

## CONTRACT FOR MEDICAL SERVICES LAWRENCE COUNTY JAIL

Monument Health Lead-Deadwood Hospital (LDH) will provide the services of a Physician, a Physician's Assistant (PA), or Nurse Practitioner (NP) to come to the Lawrence County Jail for the purpose of examining inmates who have been incarcerated for 15 days. Assessment of physical condition will be documented and patients will be treated "on-site" whenever feasible during scheduled time frames. A pre-arranged time will be mutually agreed upon by the jail and LDH, which will be approximately once every two weeks for approximately one hour for each visit. The schedule will be coordinated between the two facilities, the first and third Wednesday of each month at a pre-arranged time. The jail will contact the hospital to schedule.

LDH will provide medical supplies to include a blood pressure cuff, stethoscope, otoscope, etc. and any other screening medical equipment necessary to perform a physical examination.

A copy of the record of the documentation of the assessment will be preserved at the Lawrence County Jail; the original will be maintained at LDH.

Flexibility of scheduling will be coordinated as the need arises and communication will be made to the LDH scheduler if no visit is necessary, or if a visit is needed sooner than scheduled. The jail will notify LDH if a visit is not necessary, 24 hours before the scheduled visit.

All acutely ill inmates will be transported and treated at Monument Health Lead-Deadwood Hospital or Monument Health Lead-Deadwood Medical Clinic.

An hourly fee will be billed to the Lawrence County Jail for services rendered. This fee will be \$136.50 per hour for the Physician, PA, or NP time and any other personnel from LDH working simultaneously with the Physician, PA, or NP. In addition, a fee of \$51.10 per hour for Nursing personnel, LPN or RN, or Paramedic will be charged if that individual is required to visit the jail at a specific time separate from that of the Physician, PA, or NP, to prepare medication list, etc. for the Physician, PA, or NP, thus resulting in a decrease in the time expended and billed for the Physician, PA, or NP. A minimum of one hour will be billed for each visit. All fees will be billed on a monthly basis.

This agreement will be effective July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

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Chairperson (Date)

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Lawrence County Auditor (Date)

  
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President (Date)

Monument Health Lead-Deadwood Hospital