

MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTHCARE CO-PROVIDER SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Mobile Integrated Healthcare Co-Provider Services Agreement (“Agreement”) is entered into this ___ day of _____, 2026 (“Effective Date”), by and between COLUMBUS, GEORGIA CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT, a political subdivision of the State of Georgia, acting by and through its Columbus Department of Fire and Emergency Medical Services (“CFEMS”), and VALLEYHEALTHCARE SYSTEM, INC, a Georgia nonprofit corporation (“Provider”).

ARTICLE 1 – PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to establish a collaborative Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) program to serve residents of Muscogee County, Georgia, with the goal of improving patient outcomes, reducing unnecessary 911 utilization, and enhancing continuity of care.

ARTICLE 2 – INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR RELATIONSHIP

The Parties are independent entities. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to create a partnership, joint venture, agency, employment relationship, or revenue-sharing arrangement.

ARTICLE 3 – SCOPE OF SERVICES

MIH services shall be delivered by a joint unit consisting of one CFEMS paramedic and one Provider clinical professional (LCSW). CFEMS shall provide vehicle, EMS equipment, and EMS medical direction. Provider shall provide licensed clinical personnel and physician medical direction.

ARTICLE 4 – CLINICAL AUTHORITY

EMS services shall operate under CFEMS medical direction. Provider clinical services shall operate under Provider’s Medical Director. Each Party retains sole responsibility for its personnel.

ARTICLE 5 – DOCUMENTATION AND AUDIT RIGHTS

CFEMS personnel shall document services in ImageTrend. Provider personnel shall document services in Provider's EHR. Provider shall submit monthly invoices including dates of service, hours worked, and personnel classification. CFEMS reserves audit rights.

ARTICLE 6 – COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT

CFEMS shall reimburse Provider monthly in accordance with Exhibit A. Payment is contingent upon receipt and approval of complete documentation and availability of appropriated funds. Rates vary by licensure level and must be agreed upon in advance for substitutions.

ARTICLE 7 – APPROPRIATION AND PROCUREMENT COMPLIANCE

This Agreement is subject to Georgia municipal procurement laws and availability of appropriated funds. If funds are not appropriated, CFEMS may terminate without penalty.

ARTICLE 8 – INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION

Provider shall maintain professional liability insurance of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$1,000,000 aggregate, and workers' compensation as required by Georgia law. Provider shall indemnify CFEMS for claims arising from Provider personnel or billing activities. CFEMS does not waive sovereign immunity.

ARTICLE 9 – HIPAA AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Each Party is an independent Covered Entity under HIPAA and shall implement appropriate safeguards and limit disclosure of protected health information to the minimum necessary.

ARTICLE 10 – REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

Each Party warrants compliance with Georgia EMS regulations, healthcare licensure laws, the Federal Anti-Kickback Statute, the False Claims Act, and all applicable federal and state healthcare laws.

ARTICLE 11 – TERM AND TERMINATION

This Agreement becomes effective in 2026 and remains in effect through December 31, 2027, unless earlier terminated. Either Party may terminate with thirty (30) days written notice.

EXHIBIT A – COMPENSATION SCHEDULE

Personnel Classification	Hourly Rate	Monthly Cap (if applicable)
Crisis Mental Health Clinician	\$_____	\$_____

SIGNATURES

COLUMBUS, GEORGIA CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT

By: _____

Mayor Skip Henderson, Mayor

Date: _____

By: _____

Salvatore J. Scarpa, Fire-EMS Chief

Date: _____

Approved as to Form:

City Attorney

Date: _____

VALLEY HEALTHCARE SYSTEM, INC.

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____