City of Minneapolis

Request for Committee Action

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Subject:
Agreement with Metropolitan Health Plan for the School Based Clinics to be a participating provider of health services to eligible students.

Description:
Authorizing an agreement with Metropolitan Health Plan (MHP), a Health Maintenance Organization certified by the State of Minnesota, for the School Based Clinics to be a participating provider of medically necessary services billable to MHP for the period beginning January 1, 2016, and automatically renewed annually for a period not to exceed seven (7) years.

Previous Actions:
None

Ward/Address:
Select a ward.

Background/Analysis:
The department is requesting to contract with Metropolitan Health Plan (MHP) to allow the School Based Clinic program to bill them for services provided to students that are participants in that health plan. MN Department of Human Services has awarded a contract to MHP to become a prepaid Medical Assistance (PPMA) provider in Hennepin County beginning in 2016. Revenue received from this and other provider agreements is included in the projected SBC revenues that are approved by Council as part of the annual budget. We do not anticipate changes in projected revenue as MHP is replacing UCare & Health Partners as PPMA providers in Hennepin County starting in 2016.

Financial Review:
No financial impact.