

**CONTRACT**

**(NUECES COUNTY / CENIKOR FOUNDATION)**

**STATE OF TEXAS                   \***  
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**COUNTY OF NUECES            \***

This agreement entered into on the date of its execution as set forth below by and between Nueces County, hereinafter called "County," and Cenikor Foundation ("Cenikor"), an organization for the education, counseling, inpatient treatment and rehabilitation of individuals subject to alcohol and drug abuse.

**WITNESSETH:**

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court finds that drug abuse and alcoholism constitute a public health problem in Nueces County and that Cenikor provides what may be reasonably characterized as health services; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court finds the need for health services providing inpatient treatment, detoxification, education and other services designed to aid the citizens of Nueces County who are chemically dependent; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court is authorized to appropriate and spend money from the county general revenues for public health and sanitation in the county pursuant to § 122.001 of the Texas Health and Safety Code and the determinations of Texas Attorney General Opinion Nos. JM-158 (1984) and JM-103 (1983);

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration and exchange of mutual covenants and conditions contained herein to further the public purpose of elimination and prevention of alcohol and drug abuse in Nueces County, the County and Cenikor agree as follows:

I.

Cenikor will provide education and services to any and all individuals suffering from alcohol and/or drug abuse in support of efforts to eliminate and prevent alcohol and drug abuse within Nueces County. Cenikor will provide program access or remove barriers to accessibility

under the Americans with Disabilities Act to allow individuals with disabilities the opportunity to participate and receive benefits of services, programs and activities.

II.

Cenikor will submit semi-annual reports to the County indicating activities by Cenikor in performance of its obligations pursuant to this agreement. Cenikor shall include in its reports a detailed accounting of expenditures of County funds and any measurable results obtained with regard to the effect of the education, counseling, inpatient treatment and rehabilitation of individuals subject to alcohol and drug abuse and any measurable success toward the elimination and prevention of alcohol and drug abuse in Nueces County. Such reports shall be presented to the County Commissioners Court at a noticed meeting.

III.

Cenikor will diligently use its resources to provide inpatient services and other services to citizens of Nueces County for the cause of maintaining and enhancing alcohol and drug abuse rehabilitation, prevention and education.

IV.

As payment for these services to be rendered in the County's fiscal year 2019-2020, the County will provide \$55,000 (\$13,750 per quarter) subject to appropriations for the administration of Cenikor activities related to the purposes of this agreement pursuant to the 2019-2020 County Budget.

V.

Cenikor will cause this funding to be segregated from other funds used for activities of Cenikor unrelated to the purposes of this agreement.

VI.

This agreement shall continue in force and effect until September 30, 2020. In the event Cenikor terminates its activities related to the purposes of this agreement prior to the expiration of this agreement, the balance of any remaining funds shall be returned to the County in the same proportion that County funds bear to the total funds received or in the possession by Cenikor to conduct activities related to this agreement.

WITNESS our hands on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

NUECES COUNTY

CENIKOR FOUNDATION

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Barbara Canales  
County Judge

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kara Sands  
County Clerk

Approved as to form:

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Laura Garza Jimenez  
County Attorney