



Westchester Community College

State University of New York

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To: Board of Acquisition and Contract

From: Belinda S. Miles
President

Re: Authority to amend an affiliation agreement with St. John's Riverside Hospital for student training in Chemical Dependency to include the payment of costs related to Personal Protective Equipment.

The County of Westchester, acting by and through Westchester Community College (the "College"), has an existing agreement with St. John's Riverside Hospital ("St. John's Riverside") whereby the College, in conjunction with St. John's Riverside offers supervised laboratory/clinical education and instruction for matriculated Westchester Community College students who are pursuing a degree or certificate in Chemical Dependency.

Due to the recent pandemic there will be a cost to the College in connection with this agreement for the provision of Personal Protective Equipment and related Fit Testing that will be provided to the students participating in this program at St. John's. Authority is requested to amend this agreement in order to include the provision of Personal Protective Equipment ("PPE") by St. John's Riverside for our students and staff and for the College to pay for the provision and "Fit Testing" of the PPE as part of the agreement. The cost for FY 2020-2021 shall not exceed \$ 1,000.00. All other terms and conditions shall remain the same.

I believe that in light of the current pandemic it is in the best interest of the College and its students to pay St. John's Riverside for the provision of the PPE; and I therefore, recommend that you act favorably on the annexed proposed resolution.

BSM:smg
Attachment

