DANE COUNTY POLICY AND FISCAL NOTE

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AUTHORIZING RECLASSIFICATION OF MENTAL HEALTH MANAGER TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROGRAM SPECIALIST DCDHS - ACS DIVISION

Policy Analysis Statement:

Brief Description of Proposal -

The Department of Human Services – Adult Community Services (ACS) Division has a Mental Health Manager position #1367, for which we request a reclassification to a Behavioral Health Program Specialist. This position will be supervised by the Behavioral Health Program Manager. This position is currently vacant. The Department of Administration – Employee Relations has recommended approval of this request.

Current Policy or Practice -

Changes in position reclassification and modifying position authority require County Board approval.

Impact of Adopting Proposal -

The Department of Human Services is experiencing a growth in the funding, number of contracts, and complexity of programs in the behavioral health area over the last few years. These programs work with populations that are attempting to recover from both a mental illness and a substance use disorder. There is an increased demand for programs that specifically treat individuals with opioid use disorder, an increased need for more alternative sanction programs, and the increased scrutiny of the population that requires inpatient psychiatric care.

The reclassified position will be responsible for supervising staff, managing purchase of service contracts for behavioral health programs, coordinating and conducting utilization review activities, managing a coordinated system of care for those with behavioral health needs, and educating the community about the activities of the behavioral health system.

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Fiscal Effect (check all that apply) -	Budget Effect (check all that apply)
X No Fiscal Effect	X No Budget Effect
Results in Revenue Increase	Increases Rev. Budget
Results in Expenditure Increase	Increases Exp. Budget
Results in Revenue Decrease	Decreases Rev. Budget
Results in Expenditure Decrease	Decreases Exp. Budget
	Increases Position Authority
	Decreases Position Authority
	Note: if any budget effect, 2/3 vote is required

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Expenditure/Revenue Changes:

	Current	Year	Annua	lized		Current	Year	Annua	lized
Expenditures -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Revenues -	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Personal Services					County Taxes				
Operating Expenses					Federal				
Contractual Services					State	\$0		\$0	
Capital					Other				
Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Personnel Impact/FTE Changes:

The changes result in reclassifications and modifying current position authority. There is no net increase or decrease to position authority.

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