

## Agreement Between Clay County Memorial Hospital and Clay County

The parties recognize the importance of providing indigent health care to those who need assistance and maintaining the accountability of those who apply for assistance. Based on our mutual interest in accountability, effectiveness, and efficiency for all county departments, Clay County Commissioners Court ("Court") and Clay County Memorial Hospital ("CCMH") agree as hereafter set forth concerning the appointment and payment of the Indigent Health Care Coordinator.

As provided in the Texas Health and Safety Code, Chapter C Sec. 61.053 (a), a public hospital or hospital district must adopt an indigent care application process. This Agreement recognizes that the application process for indigent health care has been coordinated by the County for more than 20 years.

The Clay County Commissioners' Court will continue to appoint the Indigent Health Care Coordinator and pay that person from the Clay County Budget at no expense for such payment to the Clay County Memorial Hospital.

This agreement will remain in full force and effect unless terminated by mutual agreement of both the County and CCMH.

Approved by: Clay County Board of Managers	
Date	
Jeff Lyde, Chairman	
Approved by: Clay County Commissioners Court	
Date Date	

Mike Campbell County Judge