



INDIGENT FUND – BC61

PURPOSE:

The County Indigent Fund was created in accordance with state law (7-20E-9, NMSA 1978) which requires the county to dedicate not less than one million dollars annually for the support of indigent patients. The fund source is a portion of a 1/8 of one percent county gross receipts tax.

This year's agreement is with five providers chosen through the RFP process. These contracts may be renewed at the County's discretion through December 2010.

The County Indigent Fund is known as the Partners in Health (PIH) program. The County annually contracts with non-profit agencies to provide primary and dental care to medically indigent patients. University Hospital provides program management and verifies claims and eligibility.

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	Actuals	Actuals	Esti-	Budget	%	Budget	%
	FY 2004	FY 2005	mated	FY 2007	Var	FY 2008	Var
			FY 2006				
Operating Expense	-	-	-	1,000,000	0%	1,000,000	0%
Technical and Professional Expense	936,255	892,023	857,744	-	-100%	-	0%
Carryovers	98,832	81,219	81,041	-	-100%	-	0%
PROGRAM TOTALS	1,035,086	973,241	938,786	1,000,000	7%	1,000,000	0%
