

**AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0423-PR21
APPROVE ENTERING INTO AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS PRIVATE CLUSTER SCHOOLS
TO PROVIDE CLUSTER PROGRAM SERVICES**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve entering into agreements with various Private Cluster School Providers ("Providers") to provide cluster program services to the Office of Specialized Services at a cost not to exceed \$25,000,000 ~~\$52,440,274.00 in the contracts. These payments are reimbursed through the Illinois State Board of~~

Education Providers were selected on a competitive basis pursuant to a duly advertised Request for

Proposals (07-250042). A written agreement for each Provider is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to any Provider for services provided during the term prior to the execution of

OUTCOMES: Services provided by the Providers will enable CPS to achieve the following:

1. Decrease the number of students having a primary classification of emotional disturbance (ED) or autism who attend private schools.
2. Develop quality private school resources within each of the six CPS Clusters aligned with the programmatic needs of each Cluster.
3. Establish coordinated, innovative practices between the public schools of a specific Cluster

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General – Each party to the agreements shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain

Conflicts – The agreements shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the

Exhibit A

PRIVATE CLUSTER SCHOOLS

1. Banner Schools, LLC
5100 S. Cornell, #904
Chicago, IL 60615
Contact Person: Eric A. Carlton
Telephone No.: 773-934-2328 Fax No.: 773-667-5802
Vendor No.: 20029
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

Facility: The Banner School
9538 S. Harvard
Chicago, IL 60628
2. Beacon Therapeutic School, Inc.
10650 S. Longwood
Chicago, IL 60643
Contact Person: Susan Reyna-Guerrero, LCSW
Telephone No.: 773-298-1243 Fax No.: 773-298-1078

Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

Facility: Beacon Therapeutic Diagnostic and Treatment Center
10650 S. Longwood
Chicago, IL 60643

3. The Day School
800 W. Buena Ave
Chicago, IL 60613
Contact Person: Jessica Donnelly
Telephone No.: 773-297-2000 Fax No.: 773-297-2000

Vendor No.: 31738
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

4. Easter Seals Metropolitan Chicago
14 E. Jackson Blvd., Suite 900
Chicago, IL 60604
Contact Person: Barbara Zawacki
Telephone No.: 312-222-5155 Fax No.: 312-222-2000

6. Infinity School of Chicago, NFP

Chicago, IL 60652
Contact Person: O.B. Stander, President
Telephone No.: 813-887-3300 Fax No: 813-887-8092
Vendor No. 65554
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

7. Jewish Child and Family Services

216 W. Jackson, Suite 800
Chicago, IL 60606
Contact Person: Julia Mellow
Telephone No.: 312-673-2714 Fax No.: 312-553-5531

Vendor No.: 67060
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

8. Lawrence Hall Youth Services

2737 W. Peterson
Chicago, IL 60659
Contact Person: Mark Nufer
Telephone No.: 773-728-2807 Fax No.: 773-728-0751
Vendor No.: 39644
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

9. South Central Community Services, Inc.

8316 S. Ellis Avenue
Chicago, IL 60619
Contact Person: Gregory E. Amos
Telephone No.: 773-483-0900 Fax No.: 773-483-9097
Vendor No.: 35476
Category: Emotional Disturbance (ED)

10. Special Education Services d/b/a Hillside Academy - East Campus