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TO:	Weber School District Board Members: President Paul Widdison, Vice President Jon Ritchie, Members: Douglas Hurst, Paul Widdison, Janis Christensen, Bruce Jardine, Jan Burrell, Kelly Larson Superintendent Gina Butters
FROM:	Jennifer Warren, Student Services Director Dr. Juliana Woodbury, Special Education Director
DATE:	July 23, 2024
SUBJECT:	Nursing Contracts to Meet 504/IEP Needs

The Student Services Department and Special Education Department have requested proposals to contract nursing services for students who have 1:1 nursing needs outlined through an IEP or 504 plan. Multiple agency contracts will be awarded to ensure WSD students have the medical support needed to attend school and are not negatively impacted due to nursing vacancies. Multiple contracts also allow for parent input when selecting a 1:1 nurse and afford attention to individualized student needs. All submissions were required to adhere to WSD 1:1 nursing policies, state policies with regards to Medicaid, and IEP/504 requirements; additionally, many applicants have historically been contracted to provide these services to WSD students. We contract with nurses for an hourly amount and pay them for time worked. That amount for nursing ranges from \$59.64 to \$65/per hour. We propose to award contracts to Amazing Care, Canyon Home, Harmony and Maxim-all of which have WSD students that they are currently serving (three of them Amazing Care, Harmony, and Maxim we have contracted successfully with in the past). We would also award a new contract to Hand 2 Heart in order to be responsive to new student needs should they arise. Thank you for your support of our medically complex students.