

**SUMMARY OF COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION AGREEMENTS AND OTHER DIRECT TREATMENT PROVIDERS
REQUEST TO THE HEALTH COMMISSION**

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PROPOSED UNITS OF SERVICES

Mode(s) of Service & Unit of Service (UOS)/ Number of Contacts (NOC) Definition	Number of Clients		Number of Units/ NOC	Unit Cost
	<input type="checkbox"/> Duplicated	<input type="checkbox"/> Unduplicated		
Program Development and Implementation of Program Activities: UOS = Staff hours; 1,050 Staff FTE hours Total Cost: \$160,000/1,050 = \$152.39 Unit Cost / Cost-Reimbursement	N/A		1,050	\$152.39

Purpose of Agreement:

This Agreement will support the Community Health Worker (CHW) and Medi-Cal Reimbursement Pathways Pilot Services, a citywide CHEP initiative designed to expand San Francisco’s CHW capacity and prepare community-based organizations for sustainable Medi-Cal reimbursement under CalAIM. Activities for this Medi-Cal reimbursement pilot billing will include CHW-delivered, culturally relevant, community-centered chronic disease prevention strategies, health education, outreach and engagement, screenings, navigation support, linkage to Enhanced Care Management (ECM) and Community Supports, follow-up to address social determinants of health to ensure collaborative workflows, assessment of dietary chronic disease outcomes, and feasibility of medical-billing within CBO infrastructure which will include the tracking the percentage of services that are eligible for Medi-Cal billing. This also funds organization infrastructure development and review of billing systems that include CHW training, documentation standards, revenue cycle processes, workflows, data systems, and quality improvement activities. This program is designed to support San Francisco residents disproportionately impacted by chronic disease, including but not limited to Black/African American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, Latinx, Native American/American Indian, Asian/Asian American, and other vulnerable communities. Outreach prioritizes neighborhoods with historical health disparities and limited access to preventive services where chronic disease disparities and barriers to care are most concentrated.

Safer Together is a San Francisco-based community health equity nonprofit with over five years of experience designing and delivering Community Health Worker (CHW) led services. CHW conduct community-based engagement, health education, coordination and linkage to care. Safer Together currently provides services that align with CalAIM Enhanced Care Management (ECM) and promote efforts to reduce barriers to care and to improve health outcomes in communities most impacted by health disparities. Since 2020, Safer Together has provided culturally responsive chronic disease prevention services to reduce barriers to care and improve health outcomes for Medi-Cal beneficiaries and uninsured community members.

Safer Together was selected under **RFP** SFGOV0000011360 – Community Health Worker and Medi-Cal Reimbursement Pathways Pilot Services. Safer Together was one of the highest ranked proposers. The RFP allows for an Agreement of up to 10 years which includes contract options which may or may not be exercised with an initial one-year term with a five one-year option to extend.

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Monitoring Report/Program Review & Follow-up:

This Agreement will receive annual monitoring through the DPH Business Office of Contract Compliance (BOCC), including for performance and fiscal stability.

Listing of Executive Director and Board of Directors:

Executive Director: Jenny Ton

Board of Directors:	<u>Mariana Fraga</u>	<u>Stacie Calad-Thomson</u>
	<u>Saul Kato</u>	<u>Rosalia Mendoza</u>
	<u>Ramon Ross</u>	<u>Dan Nguyen-Tan</u>
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