



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO  
**METROPOLITAN HEALTH DISTRICT**

# **AMENDMENTS TO AGREEMENTS WITH JENNFER BANKLER, DDS, AND JACKSON DAVID SINGLETON, DDS**

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Director

Agenda Item #25

January 13, 2021



# Background

## Dental Caries Prevalence



*Tooth decay is the most common chronic disease of childhood, affecting **3X's** more children than obesity and **4X's** more than asthma. (1)*



*1 in 5 children has had **tooth decay by kindergarten** and more than half have had cavities by age eight. (2)*



***Cavities** make children more **vulnerable to infections** in other parts of their body, such as *ears, sinuses, and brain*. (3)*



*Pain from tooth decay can keep a child from **eating properly**, getting adequate nutrition, **hindering** many children from **going to school** or paying attention in class. (4)*



# Background

## Oral Health Program

**22,000**

**Children  
Served**



**7**

**School  
Districts**



**4**

**Head Start  
Early Head  
Start Partners**



**126**

**Clinics Per  
Year**





# Background

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- Dr. Bankler served as Metro Health's Clinical Dental Director from 2004 through 2020
- Dr. Singleton joined the Oral Health program in 2011
- Required by the State of Texas, Dr. Bankler and Dr. Singleton provide:
  - Oversight to the program's clinical operations
  - High quality dental care to uninsured or underinsured children
- Oral Health program identified the need to increase the number of hours worked by Dr. Bankler and Dr. Singleton



# Fiscal Impact

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## **Dr. Jennifer Bankler**

- Initial Term: October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021
  - Initial Amount:\$15,000.00
- Renewal and Amendment Term: October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022
  - Amount: \$21,000.00, funded through two sources:
    - 1115 Medicaid Waiver: \$15,000.00
    - General Fund: \$6,000.00
  - Option to renew for one additional year
- Total contract value: \$57,000.00



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## **Dr. Jackson David Singleton**

- Initial Term: October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021
  - Initial Amount:\$25,000.00
- Renewal and Amendment Term: October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022
  - Amount: \$26,300.00, funded through two sources:
    - 1115 Medicaid Waiver: \$25,000.00
    - General Fund: \$1,300.00
- Total contract value: \$51,300.00



# Recommendation

- Staff recommends City Council approve amendments to agreements with Jennifer Bankler, DDS, and Jackson David Singleton, DDS.

