

SUMTER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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**SUBJECT:** Approve the contract with National Diagnostic Services (NDS) to provide annual wellness screenings for employees and their dependents at least 18 years of age covered by the County's medical plan. (Staff Recommends Approval).

**REQUESTED ACTION:** **Staff Recommends Approval**

**Meeting Type:** Regular Meeting

**DATE OF MEETING:** 5/9/2023

**CONTRACT:**  N/A

**Vendor/Entity:** National Diagnostic Services (NDS)

Effective Date: 7/01/2023

Termination Date: 5/10/2025

Managing Division / Dept: **Employee Services**

**BUDGET IMPACT:** \$732,265 per year

**FUNDING SOURCE:** General Fund

**Type:** Annual

**EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT:** 501-595-591-3105

**HISTORY/FACTS/ISSUES:**

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Early screening is one way to help mitigate rising healthcare costs to the group health plan. The proposed contract continues the service that was interrupted when the past contractor failed to perform and failed to negotiate a new contract. The service continues a no-cost to the employee and dependents to provide voluntary early screening for employees and dependents on the County's health insurance plan except for the Fire & EMS employees where this service is mandatory and a component of the collective bargaining agreements.

Using National Diagnostic Services (NDS) would help identify serious medical conditions for early treatment before they burden the County's health plan.

Fire Service and EMS employees \$1,258/147EE = \$184,926.00

General \$923/223EE = \$205,829.00

Sheriff employees \$923/370EE = \$341,510.00

Staff recommends approval.

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