

School Operations
Eddie T. Pearson, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT WITH BAYVIEW THERAPEUTICS OF MIAMI, INC., TO PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FROM OCTOBER 21, 1999 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2000

**STRATEGIC PLANNING GOALS: I - EARLY INTERVENTION
II - STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT/PREPARATION FOR POST SECONDARY EXPERIENCES
IX - COMMUNITY/HOME/PARENT/SCHOOL/BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS**

Bayview Therapeutics of Miami, Inc., has expressed an interest to enter into a cooperative agreement with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) to provide mental health services for students enrolled at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, from October 21, 1999 through June 30, 2000.

Bayview Therapeutics of Miami, Inc., will fund and provide the mental health staff (case managers, therapists, and counselors) and supplies. M-DCPS will provide space in the buildings which will require no modifications.

Bayview Therapeutics of Miami, Inc., will indemnify and hold harmless The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, for any liabilities associated with this agreement, and provide proof of Professional Liability Insurance with limits not less than \$1,000,000.

There is no exchange of funds for these services.

The Chief Executive Officer for Bayview Therapeutics of Miami, Inc. is Mr. David Gottlinsky.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to enter into a cooperative agreement with Bayview Therapeutics of Miami, Inc., to provide mental health services for students enrolled at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, from October 21, 1999 through June 30, 2000.

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