

**California HIV Prevention Grant Program**

**Awarded By**

**THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, hereinafter “Department”**

**TO**

**County of Santa Clara, hereinafter “Grantee”**

**Implementing the project, “Enhanced Integration”, hereinafter “Project”**

**AMENDED GRANT AGREEMENT NUMBER 22–10797, A2**

The Department amends this Grant and the Grantee accepts and agrees to use the Grant funds as follows:

**AUTHORITY:** The Department has authority to grant funds for the Project under Health and Safety Code, Section 131085b.

**PURPOSE FOR AMENDMENT:** This amendment adds additional funding, replaces Exhibit A1, HIV Prevention Grant Allocations in its entirety, and extends the term of the grant by (2) months to continue providing services without any disruption; and aligns the grant term with the federal award for Integrated HIV Surveillance and Prevention Programs for Health Departments.

**Amendments** are shown as: Text additions are displayed in **bold and underline**. Text deletions are displayed as strike through text (i.e., ~~Strike~~).

**AMENDED GRANT AMOUNT:** this amendment is to increase the grant by \$185,469.25 and is amended to read: ~~\$445,126.00~~ **\$630,595.25 (Six Hundred Thirty Thousand, Five Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars, and Twenty-Five Cents).**

**AMENDED TERM OF GRANT:** The term of this Grant shall be amended to read as January 1, 2023 and terminates on ~~May 31, 2024~~ **July 31, 2024**. No funds may be requested or invoiced for work performed or costs incurred after ~~May 31, 2024~~ **July 31, 2024**.

EXHIBIT A LETTER OF AWARD

EXHIBIT AI HIV PREVENTION GRANT ALLOCATIONS

**PROJECT REPRESENTATIVES.** The Project Representatives during the term of this Grant will be:

<b>California Department of Public Health</b>	<b>County of Santa Clara</b>
Jesse Peck, HIV Prevention Branch Chief	Akanksha Vaidya, Assistant Public Health Officer
Telephone: (916) 449-5825 Email: jesse.peck@cdph.ca.gov	Telephone: (408) 299-5051 Email: PHDContracts@phd.sccgov.org akanksha.vaidya@phd.sccgov.org

Direct all inquiries to:

<b>California Department of Public Health</b>	<b>County of Santa Clara</b>
Tony Mixon, Program Adviser 1616 Capitol Avenue, Suite 616, MS 7700 Sacramento, CA 95814	Raj Gill, Health Program Manager III 976 Lenzen Avenue, Suite 1800 San Jose, CA 95126
Email: tony.mixon@cdph.ca.gov	Email: raj.gill@phd.sccgov.org

All payments from CDPH to the Grantee; shall be sent to the following address:

<b>Remittance Address</b>
County of Santa Clara Cashier – Tina Cordero, Chief Fiscal Officer HHS - SCHVHHS - Miscellaneous Revenues Deposit  P.O. Box 13328 Pasadena, CA 91189-3328 Lockbox Number: 0138414

Either party may make changes to the Project Representatives, or remittance address, by giving a written notice to the other party, said changes shall not require an amendment to this agreement but must be maintained as supporting documentation. Note: Remittance address changes will require the Grantee to submit a completed CDPH 9083 Governmental Entity Taxpayer ID Form or STD 204 Payee Data Record Form and the STD 205 Payee Data Supplement which can be requested through the CDPH Project Representatives for processing.

All other terms and conditions of this Grant shall remain the same.

Contract Execution: Unless otherwise prohibited by law or County policy, the parties agree that an electronic copy of a signed contract, or an electronically signed contract, has the same force and legal effect as a contract executed with an original ink signature. The term “electronic copy of a signed contract” refers to a transmission by facsimile, electronic mail, or other electronic means of a copy of an original signed contract in a portable document format. The term “electronically signed contract” means a contract that is executed by applying an electronic signature using technology approved by the County.

State of California – Health and Human Services Agency – California Department of Public Health  
CDPH 1229A (Rev. 09/2022)

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have executed this Grant on the dates set forth below.

Executed By:

Date:

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Signed and certified that a copy of this document has been delivered by electronic or other means to the President, Board of Supervisors.

Attest:

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Curtis Boone  
Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Susan Ellenberg  
President, Board of Supervisors  
County of Santa Clara

Approved as to Form and Legality:

DocuSigned by:  
*Jenny Lam* 3/21/2024  
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Jenny Lam Date  
Deputy County Counsel

Date:

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Javier Sandoval, Chief  
Contracts Management Unit  
California Department of Public Health  
1616 Capitol Avenue, Suite 74.262  
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Sacramento, CA 95899-7377

Approved by:

DocuSigned by:  
*Sarah Rudman* 3/21/2024  
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Sarah Rudman, MD Date  
Deputy Public Health Officer

Approved:

DocuSigned by:  
*Tina Cordero* 3/25/2024  
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Tina Cordero Date  
CSCHS Fiscal Officer



TOMÁS J. ARAGÓN, MD, DrPH  
Director and State Public Health Officer

State of California—Health and Human Services Agency  
California Department of Public Health



GAVIN NEWSOM  
Governor

**Exhibit A**  
Letter of Award

January 3, 2024

Akanksha Vaidya, MD  
Assistant Public Health Officer  
County of Santa Clara  
976 Lenzen Avenue, Suite 1800  
San Jose, CA 95126

Dear Akanksha,

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH), Center for Infectious Diseases, Office of AIDS (OA), HIV Prevention Branch, intends to grant the Santa Clara County Public Health Department an additional amount of \$185,469.25 and extend the grant period through July 31, 2024. The additional funding is intended to provide services consistent with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) funding PS18-1802 entitled Integrated HIV Surveillance and Prevention Funding for Health Departments.

The funds must be used for evidence based public health activities to address HIV Prevention within your local health jurisdiction (LHJ). The scope of work for these funds is limited to the activities from the LHJ's approved work plan and based on OA HIV prevention strategies in OA's PS18-1802 guidance: *Enhanced Integration: Guide to HIV Prevention and Surveillance*:

- Strategy 1 – Strengthen disease investigation infrastructure
- Strategy 2 – Expand and provide navigation services
- Strategy 3 – Expand Access to syringe services for people who inject drugs

For the implementation of these strategies, recipients should begin to embed and/or enhance the following priorities and approaches within their funded strategies and activities:

- **Status Neutral Approach:** A status-neutral approach to care means that regardless of HIV status, people have access and support to stay on highly effective public health interventions like PrEP and HIV treatment.
- **Syndemic Approach:** Sexually transmitted infections, viral hepatitis, injection drug use, and HIV are interacting epidemics, or syndemics, that can be addressed using similar strategies.
- **Health Equity:** Health is central to human happiness and well-being and is affected by where people live, learn, work, and play. Health equity is when everyone has the opportunity to be as healthy as possible.



- **Innovative HIV Testing Strategies, including HIV Self-Testing:** The mass distribution of HIV self-test kits is one strategy to increase awareness of HIV and other sexually transmitted infections.

For additional information on these approaches, please see the following resources:

NHAS: [National HIV/AIDS Strategy for the United States 2022-2025](#)

CDC DHP Status Neutral Issue Brief: <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/policies/issue-brief/Issue-Brief-Status-Neutral-HIV-Care.pdf>

NASTAD resource on Status Neutral: <https://nastad.org/resources/employing-status-neutral-approaches-end-hiv-epidemic-series>

EHE website (syndemics): [CDC's Role | Ending the Epidemic | CDC](#).

CDC DHP Blue Book: [HIV Prevention in the United States: Mobilizing to End the Epidemic \(cdc.gov\)](#)

Health Equity: [What is Health Equity? \(cdc.gov\)](#)

NCHHSTP Syndemics: [Reversing the rise in STIs: Integrating services to address the syndemic of STIs, HIV, substance use, and viral hepatitis \(cdc.gov\)](#)

Self Testing Issue Brief: [Self Testing Issue Brief | Policy and Law | HIV/AIDS | CDC](#)

Your assigned Business Analyst, Antonio Mixon, will be your contact to negotiate adjustments to the program description and budget. Please remember that the grant agreement is not finalized until it has been fully executed by CDPH's Contract Management Unit and is dependent upon final funding from the CDC.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, you may contact me at [jesse.peck@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:jesse.peck@cdph.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

*Jesse Peck*

Jesse Peck, HIV Prevention Branch Chief  
Office of AIDS  
California Department of Public Health

Cc: Duane Cissna, OA Prevention Branch  
Karin Hill, OA Prevention Branch  
Jen Rohde-Budz, OA Prevention Branch  
Matthew Willis, OA Prevention Branch  
Antonio Mixon, OA Prevention Branch  
Raj Gill, MPH, Santa Clara County  
Gina Vittori, MPH, Santa Clara County

**Exhibit A1**  
HIV Prevention Grant Allocations

LHJ	Allocations*				
	FY 22/23	FY 23/24**	<u>FY 23/24**</u> <u>FY 24/25**</u> <u>Additional</u> <u>Funding</u>	<u>Original</u> Total	<u>Revised</u> Total
Alameda	\$ 445,018.00	\$ 445,018.00	\$ <b>370,848.25</b>	\$ <del>890,036.00</del>	\$ <b>1,260,884.25</b>
Contra Costa	\$ 198,007.00	\$ 198,007.00	\$ <b>165,005.75</b>	\$ <del>396,014.00</del>	\$ <b>561,019.75</b>
Fresno	\$ 149,602.50	\$ 149,602.50	\$ <b>124,668.75</b>	\$ <del>299,205.00</del>	\$ <b>423,873.75</b>
Kern	\$ 120,895.00	\$ 120,895.00	\$ <b>100,745.75</b>	\$ <del>241,790.00</del>	\$ <b>342,535.75</b>
Marin	\$ 42,921.00	\$ 42,921.00	\$ <b>35,767.50</b>	\$ <del>85,842.00</del>	\$ <b>121,609.50</b>
Monterey	\$ 51,918.50	\$ 51,918.50	\$ <b>43,265.50</b>	\$ <del>103,837.00</del>	\$ <b>147,102.50</b>
Orange	\$ 425,906.50	\$ 425,906.50	\$ <b>354,922.00</b>	\$ <del>851,813.00</del>	\$ <b>1,206,735.00</b>
Riverside	\$ 523,545.00	\$ 523,545.00	\$ <b>436,287.50</b>	\$ <del>1,047,090.00</del>	\$ <b>1,483,377.50</b>
Sacramento	\$ 324,704.50	\$ 324,704.50	\$ <b>270,587.00</b>	\$ <del>649,409.00</del>	\$ <b>919,996.00</b>
San Bernardino	\$ 348,566.00	\$ 348,566.00	\$ <b>290,471.75</b>	\$ <del>697,132.00</del>	\$ <b>987,603.75</b>
San Diego	\$ 842,990.00	\$ 842,990.00	\$ <b>702,491.75</b>	\$ <del>1,685,980.00</del>	\$ <b>2,388,471.75</b>
San Joaquin	\$ 105,464.50	\$ 105,464.50	\$ <b>87,887.00</b>	\$ <del>210,929.00</del>	\$ <b>298,816.00</b>
San Mateo	\$ 99,576.50	\$ 99,576.50	\$ <b>82,980.50</b>	\$ <del>199,153.00</del>	\$ <b>282,133.50</b>
Santa Barbara	\$ 45,747.00	\$ 45,747.00	\$ <b>38,122.50</b>	\$ <del>91,494.00</del>	\$ <b>129,616.50</b>
Santa Clara	\$ 222,563.00	\$ 222,563.00	\$ <b>185,469.25</b>	\$ <del>445,126.00</del>	\$ <b>630,595.25</b>
Santa Cruz	\$ 33,865.50	\$ 33,865.50	\$ <b>28,221.25</b>	\$ <del>67,731.00</del>	\$ <b>95,952.25</b>
Solano	\$ 94,163.00	\$ 94,163.00	\$ <b>78,469.25</b>	\$ <del>188,326.00</del>	\$ <b>266,795.25</b>
Sonoma	\$ 90,845.00	\$ 90,845.00	\$ <b>75,704.25</b>	\$ <del>181,690.00</del>	\$ <b>257,394.25</b>
Stanislaus	\$ 56,961.50	\$ 56,961.50	\$ <b>47,468.00</b>	\$ <del>113,923.00</del>	\$ <b>161,391.00</b>
Ventura	\$ 75,765.50	\$ 75,765.50	\$ <b>63,138.00</b>	\$ <del>151,531.00</del>	\$ <b>214,669.00</b>
	\$ 4,299,025.50	\$ 4,299,025.50	\$ <b>3,582,521.50</b>	\$ <del>8,508,051.00</del>	\$ <b>12,180,572.50</b>

\*CDC PS18-1802 HIV Prevention funds are allocated to 20 local health jurisdictions (LHJ) within the California Project Area. The allocation funding includes the percentage of people living with HIV (PLWH) in the LHJ using the last reported address, excluding persons living in a prison. Percentages of African American, Latinx, and people living below poverty are also integrated in the formula. The weight of the criteria for the formula: 75%: Percentage of PLWH in LHJ, excluding prison cases (2016 surveillance data); 15%: Percentage of African Americans in LHJ (2010 Census Data); 5%: Percentage of Latinx (2010 Census Data); and 5%: Percentage of people living below poverty (2010 Census Data).

\*\*CDC PS18-1802 funding is awarded by CDC on a calendar year basis (January 1 - December 31). Grant awards from CDPH to LHJs are based on the state fiscal year (July 1 - June 30), for FY 22/23 FY 23/24 and FY 24/25 the allocation listed reflects six months **only five months of available funding, with appropriate rounding to eliminate cents as much as possible**. All award amounts are dependent upon final funding amounts from the CDC.