

**AMENDMENT # 1 TO VENTURA COUNTY
CONTRACT # 9048
SUPPLEMENTAL STAFFING SERVICES**

The County of Ventura (County) and Aya Healthcare, Inc. hereby agree that the agreement identified as Ventura County Contract No. 9048 (Contract) previously entered into by the parties is amended, effective October 15, 2023, as follows:

1. Replace Schedule "A" in its entirety with the attached Schedule "A" effective October 15, 2023.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

COUNTY OF VENTURA

Aya Healthcare, Inc.

Signature

Authorized Signature

Printed Name

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Buyer

Title

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Date

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**Schedule A – Rate Schedule
Effective October 15, 2023**

Schedule A – MA03 – Nursing
Schedule A – MA04 – Lab
Schedule A – MA05 - Other

Schedule A-MA03 – Nursing

Contractor shall provide the following Staff, at the following rates:

Nursing Category	All-Inclusive Maximum Hourly Rate	Maximum Hourly Rate
Daily registry	\$135.00	N/A
Traveler RN	\$150.00	N/A
Non-nursing clinical	\$140.00	N/A
Locum	\$360.00	N/A
Monitor Technician	\$80.00	N/A
Sterile Processing Technician	\$70.00	N/A
Surgical Technician	\$110.00	N/A
Licensed Clinical Social Worker	\$115.00	N/A
Medical Assistant (MA03)	\$70.00	N/A
Medical Office Assistant II	\$50.00	N/A

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1. Rate Rules for Staff

- 1.1 **Overtime.** Overtime pay rate is equal to one and one-half (1.5) times the regular rate for applicable shift for hours worked over forty (40) within a designed workweek. For regular scheduled shifts of twelve (12) hours, overtime pay rate will not apply for work in excess of twelve (12) hours per shift unless the hours exceed forty (40) hours within a designed workweek.
- 1.2 **Holidays.** Work performed on New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day will be invoiced at a premium Holiday rate of one and one-half (1.5) times the regular rate. Holidays will be the twenty-four hours beginning at midnight of the holiday and end at 11:59 PM of the holiday.
- 1.3 **Standby Premium Pay.** County will pay for “scheduled/formal standby” hours, defined as hours where the Staff is not required to stay on the facility’s premises, at the rate not to exceed nine dollars (\$9.00) per hour, unless applicable law mandates otherwise, in which case County will pay for such hours in accordance with applicable law. If Staff is called back to work for County while serving in a “scheduled/formal standby” capacity, the “scheduled/formal standby” charge will cease, and Client will instead pay Contractor the applicable rate for the duration of the call-back period. The minimum call-back period is two (2) hours. No Staff shall be paid for call-back time and “scheduled/formal standby” simultaneously. There is no “volunteer standby” status. Call-back Premium Pay will be one and one-half (1.5) times the regular rate.
- 1.4 **Missed Meal or Break Premium Pay.** A Staff who misses a meal break or rest break is entitled to an additional hour of pay at the regular rate of pay for each break missed up to a maximum of two (2) hours of additional pay on any given day.
- 1.5 **Orientation.** County will provide Staff with orientation in accordance with the standards of The Joint Commission and County’s policies. All time spent by travel Staff in County-provided or required orientation is billable.
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1.7 **Charge.** Work performed by clinical Staff when working in a Charge Nurse capacity will be billed at the applicable rate plus \$5.00 per hour.

2. **Short Term Staff (Per Diem/Daily Registry Staff):** For Staff appointed for per diem/daily registry engagements the following terms and conditions apply:

2.1 **Cancellation Policy.** Contractor and County agree to a two (2) hour cancellation policy. If County cancels a scheduled shift less than two (2) hours prior to the start of the shift or with less than two (2) hours' notice during the shift, County will be billed for two (2) hours plus any time worked.

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3.2 **Overstaffing.** Contractor will cancel agency personnel at County's request for overstaffing with at least seven (7) days written notice without a penalty to County.

Schedule A-MA04 – Lab

Contractor shall provide the following Staff, at the following rates:

Lab Category	All-Inclusive Maximum Hourly Rate	Maximum Hourly Rate
Clinical Laboratory Scientist	\$130.00	N/A
Histologist	\$100.00	N/A
Phlebotomist	\$75.00	N/A
Medical Laboratory Technician	\$80.00	N/A

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Schedule A-MA05 – Other

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Other Category	All-Inclusive Maximum Hourly Rate	Maximum Hourly Rate
Occupational Therapist	\$115.00	N/A
Occupational Therapy Assistant	\$95.00	N/A
Pharmacist	\$140.00	N/A
Pharmacy Technician	\$75.00	N/A
Physical Therapist	\$115.00	N/A
Physical Therapy Assistant	\$95.00	N/A
Physical Therapy Aide	\$65.00	N/A
Registered Dietician	\$95.00	N/A
Respiratory Therapist	\$125.00	N/A
Speech Language Pathologist	\$120.00	N/A
IT Project Manager	\$115.00	N/A
Epic Trainer	\$135.00	N/A
Data Analyst	\$95.00	N/A
Systems Analyst	\$95.00	N/A
Financial Analyst	\$80.00	N/A
Food Service Worker	\$38.00	N/A
Cook	\$40.00	N/A
EVS/Custodian	\$38.00	N/A
Patient Registrar	\$45.00	N/A
Patient Access Specialist/Patient Services Rep	\$47.00	N/A
Trauma Registrar	\$80.00	N/A
Medical Coder	\$50.00	N/A
Cancer Registrar	\$80.00	N/A
Medical Transcriber	\$48.00	N/A
Revenue Cycle Specialist	\$90.00	N/A
Medical Biller	\$43.00	N/A
Clinical Research Coordinator	\$85.00	N/A
Medical Office Assistant (MA05)	\$50.00	N/A
Admin Assistant	\$48.00	N/A
Ultrasound Technologist	\$135.00	N/A
MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) Technologist	\$140.00	N/A

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Nuclear Medicine Technologist	\$140.00	N/A
Interventional Radiology Technologist	\$135.00	N/A
Mammography Technologist	\$125.00	N/A
CT (Computed Tomography) Technologist	\$130.00	N/A
Diagnostic Technician (EKG, EEG)	\$95.00	N/A
Echocardiograph Technologist/Cardiac Sonographer	\$150.00	N/A
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