AGENDA ITEM NO. 9.4

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

Title
Approval of the New and Renewal Clinical Experience Agreements for Manatee Technical College (MTC) Dental Students for the 2026-2029 School Years (No Financial Impact)

Executive Summary
The School District contracts with providers for clinical experience and/or on-the-job training for district students.

In order for the students to participate in this type of clinical or on-the-job experience, it is necessary for the participating offices to sign an agreement with the School District. The opportunity to receive this type of clinical experience is a great advantage to our students. Not only do they obtain a valuable hands-on learning experience, but also placements resulting in permanent jobs for the students after they finish their training.

A copy of the agreements are attached for review.

Clinical Experience Providers for Dental Assisting:
BLAKE DENTAL ARTS, LLC
JOHN RUSSO, D.D.S., M.H.S., INC.
JEFFREY SCOTT THOMPSON, P.A.

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

Recommendation
The Superintendent recommends approval of the new and renewal clinical experience agreements for Manatee Technical College (MTC) Dental students for the 2026-2029 school years (No Financial Impact).

Financial Impact
There is no financial impact.

Contact
Submitting Department: Adult, Career and Technical Education
Initiated by: Kaththea Johnson

Attachments:
Clinical Experience Agreement with Blake Dental Arts, LLC, Board Date 11.10.26
Clinical Experience Agreement with John Russo DDS, MHS, Inc, Board Date 11.10.26
Clinical Experience Agreement with Jeffrey Scott Thompson, Board Date 11.10.26