

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR PHYSICAL HEALTH SERVICES

This agreement is entered into between the Nelson County Board of Education and Communicare, Inc. for the 2017-2018 school year relating to Physical Health services provided by Communicare. These services will be provided for students and staff within the Nelson County School District.

Communicare Agrees To:

- Provide physical health services to students and staff in order to diagnose and treat illnesses within the school setting. Physicals and immunizations will also be provided under this agreement.
- 2. Make referrals to outside providers as needed (i.e., MRI, X-ray, etc.).
- 3. Ensure that Communicare services under this agreement will be provided by an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN), who is a registered nurse educated at Masters or post Masters level.
- 4. Provide professional liability insurance coverage for Communicare professionals providing services under this agreement.
- 5. Establish and maintain a treatment record for each person receiving medical services under this agreement in accordance with the staff licensing board requirements, the Department for Behavioral Health/Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities, the Department for Medicaid Services and other applicable standards.
- 6. Maintain confidentiality for persons receiving services under this agreement in accordance with applicable professional standards, laws and regulations. It is recognized that Communicare and Nelson County School personnel shall be in communication with one another concerning treatment of students as necessary.
- 7. Communicate agrees to bill Medicaid and/or private insurance for all students covered by such. Nelson County Board of Education will not be responsible for any cost, unless school personnel request drug testing for a student. The cost for this will be \$10 per drug screen.
- 8. Service provider agrees to provide the above described services as an independent contractor. Withholding of FICA, Federal, State, and local taxes will not be the responsibility of the Nelson County Board of Education.

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Nelson County Board of Education Agrees To:

Communicare, Inc.

- 1. Provide suitable space for the delivery of physical health services and access to a private telephone in order to provide confidentiality. The parent or guardian must accompany client for the initial appointment.
- 2. The school nurse will collaborate and triage to the Communicare APRN as needed.
- 3. A school representative may refer student families to Communicare in accordance with the policies and procedures of the Nelson County Board of Education. Communicare will not refuse to see any child referred in this manner.
- 4. Maintain confidentiality related to the treatment services provided under this agreement in accordance with applicable professional standards and applicable laws and regulations.
- 5. Additional services may be purchased by Nelson County Board of Education under separate agreement.

This agreement becomes effective on the later date signed below. Either party may terminate this agreement upon a thirty (30) day written notice to the other party.

Anthony Orr Superintendent Nelson County Board of Education	Date
Brittany Rigney Administrator - Regional Services Communicare, Inc.	Date
Dan Simpson Chief Executive Officer	<u>5/3///7</u> Date