

**INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT  
BY AND BETWEEN  
THE COUNTY OF COOK  
AND  
THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508,  
COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS**

This Agreement is made by and between the County of Cook ("County"), a body politic and corporate of the State of Illinois and the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook, State of Illinois ("District 508"), a public community college district organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, through its Malcolm X College ("Malcolm X"), pursuant to the provisions of Article VII, Section 10 of the 1970 Illinois Constitution and the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act (5 ILCS 220/1 et seq.).

**I. RECITALS**

**WHEREAS**, the County makes quality health care services available to persons who reside in Cook County, Illinois, regardless of ability to pay, including the provision of health care to the indigent in a proficient and compassionate manner, and performs this function through its Cook County Bureau of Health Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bureau seeks to provide and enhance access to health care for indigent patients and operates several hospitals including Cook County Hospital ("Hospital"), a public comprehensive health care facility; and

**WHEREAS**, for many years, the Hospital has participated in educational and clinical training programs ("Programs") for students enrolled in the physician assistant program curriculum at Malcolm X ("Students"); and

**WHEREAS**, such Programs benefit Students by providing opportunities for service and training in meeting the health care needs of medically underserved communities and benefit Hospital by providing a valuable tool for training and recruiting qualified physician assistants; and

**WHEREAS**, the County, in recognition of the value it receives from programs such as the Malcolm X physician assistant program at the Hospital, wishes to make a grant to District 508 to enable it to offer financial assistance to Students in the Malcolm X physician assistant program and thus enhance the ability of Malcolm X to attract and retain high quality, dedicated Students who may train at or ultimately work at the Hospital;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements set forth herein, the County and District 508 hereby agree as follows:

**II. GRANT OF FUNDS**

The County hereby grants to District 508 the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars. District 508 agrees to receive the funds so granted for disbursement to deserving Malcolm X Physician Assistant Students in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

**III. TERM OF AGREEMENT**

This Agreement shall commence upon execution and shall be effective until all funds granted under this Agreement are disbursed, which shall occur on or before August 2001.

**IV. PAYMENT**

Payment of the amount granted by the County shall be made within ninety (90) days of execution of this Agreement. Payment shall be made payable to the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook, State of Illinois and delivered to:

Zerrie D. Campbell  
President, Malcolm X College  
1900 W. Van Buren Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60612

**V. OBLIGATIONS OF THE District 508**

District 508, through Malcolm X, shall accept responsibility for accepting and disbursing the funds granted to it under this Agreement in accordance with the following Eligibility and Administration provisions:

**A. Eligibility for Awards from Funds Granted under this Agreement.** The eligibility of Students for awards from funds granted under this Agreement shall be determined on the basis of financial need, interest in service to medically underserved communities and recommendations from the Selection Committee.

1. Financial Need. Financial Need shall be determined from information provided by the Student which shall include a copy of the Student's completed Federal Student Financial Aid Application. All known sources of financial aid for which the Student is eligible must be exhausted before the Student shall be entitled to consideration for an award from funds granted under this Agreement.

2. Service Commitment. Interest in service to medically underserved communities shall be demonstrated by the Student through pre-matriculation activities and personal statement goals.

3. Selection of Students. A Selection Committee comprised of representatives from

Hospital, Malcolm X, the Physician Assistant Advisory Board and Physician Assistant Alumni shall decide upon the individual Students who shall receive awards from funds granted under this Agreement.

**B. Administration of Funds Granted under this Agreement.** District 508, through Malcolm X , shall deposit the funds granted under this Agreement in an appropriate account, which may accomplished through a Malcolm X College Agency Account or an account held by the District 508 Foundation. A requisition or purchase order shall be prepared by an authorized Malcolm X representative prior to disbursement of funds to individual Students who have been selected by the Selection Committee. In addition, the following requirements shall apply distributions of funds granted under this Agreement:

1. Manner of Disbursement to Students. The Students selected to receive granted funds shall receive three equal payments. Disbursement dates shall be determined by Malcolm X in consultation with officials in the Malcolm X business office.

2. Grant Distribution Accounting Report. Within thirty (30) days of each disbursement of funds, Malcolm X shall prepare a grant distribution accounting report which shall be provided to the County, through the Chief Financial Officer of the Cook County Bureau of Health Services, and to the Chief Financial Officer for District 508.

3. Grant Distribution among Students. The funds granted by the County to District 508 under this Agreement shall be distributed to Students in the classes expected to graduate from the Physician Assistant Program at Malcolm X in August of 1999, August of 2000 and August of 2001. Each distribution of funds to Students hereunder shall acknowledge the County of Cook and its Hospital as the entity responsible for granting the funds so awarded. The Allocation of funds to be awarded to Students within each of these graduating classes shall be as follows:

<b>Graduating Class Year</b>	<b>Total Disbursement</b>	<b>Maximum Disbursement Per Student</b>	<b>Number of Students Receiving Awards</b>
Class of 1999	\$15,000	\$2000	7.5
Class of 2000	\$38,000	\$5000	7.4
Class of 2001	\$47,000	\$5000	9.4
<b>Total Amount To Be Awarded</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>		

**VI. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

**A. Liability.** It is understood and agreed that neither party to this Agreement shall be legally liable for any negligence or wrongful act either of omission or commission chargeable to the other and that this Agreement shall not be construed as seeking either to enlarge or diminish any obligation or duty owed by one party against the other or against third parties.

**B. Notices.** Unless otherwise specified herein, all notices shall be made in writing and delivered at the following addresses:

**TO THE COUNTY:**

**President, Cook County Board of Commissioners  
118 N. Clark Street  
Chicago, IL 60602**

**with a copy to: Chief Financial Officer  
Cook County Bureau of Health Services  
1900 W. Polk Street, Chicago, IL 60612**

**TO DISTRICT 508:**

**Chairman, Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508  
226 W. Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, IL 60606**

**with a copy to: President, Malcolm X College  
1900 W. Van Buren Street  
Chicago, IL 60612**

All notices shall be effective upon their receipt by the persons or persons to whom they are directed.

**C. Amendments.** No revision, modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be effective unless it has been set forth in writing, approved by the parties and properly executed on their behalf.

**D. Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be governed and construed under the laws of the State of Illinois

**E. Compliance with Laws.** The parties hereto agree to observe and comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws which may in any manner affect performance under this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunder affixed their respective hands and seals on the day and year below written.

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 EXECUTION:**

The undersigned, on behalf of the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, a body politic and corporate of the State of Illinois, hereby accept the foregoing Intergovernmental Agreement:

**THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508**

By: James A. Dyson  
James A. Dyson  
VICE Chairman, Board of Trustees  
Community College District No. 508

Date: MAY 6 - 1999

ATTEST:

By: Patricia A. Buck  
Secretary, Board of Trustees  
Community College District No. 508

Date: 5/6/99

ACKNOWLEDGED:

By: Terrie D. Campbell  
Terrie D. Campbell  
President, Malcolm X College

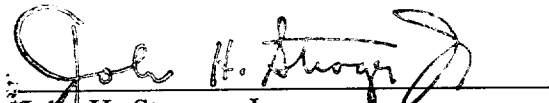
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**COOK COUNTY EXECUTION:**

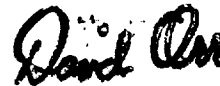
The undersigned, on behalf of the County of Cook, Illinois, a body politic and corporate of the State of Illinois, hereby accept the foregoing Intergovernmental Agreement: *Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1999.*  
Total Amount of Agreement: \$100,000.00

Fund Chargeable: *298/899*

  
Patrick McFadden  
Purchasing Agent  
Cook County


  
John H. Stroger, Jr.  
President, Cook County Board of Commissioners

  
John F. Chambers  
Cook County Comptroller




David Orr  
Cook County Clerk

ACKNOWLEDGED:

  
Ruth M. Rothstein  
Chief, Cook County Bureau of Health Services

Approved as to form:

  
Assistant State's Attorney

APPROVED BY BOARD  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

AUG 04 1999