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September 10, 2012

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Sheryl L. Spiller, Director

**SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF THE GENERAL RELIEF PHYSICAL HEALTH
DISABILITY ASSESSMENT SERVICES AND COMPREHENSIVE
PHYSICAL HEALTH DISABILITY EVALUATION SERVICES CONTRACTS
AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME
AND MEDI-CAL ADVOCACY PROGRAM PILOT FOR THE SOUTH
SPECIAL GENERAL RELIEF DISTRICT OFFICE**

This is to notify you that I have exercised the delegated authority approved by the Board on August 14, 2012, to accomplish the following:

1. Increase the total maximum contract amount for all 14 contracts, with seven Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) and two FQHC look-alike agencies, by an estimated \$1.3 million to cover the cost of disability assessments from September 1, 2012 through November 30, 2012.
2. Extend the contracts for 14 months effective December 1, 2012 through January 31, 2014 for a total estimated cost of \$13.4 million. The total contract term is for 33 months effective May 13, 2011 through January 31, 2014.
3. Amend one of the 14 contracts with St. John's Well Child & Family Center to include the Supplemental Security Income and Medi-Cal Advocacy Program Pilot for the South Special General Relief District Office, not to exceed a total contract amount of \$400,000 annually.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (562) 908-8383, or your staff may contact Michelle Callahan, Assistant Director, at (562) 908-8622.

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