**APPENDIX C**

**Sample questions to ask potential mental health providers.**

1. Is your mental health center eligible for Medicaid payments for clients?
2. Do you have case managers available for this project?
3. Can a case manager be assigned to the school or will multiple case managers be assigned?
4. Do you have clinical therapists available for this project?
5. Can a clinical therapist be assigned to the school or will multiple clinical therapists be assigned?
6. Are you currently providing services to other school districts?
7. Do you have a 24/7 crisis management plan for working with patients in the evenings and weekends? If so, please describe the plan, if the plan involves other providers, please submit the agreement you entered into for the provision of these services.
8. Do you provide services through any programs with the county or city?   
   If so, have there been any issues you had with providing those services?
9. Do you have the ability to provide a student intake within 15 business days of receiving a referral?
10. Do you have the ability to provide clinical services within 15 business days after determining a student needs service after intake assessment?   
    If there is a delay how will you communicate to the school district?
11. Is your center agreeable to hold meetings on a regular basis with the school district liaison, such as once every two weeks?

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