MEMO TO THE CPMT October 26, 2018

CONTRACT ITEM C-1: Child Specific Contract Request for Family Educational Services

<u>ISSUE</u>: The Department of Family Services (DFS), Foster Care and Adoption requests CSA Management Team approval of a child specific Agreement for Purchase of Services (APOS) with Family Educational Services in Harrisonburg, Virginia for therapeutic visitation.

<u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> The CSA Management Team recommends CPMT approval of a child specific APOS with Family Educational Services for therapeutic visitation.

## PROVIDER:

Family Educational Services, LLC 3270 Albert Long Drive Harrisonburg, VA 22801 (540) 435-4185

MEDICAID ENROLLMENT: The service needed is not a Medicaid eligible service.

<u>LICENSE</u>: Family Educational Services is licensed by Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services.

<u>INSURANCE STATUS</u>: Family Educational Services is appropriately insured by Fairfax County standards.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: (from http://www.fesvirginia.com/

Family Educational Services (FES) offers a spectrum of both clinical and non-clinical services to the City of Harrisonburg and Rockingham County communities. Clinical services include: intensive in-home services, outpatient counseling (individual and family), and Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT).

Non-clinical services include: mentoring, supervised visitation, prevention, advocacy, life skill development, employment assistance, and parent education (development and attachment focused) services.

 Supervised Visitation - Services designed to allow parents/guardians to have visits with their child/children while under the supervision of FES professionals. The goal of this service is to support and maintain the parent/child relationship and to create opportunity to improve the engagement and interaction through education and professional support.

## OTHER CONTRACTED PROVIDERS CONSIDERED:

Provider is in Harrisonburg, VA. Youth is placed in a foster home in Harrisonburg, VA. There are no contracted providers of visitation supervision services in Harrisonburg.

## FISCAL IMPACT:

\$70.00 Hour for Therapeutic Supervision. This is in the average range for therapeutic visitation rates for providers under contract.

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