**MEBS Counseling and Boone County School District**

**Interagency Agreement**

**2023-2024**

The following are areas of agreement between Boone County School District and MEBS Counseling:

1. The goal of this agreement is to facilitate the provision of mental health services to Medicaid eligible students attending the Boone County School District and their families. KY Medicaid will be utilized for billing purposes; thus Boone County Schools will have no financial responsibility for payment of services.
2. The schools will provide a safe environment, space, and reasonable accommodations to allow the provision of services during the school day and in school buildings.
3. MEBS Counseling will provide intake and qualification services to families referred by school staff and provide services pending provider availability.
4. MEBS Counseling will provide mental health support services to eligible students with KY Medicaid, to help bridge the gap between schools, homes, and outside agencies, as well as consultation with school personnel that will enable us to help support our students.
5. This contract can be modified in the event that Boone County School District desires expansion to more schools/areas, requiring MEBS Counseling to hire employees specifically to accommodate the increased need. Said contract would simply include language agreeing to utilize MEBS Counseling for an agreed upon amount of time, thus allowing for stability of therapist employment.

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