

## **Staff Report**

**Subject:** Approval of Clinical Services Agreement Renewal

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**Department:** Jail

**Meeting Date:** May 20, 2025

**Item Description:** Consideration to approve the renewal of the Clinical Services Agreement between Effingham County and the Effingham Hospital, Inc.

**Summary Recommendation:** Staff recommends approval of the Clinical Services Agreement between Effingham County and the Effingham Hospital, Inc.

### **Executive Summary/Background:**

- Effingham County desires to contract with the Hospital for the provision of clinical services to inmates and other individuals in the custody of its jail
- The Hospital has agreed that it shall provide, through its employed and contracted health care providers, clinical health services to such individuals.
- In exchange for the Clinical Services provided under this Agreement, the County shall pay the Hospital the then-current Medicaid rate for each Clinical Service provided to an Inmate.
- Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time upon at least sixty (60) days' prior written notice to the other party.
- This agreement has been reviewed and approved to form by the County Attorney.

### **Alternatives for Commission to Consider**

1. Approval of the Clinical Services Agreement between Effingham County and the Effingham Hospital
2. Take no action

**Recommended Alternative:** 1

**Other Alternatives:** 2

**Department Review:** County Attorney, Procurement

**Funding Source:**

**Attachments:** Clinical Services Agreement