



**Notice of Intent to Extend Contract**

Pursuant to Section 84-15(a) (3), Hawaii Revised Statutes, the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation (hereinafter HHSC), on behalf of Kona Community Hospital a public body corporate and politic and an instrumentality and agency of the State of Hawaii, hereby gives notice of its intent to extend its contract with Edwin Gramlich, M.D. to provide On Call Physician services for the Hospital's Inpatient Behavioral Health Unit at the Kona Community Hospital. Edwin Gramlich, M.D. serves as a Medical Director for the West Hawaii Mental Health Clinic Section of the Hawaii County Community Mental Health Center (HCCMHC), Hawaii District Health Office, Department of Health.

Kona Community Hospital, the primary health care facility serving West Hawaii, is a 94-bed full service medical center located 18 miles south of Kona International Airport in Kealahou Hawaii. The Hospital is experiencing a shortage of physicians willing to take call coverage for the Behavioral Health Unit and has determined that Dr. Gramlich best meets this need.

**The Scope of Services to be performed by Edwin Gramlich, M.D. includes:**

Provide On Call coverage for the Behavioral Health Unit at Kona Community Hospital in accordance with the call coverage schedule established by the HOSPITAL.

**Comply with:**

1. The policies, practices, and directions of the Hospital;
2. The Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of the Medical Staff;
3. The standards and recommendations of the Joint Commission;
4. The applicable standards of relevant professional societies; and
5. All applicable local, state, and federal laws and regulations.
6. Respond to and be available in the Hospital as soon as possible within 30 minutes of the request to provide care for patients at the Hospital.

**Time of Performance**

The Time of Performance for this On Call Physician contract amendment between Edwin Gramlich, M.D. and Kona Community Hospital extends the term of the agreement for an additional one year term and shall be in effect from September 12, 2011 until and including September 11, 2013 with one (1) one year option to extend.

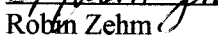
**Contract Amount**

The total contract not to exceed amount is \$108,000.00. The original contract had a not to exceed amount of \$54,000.00. The first amendment increases the not to exceed amount an additional \$54,000.00.

Anyone wishing to protest the award of this contract shall submit an objection, in writing, no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, September 7, 2012 to:

Kona Community Hospital  
Attention: Robin Zehm, Contract Manager  
79-1019 Haukapila Street  
Kealahou, HI 96750  
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**Signature Block**

  
Robin Zehm  
Contract Manager

August 27, 2012  
Date

cc: Hawaii State Ethics Commission

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