

**RHP 5
DY 7-8
DSRIP Proposal Form**

Performing Provider Name: McAllen Hospitals LP dba Edinburg Regional Medical (TPI: 094113001)

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IGT Entity Supporting Requested Funds: Hidalgo County (LPPF), Dairen Sarmiento,
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Estimated Valuation by Waiver Year:

DY 7 (2017-2018)	Amount: \$ 1,700,032	IGT: \$ 733,054
DY 8 (2018-2019)	Amount: \$ 1,700,032	IGT: \$ 733,054
<u>TOTAL REQUEST:</u>	<u>Amount: \$ 3,400,064</u>	<u>IGT: \$ 1,466,108</u>

Proposed System Definition: McAllen Hospitals LP dba Edinburg Medical is a 613-bed hospital system denominated South Texas Health System in Hidalgo County. Operated entities include McAllen Medical Center, McAllen Heart Hospital, Edinburg Regional Medical Center, & South Texas Behavioral Health Center. The required components for our proposed system definition will include Inpatient Services, Emergency Department, and Maternal Department. Furthermore, will include as optional components, Contracted Primary Care Clinics and Mobile Health Programs.

Counties Served by Provider: Hidalgo and Cameron Counties

Medicaid and Low Income or Uninsured Patient Population by Provider (PPP) Estimate: Estimated 30% MLIU

Identified Community Needs to be addressed with Requested Funds: By expanding our Mobile Unit services through Hidalgo and Cameron Counties, we will relive the “lack of access to preventive health services.” Noted in the community needs assessment, “people in RHP 5 are often seen in crisis in emergency departments with advanced manifestations of chronic disease,” which in turn “drives up the overall cost of treatment and adds to the burden of indigent care that hospitals and health systems provide.”

Outcome Measure(s) Expected to Address Identified Community Needs: Based on the current needs in RHP 5, the mobile unit will seek to provide comprehensive, integrated primary care services that are focused on person-centered preventive care and chronic disease screening by integrating the “C1: Primary Care Prevention- Healthy Texans” bundle into our mobile clinic.

Anticipated Core Activities Expected to Impact Identified Outcome Measure(s): We expect to impact Access to Primary Care Services by increasing in utilization of mobile clinics and provision of screening and follow up services.

Sustainability Efforts: McAllen Hospitals LP dba Edinburg Regional Medical, has been collaborating with LUPE, an organization focused on supporting migrant families within Hidalgo County and surrounding

areas. McAllen Hospitals LP dba Edinburg Regional Medical along with Valley Care Clinic will continue to secure assistance through collaboration with Medicaid Managed Care Organizations, local organizations, local foundations, or grant opportunities to support the sustainability of the mobile clinic operations. Furthermore, will seek to join effort with Methodist charities to offer comprehensive medical management of our underserved or underinsured population in RHP 5.