

April 30, 2003

Financial Affairs
George M. Burgess, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: EXTEND CONTRACT NO. 093-CC10 – COUNSELING SERVICES
FOR IMMIGRANT AND LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT (LEP)
STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES**

COMMITTEE: BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

The purpose of the Request For Proposals, opened on February 4, 2003, was to establish a contract, for the Division of Bilingual Education and World Languages, to provide, weekly group and/or individual counseling to immigrant and Limited English Proficient (LEP) students and their families, who have been affected by traumatic experiences. The terms of agreement, as contained in the contract, awarded by the Board on March 12, 2003, provided, that by mutual agreement between the successful vendors and The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, the contract may be extended for two (2) additional one (1) year periods. The contract is currently in its initial period. The awardees have agreed to extend for the first one (1) year extension period, by letter, on file. It is considered to be in the best interest of the Board to extend this contract, for an additional one (1) year period, at the current prices, to benefit from fixed prices during the next twelve (12) months, inasmuch as the Consumer Price Index (CPI), as of February 2003, for medical care, indicated an increase of 4.5%.

Fund Source
Grant Funds - Title III

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **EXTEND** Contract No. 093-CC10 - COUNSELING SERVICES FOR IMMIGRANT AND LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT (LEP) STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES, for the Division of Bilingual Education and World Languages, to provide, weekly group and/or individual counseling to immigrant and Limited English Proficient (LEP) students and their families, who have been affected by traumatic experiences, effective July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2004, as follows:

1. DADE COMPREHENSIVE SUPPORT, INC.
11401 SW 40 STREET, SUITE 307
MIAMI, FL 33165
OWNER: OLGIE M. MONTELLIER, PHD

Counseling services @ \$55 per hour.
2. JEWISH COMMUNITY SERVICES OF SOUTH
FLORIDA
1790 SW 27 AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33145
OWNER: DAVID B. SALTMAN, PRESIDENT/C.E.O.

Counseling services @ \$55 per hour.
3. THE CHILDREN'S PSYCHIATRIC CENTER
15490 NW 7 AVENUE, SUITE 200
MIAMI, FL 33169
OWNER: ROBERT D. NOLAN, PHD

Counseling services @ \$55 per hour.

(First Annual Extension and Second Year of Contract)

4. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase
up to the total estimated budget amount of \$120,000.

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