diabetes, Heart Disease, Obesity and Assoc. Risk Factors	PO# 1031592	93.757	<u>    128,006</u> <u>    156,326</u>	<u> </u>
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services:				
37130 - MO HEAL Passed through Rhode Island Department of Health:	C315199001	93.758	-	26,257
37140 - RI Epidemiological Support	7549784	93.758	<u> </u>	132,454
Total - CFDA #93.758 - Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Funded Soley				
with Prevention and Public Health Funds (P	PHF)		<u> </u>	158,711
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Lakes Region Partnership: 37245 - NH DSRIP Region 5	APW/LRP/10.20.16	93.779	_	12 614
Total - CFDA #93.779, - Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Research,		,,,,,,,	- <u></u>	42,614
Demonstrations and Evaluations				42,614

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	SERVICES - CONTINUE	ED:		
Pass-through Grant: Passed through Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Health:				
HIV Care	INTF5264M04500824007	93.815		274,385
Total - CFDA #93.815 - Domestic Ebola Supplement to the ELC				274,385
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Commonwealth of Massachusetts		•		
Department of Public Health:				
37152 - Ebola CONOPS	PRF61	93.817	-	75,166
Total - CFDA #93.817 - Hospital Preparedness				<i>ii</i>
Program (HPP) Ebola Preparedness and				
Response Activities			<u> </u>	75,166
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through State of New Hampshire:				
37068 - Technical Assistance Network for Rural Health Clinics	PO# 1043188	93.913	<u> </u>	34,468
Total - CFDA #93.913 - Grants to States for Operation of Offices of Rural Health				
Direct Grants:				
37191 - HIV Integrated Planning	U69HA30144	93.914	28,320	499,114
37194 - RWHAP ACE Health Training	U69HA30143	93.914	30,000	396,859
37327 - CHATT Planning TA	U69HA30795	93.914	-	65,604
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Boston Public Health Commission:				
37170 - Quality Assurance	Agreement @ 3-01-16	93.914		102,435
Total - CFDA #93.914 - HIV Emergency Relief Project Grants			58,320	1.064.010
·				1,064,012
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Commonwealth of Massachusetts				
Department of Public Health: HIV Care	NITE 4071 1404 6000 4000	01 017		204 5/2
	INTF-4971-M04500824092	93.917		285,562
Total - CFDA #93.917 - HIV Care Formula Grants			-	285,562
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN S	ERVICES - CONTINU	ED		
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through the State of Vermont:				
37212 - VT LOL Survey	Contract #31786	93.919		13,830
Total - CFDA #93.919 - Cooperative				
Agreements for State-Based Comprehensive				
Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection				13.030
Programs			<u> </u>	13,830
Direct Grant:				
36967 - Healthy Start Performance Project	UF5MC26845	93.926		2,138,551
Total - CFDA #93.926 - Healthy Start Initiative	:			2,138,551
Direct Grant:				
36945 - CDC CBA FY15 - FY19	U65PS004406	93.939	. <u> </u>	878,721
Total - CFDA #93.939 - HIV Prevention				
Activities - NGO Based			<u> </u>	878,721
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through the State of Massachusetts:				
37153 - CoRECT Study	PRF61	93.943		64,927
Total - CFDA #93.943 - Epidemiologic				,
Research Studies of Acquired				
Immunodeficiiency System (AIDS) and				
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)				
Infection in Selected Groups				64,927
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through South County Hospital Healthcare Sys				
37091 - South County Health Equity Zone Passed through Vermont Department of Health	Agreement @ 5-1-15	93.945	-	17,099
37212 - Vermont Health Evaluation Total - CFDA #93.945 - Assistance Programs	Contract #31786	93.945		26,412
for Chronic Disease Prevention and Control			<u> </u>	43,511
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through State of Rhode Island:				
36801 - Prevention Resource Center Passed through New Hamp. Prevention Certification Board of New Hampshire:	3316844	93.959		184,156
37168 - NHPCB Workforce		93.959	<u> </u>	24,243
Total - CFDA #93.959 - Block Grants for				
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abus	ie		<u> </u>	208,399
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN	SERVICES - CONTINU	ED		
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Arizona Family Health Partnership:	-			
37328 - AFHP CT Screening	17-J\$[]	93.977	-	826
Total - CFDA #93.977 - Sexually Transmitted				
Diseases (STD) Prevention and Control Gra	ants		<u>-</u>	826
Pass-through Grants:				
Passed through Tri-County Health Department:				
37106 - Tri-County Health Programming	Agreement @ 9-25-15	93.994	-	40
Passed through Global Evaluation & Applied Resear	ch			
Solutions, Inc.:				
37236 - MCH/SMS Retreat TA	APW/GEARS/10.7.16	93.994	-	2,546
Total - CFDA #93.994 - Maternal & Child Health Services Block Grant to the States				2,586
TOTAL - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	I			
AND HUMAN SERVICES		,	<u>s</u>	<u>\$ 13,688,441</u>
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	<b>Y</b> :			
Direct Grants:				
United States Coast Guard -				
37076 - Nat'l. Life Jacket Wear Rate	3315FAN1502.05	97.012	<b>\$</b> -	\$ (28,695)
37196 - Nat'l. Estimate of Life Jacket Wear Rate	3316FAN160206	97.012	8,474	104,533
37302 - Nat'l. Estimate of Life Jacket Wear Rate	3317FAN170210	97.012	8,237	161,946
Total CFDA #97.012 - Boating Safety Financia	al			
Assistance			16,711	237,784
TOTAL - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELA				
SECURITY			<u>\$ 16,711</u>	<u>\$ 237,784</u>

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Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Program Title	Agency or Pass-through Number	Federal CFDA <u>Number</u>	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Federal Expenditures
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE:				
Pass-through Grants: Passed through State of New Hampshire: 37205 - NH Juvenille Court Video 37250 - Juvenille Diversion Evaluation Total - CFDA #16.540 - Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention - Allocation to State:	Agreement @ 9-01-15	16.540 , 16.540	- 	13,376 30,454
TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	•			<u>43,830</u> <u>\$ 43,830</u>
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:				
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Food Insecurity Nutrition Incentive (F	INI):			
37257 - FINI Evaluation	PRF61	10.331	<u>s</u>	<u>\$ 36,504</u>
Total CFDA #10.331 - Food Insecurity Nutrition Incentive Grants Program			<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ 36,504</u>
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through Massachusetts Dept. of Elementary and Secondary Education:				
37167 - ESE Allergies Manual Total CFDA #10.560 - State Administrative Expenses for Child Nutrition	Agreement @ 3-25-16	10.560	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 99</u>
Pass-through Grant:				
Passed through State of Vermont: 37155 - VT SNAP Education Evaluation Total CFDA #10.561 - State Administrative	30754	10.561	<u> </u>	31,923
Matching Grants for the Supplemental				(
Nutrition Assistance Program			<u> </u>	
TOTAL - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICUL	TURE		<u>s</u>	<u>\$ 68,526</u>

· See notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor Program Title	Agency or Pass-through Number	Federal CFDA <u>Number</u>	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Federal Expenditures
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE:				
Pass-through Grant: Passed through Dreams Innovation Challenge: 37188 - DREAMS Total CFDA #19.029 - The U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief Programs	S-LMAQM-16-CA-1103	19.029	<u>\$ 25,325,653</u> 25,325,653	\$ <u>30,290,777</u> 30,290,777
Direct Grant: 37244 - Russia P2P Total CFDA #19.900 - AEECA/ESF PD Progra	S-RS500-16-CA-179 ams	19.900	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL - U.S. DĚPARTMENT OF STATE			<u>\$ 25,325,653</u>	<u>\$ 30,387,307</u>
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:				
Pass-through Grant: Passed through Regents of the University of Michigan	<b>.</b> ,			
37303 - Cape Cod Coastal	1.	11.419	<b>\$</b> -	<b>\$</b> 2,259
Total CFDA #11.419 - Coastal Zone				<u> </u>
Management Administration Awards				2,259
TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERC	CE		<u>s</u>	<u>\$2,259</u>
TOTAL FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 104,545,000</u>	<u>\$ 240,595,875</u>

See notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

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### **NOTE 1 – BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the Schedule) includes the federal grant activity of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. under programs of the federal government for the year ended September 30, 2017. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc., it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.

# NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- (1) Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.
- (2) Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) numbers and pass-through entity identifying numbers are presented when available.

#### **NOTE 3 – INDIRECT COST RATE**

JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. has elected not to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Board of Directors JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the consolidated financial statements of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate ("Organization"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of September 30, 2017, and the related consolidated statements of activities, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated April 23, 2018.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the consolidated financial statements, we considered JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and its affiliate's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliates' s internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Organization's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate's consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Purpose of this Report**

This purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the organization's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the organization's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Duxbury, Massachusetts April 23, 2018 NORMAN R. FOUGERE, JR. CPA 99 Heritage Lane Duxbury, MA 02332-4334



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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

To the Board of Directors JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate

#### **Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program**

We have audited JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2017. JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s compliance

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with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s compliance.

#### **Opinion on Each Major Federal Program**

In our opinion, JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2017.

#### **Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

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Management of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc.'s internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency or compliance over compliance is a deficiency or a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

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World Education, Inc. (Affiliate) maintains a different fiscal year (June 30) and has its own stand alone audit performed in accordance with the Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). However, the consolidated financial statements contain the combined activity of JSI Research and Training, Institute and World Education, Inc.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Duxbury, Massachusetts April 23, 2018

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# JSI Research and Training Institute, Inc. and Affiliate SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS September 30, 2017

# SECTION I - Summary of Auditors' Results:

# Financial Statements

The type of report issued on the financial statements:	Unmodified opinion	
Internal control over financial reporting:		
• Material weaknesses identified?	No	
• Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	None reported	
Noncompliance material to the financial statements noted?	No	
Federal Awards		
Internal control over major programs:		
• Material weaknesses identified?	No	
<ul> <li>Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?</li> </ul>	No	
Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major programs:	Unmodified opinion	
Any audit findings which are required to be reported under 2 CFR section 200.516(a):	No	
Identification of major programs:	USAID Foreign Assistance for for Programs Overseas CFDA #98.001	
	The U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief Programs CFDA #19.029	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$3,000,000	
Auditee qualified as low risk auditee under 2 CFR Section 200.520	Yes	
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# STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR'S FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

There were no reportable findings or questioned costs for the year ended September 30, 2016.

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**EDUCATION** 

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN Ph.D., Organizational Psychology, 1973

CLAREMONT MCKENNA COLLEGE, CLAREMONT, CALIFORNIA B.A., Major in Psychology, cum laude, 1968

#### EXPERIENCE

JSI, Boston, Massachusetts Senior Research Scientist, April 1992 to present

#### Major Studies at JSI:

Client Satisfaction for Massachusetts Department of Mental Health Services. JSI is currently conducting client satisfaction surveys in two major outpatient programs for the Massachusetts Department of Public Health with Dr. Mangione as the Principal Investigator. JSI was awarded this contract for yearly surveys through a competitive process for a three year contract with possibilities of renewal for two more 3-year periods. We are currently starting the fourth year of work. Mail surveys will be conducted in both the Adult Community Based Flexible Supports (CBFS) services and Family services programs. The content of the surveys was based on previously administered instruments of the Mental Health Statistical Improvement Program. These surveys were reformatted to organize items into content areas and to provide easier self-administration. All surveys were transformed to a scannable format. Surveys were mailed to all currently active clients with a pre-notification letter followed up with a survey packet which included a \$5 incentive. Up to three additional reminders were sent. Response rates exceeded 40%. Analyses will focus on system-wide comparisons for the scores on all sub-scales by various demographic characteristics and region of the state. In addition, all programs will receive a report of the findings comparing their program to the statewide average.

Client Satisfaction for New Hampshire Department of Mental Health Services. JSI is currently also conducting a similar client satisfaction effort in New Hampshire as we are doing in Massachusetts. The contract is for two years with possibility of renewal for two more rounds of two year. Samples are drawn from each of the ten Mental Health Centers funded by the state to provide services. The samples are stratified by age and gender. The same methodology was used in NH as in MA except phone follow-ups were done each year to bring response rates up to 50%. Surveys were translated into six languages.

Client Satisfaction for Substance Abuse Treatment Programs. JSI is working with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health's Bureau of Substance Abuse Services to conduct client satisfaction surveys among all of its funded programs which incorporate a variety of levels of service. Two primary goals for this effort include providing information for programs to utilize in Quality Improvement processes and to eventually provide consumers with comparative information among programs. JSI developed the survey with input from stakeholder groups and implements the self-administered surveys on-site using our data collectors to maximize patient confidentiality. Results from the surveys are grouped into 10 topical areas and given to the programs as well as comparative information relative to other programs at their level of service state-wide.

Survey of Medical Marijuana Users in Massachusetts. JSI is working with the MA Department of Public Health to conduct a survey of medical marijuana users (n = 35,000). The survey will be an online survey whose focus will be on use patterns and attitudes towards the medical marijuana program. As a supplement to this study a small number of willing participants will be asked to also provide blood and urine samples so that baseline levels of marijuana can be established among medical marijuana users. JSI is working closely with the Department to utilize methods that protect client confidentiality. This study is part of a series of studies that the Department has contracted for (with other vendors) to provide information on recreational use of marijuana in Massachusetts.

National Life Jacket Wear Rate Studies. JSI has conducted the life jacket wear rates studies since 1998 for the U.S. Coast Guard in order to assess levels of success of the Coast Guard's efforts to encourage boaters to wear life jackets while boating in order to dramatically decrease drowning deaths. The observations are made in 30 states at 124 water venues. Each year approximately 14,000 boats and 42,000 boaters are observed. Observer/recorder teams gather information in each state during a summer weekend. They record characteristics of the site, the type of boat and other boat characteristics, and the age and gender of boaters as well as whether they are wearing a life jacket. Over the 12 years of the study to date, wear rates have remained relatively constant and low for adults but increasing rates have been documented for children under the age of 6 and between 6 and 12 years of age. Also, wear rates have increased steadily for sail boats over this 12 year period. In addition to these national studies, JSI has been the evaluator for two experiments to increase life jacket wear rates. One experiment was in the Delta region of California in which intensive publicity and education were marshaled within a limited local area. Wear rates increased in the first year of the campaign but fell back somewhat in the second year when the intensity of the campaign decreased. The other experiment was to evaluate the Army Corps of Engineers mandatory wear regulations in Mississippi. Early indications are that mandatory regulations coupled with enforcement and publicity do succeed to increase wear rates.

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**Tobacco Retail Outlet Price Monitoring Surveys.** JSI is working with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health's Tobacco Control Program to collect data from a sample of outlets on current pricing of several tracking brands of cigarettes and cigars. Approximately 3000 retail establishments are included annually. This work has been on-going since 2010. The TCP program uses this information to track price trends as well as to monitor compliance with minimum pricing regulations.

**Evaluation of State Tobacco Quitlines.** JSI has been the evaluator of three state tobacco quitlines -Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island since 2002. Quitline services are provided by Try-to-Stop, a JSI telephone counseling service. JSI evaluation interviewers routinely obtain greater than 90% cooperation rates among contacted households for follow-up interviews. Thirty day quit rates range from 20% to 25%; satisfaction ratings with the services are quite high.

Rhode Island Healthy Weight Initiative. JSI was contracted by the RI Health Department to provide information to the Healthy Weight Initiative in two different areas. Information was to be gathered and analyzed about school health policies including physical education and recess time, vending machine policies, and school lunch programs. A statewide survey was also conducted to determine resident awareness of programs sponsored by the RI Department of Health to combat obesity and to assess attitudes toward a tax on sugar sweetened beverages and the availability of fruits and vegetables and access to parks and playgrounds in their neighborhoods.

**Evaluation of SPAN Program.** SPAN is a community based organization that provides substance abuse relapse prevention with recently incarcerated individuals. The program is funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Agency (SAMHSA) and provides individual and group counseling sessions. Participants were assessed pre and post intervention on a variety of indicators of stable lifestyles including recent drug and alcohol use, employment, housing, health and mental health service utilization and family relationships.

Advertising and Pricing of Tobacco Products in Massachusetts Retail Stores. Under contract with the MA Department of Public Health, JSI visited nearly 600 store locations across Massachusetts to conduct observational an observational study on the amount and types of advertising for tobacco products as well as pricing for five national brands and the cheapest available brand in each store. Analyses focused on price changes in response to increases in Federal and state excise and sales taxes as well as the types of advertising and placement of those ads. Results were compared across counties, by poorer versus richer, higher versus lower minority populations, and size of store.

Integration of HIV and Substance Abuse Prevention in Minority Communities. This study funded by SAMHSA involves cross-site evaluation and technical assistance to 47 programs who are providing integrated prevention services in minority communities. The interventions integrate prevention information and skill building on both substance abuse and HIV risk factors. Some of the programs focus on youth, while others focus on minority women. JSI is the program coordinating center and is responsible for developing the cross-site evaluation instruments, developing a data collection protocol, processing the data, and conducting the evaluation analyses. Data will be collected on approximately 10,000 program participants and comparison individuals at three points in time.

Worksite Prevention of Alcohol Problems in conjunction with the Harvard School of Public Health and funded by the National Institute of Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse and the Robert Wood Foundation. This study focused on the policies, culture, norms, and work group processes that affect employee drinking behaviors. Phase 1 data was gathered using a mail survey from 7255 managers in 114 worksites across 7 major corporations with an average worksite response

rate of 79%. Phase 2 data was collected from all employees of 16 of these worksites using a mail survey with a resulting sample of 6240 employees representing a 71% response rate.

**Treatment Outcomes Performance Pilot Study** in conjunction with Brandeis University Health Policy Institute and Health & Addictions Research Institute and funded by SAMHSA. This study followed clients of residential and ambulatory treatment facilities to determine effectiveness of treatment. The sample was balanced between men and women, and Whites, Blacks and Hispanics. The follow-up was done be by telephone, three months after leaving treatment. Data was also collected about treatment services received and counselor ratings of functioning at discharge.

Elderly Alcohol Treatment Needs Assessment. Funded by SAMHSA through the Massachusetts Bureau of Substance Abuse Services, this study will screen approximately 2500 elderly patients in primary care settings to determine levels of risk concerning alcohol use. In addition to determining the amount of use of alcohol, the G-MAST will be administered to those who drink above moderate levels of alcohol and individuals will be asked about experiences with alcohol and prescription drug interactions.

Needs Assessment of Clients in Substance Abuse Treatment funded by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. This study obtained data about homelessness, HIV risk taking behavior and domestic violence experiences from nearly 6000 clients of substance abuse treatment services. Over 90% of the treatment sites participated in this study. Response rates for clients averaged 72% across four types of programs--residential, detox, ambulatory, and drunk driver education.

HIV+/AIDS Needs Assessment funded by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. This study produced a five year (1995-1999) plan for Massachusetts services. The basis for the recommendations came from surveys of health care providers, health care institutions, and consumers as well as qualitative interviews and focus groups with a variety of provider groups and consumers and projections based on trends of AIDS cases in Massachusetts.

**Evaluation of HIV Prevention Programs – New Hampshire** funded by the New Hampshire AIDS Bureau. This study will gather data from men who have sex with men and from injection drug users to gather information about contact with prevention services, satisfaction with those services, and current attitudes and behaviors. Site visits will be conducted in each of the state funded prevention programs.

#### Center for Survey Research, University of Massachusetts, Boston, Massachusetts

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#### Senior Research Fellow, 1973-1992; Director, 1982-1986

Direct survey research studies for projects undertaken for clients as well as my own studies. During my tenure at the Center I also served in several administrative roles: Assistant Director (1973–1979); Associate Director (1979–1982); Director (1982 to 1986) in which I was responsible for providing administrative leadership for the Center's staff.

#### Major studies at U-Mass Boston

**Evaluation of Massachusetts Saving Lives Program** in conjunction with the Boston University School of Public Health and funded by the Massachusetts Governor's Highway Safety Bureau and the National Institute for Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse. This study included surveys of adults and teenagers in six experimental towns, five control towns, and a statewide sample. In addition, it included observational data on seat belt usage, traffic violations, pedestrian behaviors, and radar speed monitoring. Data were collected before the program began and for a period of five years after the program was implemented.

**Evaluation of the Maine and Massachusetts Drunk Driving Laws** in conjunction with the Boston University School of Public Health and funded by the National Institute for Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse and the Commonwealth Fund. This study compared the effectiveness of two different legal approaches to decreasing drunk driving. Data were collected from adults and teenagers in Maine, Massachusetts, and compared to surveys conducted in other New England states.

**Evaluation of the Massachusetts Mandatory Seat Belt Law** in conjunction with the Boston University of Public Health and funded by the Commonwealth Fund. Surveys were conducted before a mandatory law was implemented, after it was implemented, and again after the law was repealed by a voter referendum.

**Evaluation of Raising the Minimum Drinking Age in Massachusetts** in conjunction with the Boston University School of Public Health and funded by the National Institute of Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse. Interviews with teenagers in Massachusetts and New York before the Law changed and twice after the law changed were used to evaluate the effectiveness of the law change.

AIDS Knowledge, Attitudes and Behaviors in Massachusetts in conjunction with the Boston University School Public Health and funded by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and the National Institute of Alcoholism and Abuse. This study provided trend data for adults, teens, and an oversampling of minorities in the state for a period of three years to help evaluate interventions and to determine the need for targeted educational programs.

The Value of Interviewer Training and Supervision funded by the National Center for Health Services Research. This experimental design tested the degree to which different levels of training and supervision affected the quality of data obtained by interviews.

**Epidemiology of Sex Role Differences in Mental Health** funded by the National Institute of Mental Health. Analysis of survey data compared men and women on predictors of self reported mental health.

National Study of Gambling Law Enforcement Policy and Practices funded by the National Institute for Justice. This study assessed the policies and practices in 14 major American cities; data were collected through surveys of officers as well as through intensive interviews with key individuals in the departments and the prosecutors' offices. Policy recommendations were made'to improve the effectiveness of enforcement efforts.

**Evaluation of the Hartford Crime and Fear Control Project** funded by the National Institute for Justice. A three pronged intervention project involving policing strategies, neighborhood organizing, and physical changes to the neighborhood environment was evaluated using citizen surveys, police record data, observational data, and intensive interviews with key informanis.

Additional studies included: Evaluation of 1990 Walk for Hunger, Massachusetts Physicians' Perspectives on AIDS Education; Role of Perceptions Teenage Drunk Driving Deterrence; Evaluation of Another Course to College Program; University of Massachusetts Image Study; Evaluation of U-Mass/Boston Women's Study Program; Longitudinal Study of Life's Stresses and Drinking Practices; Feasibility Study for a Neighborhood Multi-Service Center; Evaluation of the Massachusetts PKU Testing program; Epilepsy Family Study; Prenatal Care in Massachusetts; Needs of the Head Injured in Union Membership on the Federal Trusteeship, Intermittent Claudication Medical Outcomes Study.

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EDUCATION

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, ALBANY, NEW YORK School of Criminal Justice Master of Arts in Criminal Justice, 2001

NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS College of Criminal Justice Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice, 1996, magna cum laude

# EXPERIENCE

#### JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts

Project Manager, October 2005 to present

Data Manager, January 2003 to October 2005

- Sample management, database development and analysis, client communication, subcontract management
- Evaluation instrument design, telephone survey software testing, data output analysis
- Budget tracking and management.
- Recruitment, training and management of part-time staff across multiple projects

#### Selected projects:

Satisfaction Survey – MA Dept of Public Health – Bureau of Substance Abuse Services 2012 to present Co-manage client survey project in 200+ state-funded substance abuse programs throughout the Commonwealth. Train & supervise in field data collectors. Manage site scheduling and oversee data processing & QA. Facilitate team meetings.

# MA Dept of Mental Health and NH Dept of Health & Human Services

Client Satisfaction Surveys

Manage mail surveys to adult clients and parents/guardians of children/adolescent clients to evaluate satisfaction with the quality, access, appropriateness, and outcome of state mental health services. Survey methods used include prenotifications, upfront incentives and reminders to boost response rates to ensure ample sample size to calculate statewide and clinic-specific performance estimates for identifying areas for quality improvement.

#### **Community Needs Assessment – Various Clients**

Responsible for managing household mail survey projects in Stamford, Connecticut, Bergen County, New Jersey, and the North Shore of Massachusetts. Train and supervise hourly staff to prepare mailings and track returns. Manage samples. Create and send daily response reports. Respond directly to project director and client requests as needed.

#### CDC Public Health Emergency Preparedness Training & Implementation Project

Support 3-person management team on large-scale training project for the CDC. Coordinate meetings & conference calls with clients and national partners. Participated in key-information interviews with CDC leadership. Interviewed candidates for Staff Associate positions. Manage communications between on-site and out-of-state staff persons. Co-coordinating travel, reimbursement & content logistics for 200+ person conference in April 2011. Maintain project documents on the network & document all meeting minutes & audio files.

#### U.S. Coast Guard National Life Jacket Wear Rate Study

Project Manager for the National Observational Life Jacket Wear Rate Study. Responsibilities include staff management and training, data analysis, certification and coordination of data collectors across 20 states.

#### Tri-State Tobacco Quitline Evaluation

Co-ordinate a telephone follow-up survey for smoking quitlines in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New Hampshire. Responsibilities include creation of interview protocols, scheduling and training of interviewers, sample management, data analysis and presentation.

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#### **EDUCATION**

BOSTON UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH M.P.H., Epidemiology and Social & Behavioral Sciences, 2007

WELLESLEY COLLEGE B.A., Psychology & Economics, cum laude, 2003

#### **EXPERIENCE**

JSI, Boston, Massachusetts

Senior Data & Evaluation Specialist, Health Services Division, 2007 to present

Develop program evaluation plans, conduct survey research, and analyze primary and secondary data not limited to surveys, health care quality, and medical claims data. Projects include needs assessments, quality management and improvement, process monitoring and impact evaluations of health care delivery and health promotion programs. Develop and provide technical assistance on data systems to document processes and outcomes. Interpret findings, write reports, abstracts, and manuscripts.

#### National AIDS Education and Training Centers Evaluation, HRSA HIV/AIDS Bureau

JSI is evaluating the impact of the national AETC Program in improving the skills and capacity of the HIV provider workforce to deliver high-quality, interdisciplinary team-based care and improve patient outcomes along the HIV care continuum. Work includes assessing and revising the national evaluation plan and data collection tools; working with the eight Regional AETCs to gather data for each of the four programmatic subcomponents – Core TA/T, Minority AIDS Initiative, Practice Transformation, and Interprofessional Education – to support a national evaluation.

#### Massachusetts Department of Mental Health Consumer Satisfaction Survey

JSI administers mail surveys to adult clients and parents/guardians of children/adolescent clients to evaluate satisfaction with the quality, access, appropriateness, and outcome of DHHS services. Surveys were re-designed to enhance readability. Mail survey methods used included pre-notifications, upfront incentives and reminders to boost response rates to ensure ample sample size to calculate statewide and clinic-specific performance estimates for identifying areas for quality improvement.

#### New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services Mental Health Consumer Satisfaction Survey

JSI administers mail surveys to adult clients and parents/guardians of children/adolescent clients to evaluate satisfaction with the quality, access, appropriateness, and outcome of DMH services. Surveys were re-designed to enhance readability. Mail survey methods used included pre-notifications, upfront incentives and reminders to boost response rates to ensure ample sample size to calculate statewide and clinic-specific performance estimates for identifying areas for quality improvement.

### Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Asthma Prevention and Control Program, Evaluation of a Community Health Worker Home Visiting Study

Provide evaluation, epidemiologic, and analytic services to the Reducing Older Adult Asthma Disparities (ROAAD) study to assess the feasibility and impact of a community health worker home-visiting model including asthma management education, medication reconciliation, and home environmental triggers assessment and reduction on reducing unscheduled office or emergency visits, improving asthma symptom control and quality of life.

#### Maine Center for Disease Control & Prevention, Community Health Worker Initiative Evaluation

Evaluated the Community Health Worker (CHW) Initiative involving four pilot projects conducted by a local health department, hospitals, and community-based organization. Provided technical assistance on performance measures, data collection tools, and evaluation framework to assess reach, implementation fidelity, and efficacy of CHW interventions. Provided sustainability recommendations to standardize CHW training, to develop CHW workforce under the State Innovation Model (SIM), and to create capacity to support CHWs in primary care integration.

#### National Quality Center Evaluation, Health Resources and Services Administration HIV/AIDS Bureau

Managed this mixed methods evaluation to assess the impact of NQC program activities, including TA, regional groups, collaboratives, in+care campaign, and advanced QI trainings on building quality management and performance measurement

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capacity among Ryan White program grantees that will improve HIV quality of care and outcomes for people living with HIV/AIDS across the United States. Conducted quantitative analyses of survey and quality of care data as well as qualitative key informant interview analyses to provide guidance, suggestions and targeted assistance for improvements in data collection, management and interpretation, as well as information to strengthen current and planned project activities.

#### Healthy Schools Healthy Communities Evaluation, Missouri Foundation for Health

Evaluate this 5-year initiative to address childhood obesity in regions of Missouri, focusing on schools and community-based and statewide efforts aimed at improving access to healthy foods and opportunities for physical activity. Work includes evaluating (1) the process of school and community partnerships to development and implement multi-factorial interventions including their ability to adopt and sustain change, and 2) the impact of school and community-based interventions, including programs, policies, and environmental changes aimed at promoting physical activity and healthy eating through annual student surveys, BMI data, academic achievement scores, school/staff interviews, and process logs.

# Healthy Futures Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program Evaluation, Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Adolescent Health (OAH)

Managed and analyzed survey data for this clustered randomized controlled four-year longitudinal cohort study evaluating a teen pregnancy prevention program offered in public middle schools in high risk communities in Massachusetts. Developed and oversaw survey data collection and database system to track student participation, attendance, and surveys completed. Implemented data quality assurance, reported performance measures to OAH, developed analysis plans and statistical models, and prepared abstracts and manuscripts for dissemination.

#### Evaluation of Ozarks Regional YMCA Community Transformation to Support Active Living and Healthy Eating

Using a mixed-method approach, evaluated the impact of Ozarks Regional YMCA's two-year CDC community transformation grant to implement policy and environmental changes that promote physical activity, healthy eating, and smoke-free living that will ultimately improve population-level health. Developed process monitoring database for collecting data on implementation activities across multiple partners, with built-in standardized reports. Analyzed quantitative household survey data.

#### Central New York DSRIP Collaborative Regional Needs Assessment

JSI conducted a Regional Needs Assessment for Performing Provider Systems (PPS) in Central New York. PPSs are required to conduct a needs assessment for their application for New York State Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment (DSRIP) Program. JSI provided qualitative and quantitative analysis and mapping of population demographics, health outcomes, Medicaid hospital readmissions, and access to provider and community resources in each of the 11 counties represented by the PPS in the region, in order to identify gaps in service and to inform the strategic plans for the PPS DSRIP applications.

# Rhode Island Initiative for Healthy Weight Evaluation

Analyzed mail survey data measuring Rhode Island residents' knowledge and perceptions of healthy foods availability, environmental safety and resources for physical activity, and specific initiative-related activities.

# Harvard School of Public Health - Global Health and Population, Women and Health Initiative

Provided consultation services on survey sampling design, sample selection, and analysis for a national survey study on physician knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors towards women's reproductive health.

#### U.S. Coast Guard National Life Jacket Wear Rate Study

Analyze data for this national observational study on life jacket use, using statistical tests to examine trends in life jacket use over time by boater characteristics, boating conditions, and boat type. Generate data tables and prepare annual reports.

#### Sylvie Ratelle STD/HIV Prevention Training Center of New England Evaluation

Analyze online survey data from this ongoing needs assessment and evaluation of training courses to meet the needs of health care providers and assess the short and long-term impact on knowledge, skills, and practice behaviors of health care providers; assess program reach.

#### HIVQUAL-US Program Evaluation, New York State Department of Health AIDS Institute

Evaluated the impact of this HRSA-funded national HIV care quality management initiative in building Ryan White grantees' quality management and performance measurement capacity for improving quality of care. Managed and analyzed annual client-level clinical care performance data submitted by over 100 participating grantees across the U.S., produced national benchmark reports used by providers and clinics to monitor and inform quality initiatives, designed and executed analytic studies on performance trends and disparities, and prepared manuscripts for dissemination of findings.

#### HIV Clinical Care Quality Management Project, Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Office of HIV/AIDS

Evaluated HIV care quality and patient outcomes at clinics receiving state funding using chart review or EMR data. Provide clinic-specific and program wide reports on quality trends, potential areas for improvement, and best practices. Conducted topic specific analyses including health disparities, retention, and impact of support services on client outcomes. Estimated unmet need for HIV primary care and analyzed antiretroviral therapy adherence using prescription claims and hospitalization episodes using Medicaid and inpatient discharge data.

## Massachusetts Department of Public Health Tobacco Retail Store Field Survey

Analyzed data from field survey of MA retail outlets to examine trends across years in cigarette pricing and promotion strategies by various store type, store location, and community characteristics (demographics, socio-economic status).

#### Data Consultant, Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Office of HIV/AIDS

Developed data quality control system for the counseling, testing, and referral and health education and risk reduction data submitted by DPH-funded clinics, in the state. Built and provided technical assistance for an automated data reporting system allowing program staff to select site-specific and aggregate program reports.

#### Boston University-School of Public Health, Boston, Massachusetts

#### Research Assistant, 2006-2007

Managed several evaluation projects including the Violence Intervention Prevention (VIP) program in Haverhill, MA to address youth gang violence as part of the MA Executive Office of Public Safety Charles E. Shannon grant initiative, a pilot training workshop on intimate partner violence for day care employees, and a pilot project investigating alcohol use and dating violence perpetration among adolescents using an urban emergency department.

#### Women's Lunch Place, Boston, Massachusetts

## Program Evaluation Consultant, 9/2006 to 12/2006

Developed a comprehensive process and outcome evaluation plan to fulfill WLP's strategic goal to improve its Advocacy Program and to continually assess the efficacy of its services in meeting the needs of homeless women and children. Engaged in direct service work, site observations, and interviews and constructed a detailed logic model, defined program objectives, and key evaluation questions. Identified performance indicators and associated data collection needs including 1) instituting routine program monitoring procedures and 2) developing client satisfaction surveys. Recommended quality improvement opportunities.

#### Boston VA Healthcare System, Boston, Massachusetts

#### Health Science Specialist, 2003–2006

Collaborated with principal investigator in the development and implementation of multiple randomized controlled trials testing the efficacy of interactive voice response (IVR) systems in enhancing management of chronic conditions (asthma, sleep apnea, cardiovascular disease) among VA patients and participants in the Normative Aging Study, a longitudinal prospective cohort examining the epidemiology of aging. Developed programming logic and original counseling dialogues based on motivation enhancement and behavioral change theory. Designed surveys, study protocols, and training manuals. Oversaw continuous IVR system testing and data quality control measures to ensure the completeness and accuracy of patient files.

#### Wellesley College, Center for Research on Women, Wellesley, Massachusetts

#### Research Assistant, 2001–2003

Performed database management, survey development and validation, quantitative and qualitative data analyses, and prepared reports for the evaluation of Women In Community Development, a program supporting higher education for low-income women, girls' self-defense and empowerment interventions including Girls' LEAP and Girls, Inc.: Project Bold, and Jacksonville Children's Commission's After School Programs in Florida. Supervised and trained new student research assistants. Provided research support for the Battered Mothers' Testimony Project that addressed child custody and domestic violence issues.

#### U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Boston, Massachusetts Summer Intern, Summer 2002

Worked on the Asian American and Pacific Islanders White House Initiative, Executive Order 13216, to eliminate cultural, linguistic, and socio-economic barriers to health care access. Reviewed and prepared contracts totaling over \$300,000 for 15 community-based organizations nationwide to implement health promotion and education campaigns benefiting the elderly, uninsured, and underprivileged populations.

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Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Center for Innovation on Product Development, Cambridge, Massachusetts Research Assistant, Summer 2000.

Conducted extensive literature review on U.K. pharmaceutical firms, research establishments, and hospitals. Completed detailed database of 5,000-plus entries of U.S. hew drug applications and patents.

#### TEACHING

Harvard University School of Public Health, Biostatistics Department, Boston, Massachusetts Graduate Teaching Assistant, Spring 2014/2015. Course Title: Survey Research Methods.

Boston University School of Public Health, Social & Behavioral Sciences Department, Boston, Massachusetts Graduate Teaching Assistant, Spring 2008. Course Title: Quantitative Methods in Program Evaluation.

## **POSTERS | PRESENTATIONS**

American Public Health Association, Boston, MA, November 2-6, 2013

- o Poster: Chow W, Imre M, Mangione TW. Association between states' boating regulations and children's rate of life jacket use
- o Poster: Mangione TW, Chow W. Reducing recreational boating fatalities: Do life jacket wear regulations work?
- Poster: Flaherty K, Chow W; Calise TV. Effect of a school-based teen pregnancy prevention program on parentadolescent communication about sex

AIDS 2010-XVIII International AIDS Conference, Vienna, Austria, July 2010

- Poster: Schneider KL, Chow W, Hirschhorn LR, Agins BD, Monserrate J, Wells CG, & Dai H. A national look at quality of care (QOC) in the Ryan White Program-supported National Quality Improvement (QI) program in 2007.
- Presentation: Schneider KL, Chow W, Hirschhorn LR, Agins BD, Monserrate J, Wells CG, & Dai H. Quality over time: changes in quality of care (QOC) among a cohort of HIVQUAL-US (HQ) participating grantees between 2002 and 2007.

American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009

o Presentation: Schneider KL, Agins B, Chow W, Hirschhorn L. Viral suppression rates in New York State: How good have we gotten?

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Calise TV, Chow W, Ryder A (2018). Food access and its relationship to perceived walkability, safety, and social cohesion. Health Promotion Practice. Advance online publication. https://doi.org/10.1177/1524839918778553
- Spitzer N, Philips MT, Chow W, Mangione T (2018). Factors associated with life jacket use among cabin sailboat and day sailor boaters in the United States. *Journal of Safety Research*. 65:101-114
- Quan L, Mangione T, Bennett E, Chow W (2018). Use of life jackets and other types of flotation for in-water recreation in designated swim areas in Washington State. *Injury Prevention*. 24(2):123-128.
- Calise TV, Chow W, Dore KF, Heitz ER, Millock RR (2016). Healthy Futures Program and Adolescent Sexual Behaviors in 3 Massachusetts Cities: A Randomized Controlled Trial. American Journal of Public Health. 106(S1):S103-S109.
- Wangu Z, Gray B, Dyer J, Chow W, Calise T, Hsu KK (2016). The value of experiential sexually transmitted disease clinical training in the digital age. Sex Transmitted Diseases. 43(2):134-6.
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- Mangione TW, Chow W, and Nguyen J (2011). Trends in life jacket wear among recreational boaters: A dozen years (1999-2010) of US observational data. *Journal of Public Health Policy* 33(1):59-74.

# SKILLS

Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint). Statistical packages: SAS, SPSS. Languages: Chinese/Cantonese. Spanish.

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EDUCATION

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS BA, Major in Government, Minor in Economics, 2012

#### EXPERIENCE

John Snow Research & Training Institute, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts Staff Associate, December 2013 to present Intern, June to December 2013

> Missouri Foundation for Healthy, Health Schools Healthy Communities Evaluation, Serves on the evaluation team for a 5-year initiative to reduce childhood obesity rates through comprehensive community-level interventions in Missouri. Built, programmed, disseminated, and tracked the Healthy Schools Healthy Communities survey to gather data on community access to healthy food options and exercise facilities. Coordinated mailing to 2000 homes (prenotification, surveys with incentive, and reminders). Built, programmed, and disseminated Student Survey to gather data on physical activity and nutrition habits of children in grades 5-8 in 31 Missouri public school districts. All surveys were created using Cardiff TeleForm. Assisted in the development of the Healthy Communities Health-e-Link, a cloud-based knowledge exchange portal used by grantees to facilitate collaboration and streamlining data collection. Maintain and monitor Health-e-Link, research and prepare documents on best practice data collection techniques, as well as provide logistical and administrative support. Assist in the design and production of annual evaluation reports.

> U.S. Coast Guard National Life Jacket Wear Rate Study. Support annual on-site observational data collection in 30 states from July to August. Assist in annual training of data collectors. Maintain survey equipment and provide logistical support, including shipments of equipment and forms to remote observation teams. Process completed observation forms and clean data on over 60,000 boaters in SPSS and SAS. Contribute to annual reports.

Supporting Healthy Start Performance Project. Supports the Alcohol and Substance-Exposed Pregnancy Prevention (AStEPP) team that offers training and technical assistance to increase Healthy Start grantees' understanding of the impacts of fetal exposure to alcohol and other drugs, and strengthen their capacity to engage in effective prevention and early identification activities with pregnant women, mothers, and newborns. Researched existing data and tools, and analyzed information gathered from AStEPP grantee discussion groups to guide technical assistance deliverables for subsequent project years. Assisted in the development of the AStEPP webpage by researching fundamental resources for at-risk mothers. Processed completed feedback forms and analyzed data from additional Healthy Start consultants to inform AStEPP best practices.

Massachusetts Center for Health Information and Analysis (CHIA) Employer Survey. Assists in CHIA's mission to monitor MA health care and insurance systems by conducting an annual employer survey. Redesigned the existing survey tool in Cardiff Teleform, and created an online survey version using SurveyGizmo. Responsibilities include tracking paper and online surveys, managing incentives, crafting language for mass mailings and emails, producing weekly response reports and contributing to final reports. Also assists in the phone follow-up by managing the database, running daily data output, and disseminating the viable sample for staff to call. Helped conduct CASES program training for 10 new staff.

Massachusetts Department of Mental Health Client Satisfaction Study, Assists in the evaluation of community members as well as acute and continuing care psychiatric care facilities to evaluate their satisfaction with community based services, and their perception of service outcome. Created, programmed, and tracked scannable versions of the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health's annual client satisfaction survey tool using Cardiff Teleform. Attended confidentiality training and practiced security measures to maintain client privacy. Supervises survey mailings, manage survey incentives, and conducts quantitative and qualitative analysis for annual reports.

New Hampshire Department of Mental Health Client Satisfaction Study, Helped conduct client satisfaction surveys of the adult service population and the parents of children receiving New Hampshire mental health services. Programmed and tracked scannable surveys using Cardiff Teleform. Supervises survey mailings and phone follow-up for non-responders, and manages survey incentives. Assists in quantitative and qualitative analysis for annual reports. **Evaluation of the Healthy Futures Lawrence Project**, Assisted in the process and outcome evaluation of the Nu-CULUTRE curriculum for grades 6, 7, and 8 in 4 school districts, including developing the evaluation design, data collection tools, data management and analysis, and progress report development. Created pre- and post-test student surveys using Cardiff Teleform, fidelity checklists in Survey Monkey, and attendance sheets in Google Drive. Responsibilities include providing technical assistance for Healthy Futures staff, monitoring and processing all data collection, and contributing to final reports.

Ozark Regional YMCA Community Transformation Grant, Assisted in evaluation of initiative to increase opportunities for healthy eating, physical activity, and smoke-free living through organizational and city-level programs and policies in Springfield, Missouri. Disseminated and tracked the Springfield Resident Survey to gather data on community access to healthy food options and exercise facilities. Coordinated mailing to 1500 homes (pre-notification, surveys with incentive, and reminders). Built and programmed neighborhood audit survey using the Active Neighborhood Checklist to find baseline measures for neighborhood walkability and bikeablity. Processed and analyzed data using SPSS. Built and programmed the Fruit & Vegetable Afterschool Survey to evaluate Local Sprouts Afterschool Program. Processed and analyzed data using CSPro. All surveys were created using Cardiff Teleforrm and tracked using Microsoft Access.

Massachusetts Tobacco Control Program Pricing and Promotions Study. Oversee staff collecting cigarette pricing data from retail establishments and coordinate quarterly data collection throughout Massachusetts. Produce tables and format quarterly reports.

Massachusetts Department of Public Health Office of Preparedness and Emergency Management, Continuity of Operations Plans (COOP), Provided administrative support to update emergency preparedness plans for eight bureaus and five offices in the Massachusetts Department of Public Health Office of Preparedness and Emergency Management. Reviewed and revised existing COOP template and assisted in the final preparation of completed plans.

#### New York State Department of Health, Albany, New York

Project Intern, December 2011 to February 2012

Reported directly to the Director of the Division of Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention. Wrote a detailed progress report analyzing local school districts for Healthy Schools NY, a program focused on reducing the prevalence of obesity among schoolage children.

# East Boston Neighborhood Health Center, Boston, Massachusetts

Health Center Ops Intern, June to August 2011

Reported to VP of Operations of largest federally qualified health center. In U.S. Evaluated methods to improve clinic performance, patient flow, and care delivery. Reviewed three years of incident reports. Coded correspondence for reimbursement. Worked with EPIC, internal health data, and Excel for Spanish translation.

#### Urban Land Institute, Washington, D.C.

Researcher, June to August 2010

Reported directly to the Executive VP of Policy and Practice. Collected and synthesized data on generational housing trends for ULI report *Generation Y: America's New Housing Wave*, published in January 2011. Organized documents for online retrieval and assisted in general research.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Calise Tammy, Chow Wendy, Dore Katelyn, O'Brien Michael, Heitz Liz, Millock Rebecca (2016). Healthy Futures Program and Adolescent Sexual Behaviors in 3 Massachusetts Cities: A Randomized Controlled Trial. American Journal of Public Health 106(S1), pp. S103-S109.

## COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft Office (including Access, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher, and Word), Webinar, CSPro, STATA, Cardiff TeleForm, CASES, SurveyGizmo, and Survey Monkey.

## **ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD SYSTEM EXPERIENCE**

Allscripts, athenahealth, Centricity Practice Solutions, eClinicalWorks, Epic, NextGen Healthcare

# MARGARITA CASTOIRES PRINCE

JSI, 44 Farnsworth Street Boston, Massachusetts 02210 (617) 482-9485

#### **EDUCATION**

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS Working towards a Bachelor of Arts in Human Services

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### JSI Research & Training Institute, Boston, Massachusetts

Project Coordinator, January 2015 to present Tobacco Treatment Specialist, July 2009 to December 2014 Information and Referral Associate, July 2005 to June 2009

#### Selected projects:

#### Bureau of Substance Abuse Services (BSAS) Client Satisfaction System

Oversaw data collection and management and provided logistical support for a project funded by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health's BSAS that conducted client satisfaction surveys among all of its funded programs. Ensured confidentiality of collected data; translated and pilot tested survey research instruments and trained staff to collect data in programs and classes throughout the state.

#### Workforce Development Evaluation with Children's Behavioral Health

Assisted Senior Program Evaluator on the Workforce Development Initiative created by the Children's Behavioral Knowledge Center to increase and improve the mental health workforce in Massachusetts. Oversaw data collection and management and maintained data quality assurance procedures.

#### Try to Stop Tobacco Project

Provided a motivational interviewing approach to assist tobacco users in quitting smoking through the Smoker's Helpline and the Quitworks program to residents of Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island. Assisted clients on developing quitting and relapse prevention plans. Provided evidence based counseling, support and encouragement throughout the quitting process, and educated clients on the proper use of pharmacotherapy.

#### Children's Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts

#### Research Assistant/Screener, September 2004 to July 2005

Conducted project data collection interview based on standard questionnaire. Maintained up-to-date record system of participants contact/locator information, test results, and follow-up visit schedule. Managed data storage to ensure confidentiality of participant records. Referred participants to appropriate health and social services programs. Provided pre and post test appropriate counseling for project participants according to counseling protocols. Responsible for participant recruitment and other related responsibilities.

#### Martha Eliot Health Center, Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts

#### Family Planner/Outreach, July 2001 to March 2004

Worked directly with adolescents and families; provide medical and health care information. Educated clients about birth control, sexually transmitted diseases, pregnancy, and prenatal care. Worked with medical staff to perform pregnancy test, STD test, and other clinical examinations. Supervised and trained the Peer Leadership Program; Oversee Peer Leaders daily job function, as well as created activities in the community. Coordinated and responsible for outreach events.

#### DBT HOUSE/Vinfen, Inc, Boston, Massachusetts

Relief Worker, June 1999 to April 2003

On-site monitoring of women with Dialectical Behavioral Treatment modality. Other responsibilities included crisis intervention counseling, relationship building, organization responsibilities.

#### John Snow, Inc, Boston, Massachusetts

#### Staff Associate-Health Services Division, June 1994 to June 2001

Assisted with public health projects such as: Case Management of HIV Client Services, Mental Health Care Provider Training in HIV infection and AIDS, Sexual attitude reassessment workshop, National Health Care for the Homeless Conference and WIC

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survey. Served as a recruitment specialist on focus group project for the Department of Medical Assistance; screened over 200 seniors and caregivers for focus groups; coordinated logistical aspects of all groups. Served as Logistic Coordinator for National Substance Abuse Technical Assistance project.

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

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Microsoft Word, Excel, Meeting Pro, Access, Internet

# TRAINING | CERTIFICATES

Sex Education Certificate with Planned Parenthood AIDS 101 Certificate with Latino Health Institute Dialectical Behavior Therapy Workshop: Cognitive Behavior Therapy for Chronically Suicidal Borderline Patients Mediation Certificate Tobacco Treatment Specialist Certificate Protecting Human Research Participant Certificate

## LANGUAGE

Fluent in oral and written Spanish

# JSI Research & Training Institute, Inc.

# Key Personnel

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