

# Inter-County Placement Agreement

This agreement is drafted as an addendum to our mutual contract to assure clarity of fiscal obligation for care services provided to individuals placed by Racine County at the Trempealeau County Health Care Center. "Trempealeau County Health Care Center" includes all facilities under control of the Trempealeau County Health Care Center administration including, but not limited to, the main center, residential care apartment complexes, community-based residential facilities, and adult family homes.

Racine County Department of Human Services agrees to accept the financial responsibility for individuals it places at the Trempealeau County Health Care Center, as per contract, including any costs incurred by Trempealeau County as a result of any emergency detention/placement that may be necessary pursuant to chapters 51 and 55 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Notwithstanding sec. 51.42(1)(b), Wis. Stats., this provision specifically redirects county liability for emergency services to the placing county.

In the event that any commitment order under chapter 51 of Wisconsin Statutes or protective placement order under chapter 55 of Wisconsin Statutes expires or otherwise terminates, and the individual continues to reside or remain in Trempealeau County following such expiration/termination, Racine County Department of Human Services agrees to pay for any care, treatment, and/or services needed by the subject, including any emergency detention/placement, for a period of one hundred eighty (180) days following the date the commitment/protective placement order expires/terminates or following the date when the individual leaves the Trempealeau County Health Care Center, whichever is later.

Once an individual's commitment/protective placement order expires or terminates, Racine County Department of Human Services agrees to make reasonable and good faith efforts to assist such individual in returning to Racine County or assist such individual to obtain housing in such Racine County. Such individual maintains the freedom to choose to reside where they wish, however, Racine County shall not assist such individual in obtaining housing in Trempealeau County, unless Racine County and Trempealeau County mutually agree that such assistance would be appropriate.

For purposes of a Grant Agreement between Trempealeau County Health Care Center – IMD and State of Wisconsin Department of Health Services for Specialized Services, Racine County must maintain proof that each client admitted or retained from Racine County would be income eligible for medical assistance except for the fact that the facility to which she or he is being admitted is an IMD. Racine County must collect and enter all appropriate data into the Program Participation System for each person residing in the IMD.

This addendum is noted as agreed to via the signatures hereinafter.

Racine County Dept. of Human Services

Date



  
Wendy M. Christensen  
Racine County Clerk (WS) 

1/21/2021

Trempealeau County Health Care Center

Date


Lori Glauner  
Director of Finance

Date 01-25-2021  
Certified to be correct as to form  
01-21-2021

  
JONATHAN DELAGRAVE  
RACINE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

By   
Racine County Corporation Counsel

REVIEWED BY FINANCE DIRECTOR

 1/22/2021  
Sign Date