

Memorandum of Understanding

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into between Keller Independent School District, 350 Keller Parkway, Keller, TX 76248, hereafter referred to as “Keller” and Birdville Independent School District, Health Services Department (Contact person: Judy Beverly, Coordinator of Health Services) 6125 E. Belknap, Ft. Worth, TX 76117 hereafter referred to as “Birdville.”

Purpose and scope:

The purpose of this MOU is to provide healthcare for uninsured, underinsured, and JPS Health Network (hereafter referred to as JPSHN) children currently in school or 0-18 years of age who reside in Birdville and Keller. Birdville and Keller will jointly fund the JPSHN/Birdville School-based Health Center (hereafter referred to as the “Center”). The program is consistent with and furthers the purposes and missions of both parties.

The parties agree to the following:

1. Birdville will provide security, custodial services, and pay for the utilities for the Center.
2. Keller will provide \$500/month to subsidize Birdville’s outlay of expenses.
3. The Center’s staff will link health and education by providing programs for early detection of health related problems and provisions of interventions to help these children achieve optimal learning and health care.
4. Parental participation and education in child and family health will be encouraged.
5. The school nurses in both districts will provide appropriate triage, referral, and follow up with regard to prescribed treatments. Referrals to other county agencies will be made as needed.
6. Both parties will secure the confidentiality of records and other information relative to consumers in accordance with applicable federal and state laws, rules and regulations.
7. This MOU may only be amended by the mutual consent of both parties.
8. This agreement may be terminated by either party with 30 days written notice.
9. Any expenditure of funds for services to be provided under this MOU shall be made from current revenue available to the district making the expenditure.
10. This MOU has been authorized by the school board of each party to it.

Contract Period:

This MOU is effective upon the signing by both parties. The term of the MOU is intended to be effective for 12 months but is subject to termination by either party as provided in 8, above.

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Keller Independent School District

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Birdville Independent School District

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____