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**Date:** June 25, 2020

**Subject:** Agreement with Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc. and the School Board of Hardee County for the 2020-2021 school year.

**Background Information:** The purpose of this Agreement is to provide behavioral observations and development of behavioral intervention plans for students with disabilities in Hardee District Schools. Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc. will also provide training for staff on implementation of behavior plans and behavior management strategies.

**Administrative Consideration** (include F.S., Rule, Authority, etc.): **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).**

**Fiscal Impact:** The IDEA, Part B, Project provides the funds for this Agreement.

Director of Finance signature: 


**Proposed Recommendation to School Board:**

The recommendation is to approve this Agreement between Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc. and the School Board of Hardee County.

Action Agenda

Consent Agenda

**BOARD ACTION**  
6/25/2020  
Approved



## **Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc.**

### **BCBA:**

The provider will complete Functional Behavioral Assessments to include behavioral observations, interviews, and development of Behavioral Intervention Plans for individual students per request of the Director of Exceptional Student Education and/or designee.

A final written report will be completed and submitted to the Director within thirty (30) business days of receipt of referral for behavioral services.

The provider will participate and/or present a summary of the assessment and recommended interventions at planning meeting upon request of the director of Exceptional Student Education and/or designee.

The provider will train staff on implementation of the individual behavior plans, train behavior management strategies, train progress monitoring and provide hands on technical assistance to staff.

### **BCABA:**

Staff training will be outcome based and provided by the BCABA

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Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc. agrees to have staff sign in and out at each school site visited so that an accurate accounting of time is available for review. Time sheets with the date and names of students served and the type of services must be submitted monthly with request for payment. Reimbursement for services will be provided only on request made by the Director of Exceptional Student Education and/or designee.

**Service Agreement**

**School Board of Hardee County and  
Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc.**

This service agreement dated the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020, by and between THE SCHOOL BOARD OF HARDEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, and Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc.

WHEREAS, Alternative Behavioral Concepts, Inc. is approved by The School Board of Hardee County to perform the following Consultative Services at Hardee County Schools under the direction of the Director of Exceptional Student Education, July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

Consultative Services from a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) are to be paid at \$100 per hour. Services from a Board Certified Assistant Behavior Analyst (BCABA) or equivalent are to be paid at \$75 per hour. Registered Behavior Technician (RBT) to be paid at \$40 per hour. Professional Crisis Management (PCM) Certification provided at a cost of \$150.00 per person (training and manual); PCM Recertification at the cost of \$150.00 per person (training and manual). Services are not to exceed \$55,000.00.

Payment shall be made upon receipt of invoice for professional services within 30 days.

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**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF HARDEE COUNTY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Board Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Bob Shayman, Superintendent of Schools

Date: \_\_\_\_\_