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**Proposed Modification of
Premier Access Insurance Company Contract for
2007-08 Rural Health Demonstration Projects**

On September 19, 2007, the Board approved Premier Access Rural Health Demonstration Project SP-20, Stockton Dental Surgery Center. The Stockton Dental Surgery Center was to provide ambulatory dental surgery services to young children and children with special needs in San Joaquin County and surrounding areas. The total amount approved by the Board, including administrative costs was \$177,660 for FY 2007-08 and \$266,760 for FY 2008-09 for a grand total of \$444,420.

In mid-July, Premier Access informed MRMIB that the surgery center did not become operational as planned. Premier Access currently does not have a contract with the surgery center and the surgery center has provided no services to date. Therefore, pursuant to Section VI. B. 2 of Exhibit F of the contract between MRMIB and Premier Access, MRMIB cancelled funding for the Stockton Dental Surgery Center, effective July 29, 2008.

Staff have evaluated the other proposals submitted by Premier Access for FY 2007-08 and 2008-09 and identified two projects that could be substituted for this project. The proposed projects are listed in Attachment I.

Staff requests the Board approve allocating the funds from the Stockton Dental Surgery Center project to the projects listed in the Attachment. These projects best match the target population of the previously approved project, were rated as excellent in the review process and could be implemented without further delay.

Project ID	Plan Partner	County	Project Description	Estimated # of Children to be Served	Anticipated # Of Child Encounters	Budget FY 08-09	Plan Admin Cost - 8%	Total Funds Requested
PA-GA18	Long Valley Health Center	Northern Mendocino, Southern Humboldt	Provide pre-school dental screenings to children in two school districts. Begin a Saturday clinic to increase the number of new patients by 25%, dental encounters by 50%	100	200	\$106,217	\$8,497	\$114,714
PA-SP09	Fresno Dental Surgery Center	Amador, San Joaquin, Fresno, Madera, Tulare, Mariposa	Increase number of pediatric patients who desperately need dental treatment under general anesthesia, including very young children, developmentally disabled and those with special needs	1,500	2,200	\$305,283	\$24,423	\$329,706
Total								\$444,420