

To: Board of Education

From: Janice Roome, Comptroller CC: Dr. Jay Morrow, Superintendent

Date: September 8, 2025

Re: Approval of Community Health Care memorandum of understanding

Background Information

Community Health Care, Inc. (CHC) is a Federally Qualified Health Center in the Quad Cities area that provides affordable, accessible medical, dental, and behavioral health care to everyone, regardless of insurance or income, with a sliding fee scale. It is a non-profit organization focused on providing services to underserved populations. As part of their outreach program, they would like to provide services to United Township High School students.

Administrative Considerations

The District has developed a Memorandum of Understanding (attached) with CHC to provide services to our students. The District will only be responsible for providing space for CHC at the school, calling students to the telehealth office for their scheduled appointments, and helping to identify, support, and develop health programs and services.

CHC will provide services to students with no charge to the District. CHC will bill students' insurance directly and/or offer fees based on an income dependent sliding scale. CHC will provide literature and information for the District website for parents to review. All student privacy and medical records confidentiality laws will be followed. Parents will be advised that the District is only providing space for a CHC standalone clinic.

The agreement would run through the end of the 2025-2026 school year and be renewable for additional periods after that.

Recommendation

We recommend the Board of Education approve the one-year Memorandum of Understanding with Community Health Care, Inc. from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.