

RESOLUTION # _____

WHEREAS, the Torrance County Commission, in response to New Mexico's County Maternal and Child Health Plan Act (CMCHPA), developed the Maternal and Child Health Council in September of 1991, and

WHEREAS, the Maternal and Child Health Council would like to increase its focus beyond childbearing aged women; infants, and small children to include the health and well-being of all Torrance County residents,

WE HEREBY authorize the reorganization of the Maternal and Child Health Council and the new name, Torrance County Health Council.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Torrance County Commission and County Health Council establish the following governing rules as official policy.

GOVERNING RULES
OF THE TORRANCE COUNTY HEALTH COUNCIL

ARTICLE 1

Section 1: Name of Location. This Council shall be known as the Torrance County Health Council (formerly called the Torrance County Maternal and Child Health Council). The principal location shall be that of the Torrance County Courthouse, which is located at 9th and Allen Streets in Estancia, Torrance County, New Mexico.

Section 2: Purpose. The Council is organized exclusively for the purpose of improving the health and well-being of all Torrance County residents. The Council's activities will include, but not be limited to:

A. Providing community input on current service delivery, problems with service delivery and possible ways of improving it;

B. Assisting staff in marketing the Torrance County Maternal and Child Health Project Office and Torrance Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Program to all potential clients including Medicaid;

C. Assisting staff with the development and implementation of the Torrance County Primary Care Practice Model;