AGENDA ITEM NO. 9.5

School Board of Manatee County
November 10, 2026 - Regular Board Meeting
Action Item

Title
Approval of the Memorandum of Understanding between Big Smiles Florida, P.A. and the School District of Manatee County (No Financial Impact)

Executive Summary
This memorandum of understanding between Big Smiles Florida, P.A. and the School District of Manatee County allows Big Smiles to provide preventive dental care to students within the school district for the 2026-2027 school year through a school-based dental program.

Under the agreement, Big Smiles Florida, P.A. will provide licensed dental professionals, equipment, and services including dental exams, sealants, x-rays, and referrals for additional care. Services are provided only with parent or guardian consent at no direct cost to the school district or families.

This item aligns with the District's Strategic Plan Goal(s) which state(s):

Recommendation
The Superintendent recommends approval of the Memorandum of Understanding between Big Smiles Florida, P.A. and the School District of Manatee County (No Financial Impact).

Financial Impact
There is no financial impact.

Contact
Submitting Department: Exceptional Student Education
Initiated by: Nicole Meo

Attachments:
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