
SCHOOL BASED AUDIOLOGICAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

PROPOSAL

To provide audiology services (see attached list of included services) to students attending the Readington School District under the authorization of the Director of Special Services. This agreement will be for the period of September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2017. Services will be provided by Hunterdon Medical Center's licensed Audiologists.

FEEES

It is understood that the audiology services of Hunterdon Medical Center will be for a maximum of 20 hours per contract year, unless otherwise negotiated and an addendum is added to contract. The fee of \$100 per hour shall apply for the contract year. It is understood that taxes and benefits are not the responsibility of Readington School District. Expenses, including mileage, are the responsibility of Hunterdon Medical Center.

DISCLAIMER OF AGENCY

This agreement shall not be construed as creating an agency, partnership, or any form of legal association between the parties, a condition which affects the terms of this agreement.

TERMS

District time sheets, detailing services rendered as well as category (special education, 504, general education, preschool) will be completed and submitted by Hunterdon Medical Center by the last day of each month for payment the following month. No deductions for FICA-Med, FICA-OAS, or Federal Withholding will be taken for the payment. Readington School District must have a completed W-9 Form on file before any payment is made.

BINDING EFFECT

This agreement shall be binding on the heirs, successors, and assigns of Readington School District and Hunterdon Medical Center.

COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING

This agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter. Any waiver or amendment of any provision of this agreement shall be effective only when put in writing and signed by the parties.

GOVERNING LAW

This agreement shall be governed by the law of the state of New Jersey. Any action brought to enforce the terms of provisions of this agreement shall be brought in the State Court sitting in Mercer County, or in the U.S. Courts for the state of New Jersey, in which the prevailing party in any suit or action shall be entitled to costs and reasonable attorney's fees for trial and appeal.

NONDISCRIMINATION

Hunterdon Medical Center assures the Readington School District that the audiologists will comply with all the state and federal guidelines and/or regulations. Therefore, all applicants seeking employment opportunities and all contracts for goods and services will be considered and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, or disability. This is in accordance e with Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, 1973, as amended; Americans with Disabilities Act, July 26, 1990, P.L. 101-336; and Title IX/Chapter 28A.640 RCW of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended

I agree to the above terms and compensation:

Signature: _____
Audiologist

Date: _____

Signature: _____
Director, Special Services

Date: _____

AUDIOLOGY SERVICES INCLUDED

- Provision of in-service training and consultation to school personnel, parents, and students concerning audiologic findings and the impact of hearing loss on communication, educational performance, and social skills.
- Provision of training and consultation to school personnel, parents, and students regarding the care and use of personal amplification, FM systems, and/or hearing assistance technology.
- Troubleshoot nonfunctioning amplification systems and recommend remediation.
- Evaluation of classroom (FM recommendation, sound-field recommendation, level of noise sources, general communication strategies).
- Provision of loaner hearing aid and FM equipment. A recent diagnostic audiogram and hearing aid settings must be provided by the student's audiologist. The exact equipment may not be available, but a comparable pediatric model may be substituted.