

Acro completes the development and implementation of two major IT applications for the State of New Mexico

Livonia, MI – September 8, 2008 – Acro Service Corporation (“Acro”), a Michigan based provider of Information Technology services across the nation, announced today the completion of the development and implementation of two major IT applications for the State of New Mexico (“State”).

The first application called SARA (Screening, Admissions and Releases Application) was implemented for the Children, Youth and Families Department (CYFD) of the State. SARA is a multi-agency effort within the State to provide statewide-centralized screening, detention, releases and tracking services for juveniles. The new system helps the State and local government agencies to process the screening of children referred for detention, and provide for real-time tracking of children in detention and their releases statewide. It helps the State to achieve compliance with Children’s Code and Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative (JDAI) in the most efficient and secure manner and meet the requirements of the federal Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) and the Annie E. Casey Foundation (AECF reporting standards. Before the Acro developed software was deployed, the agencies had to rely on an older database system that lacked support and caused deficiencies such as missing data, releases not being recorded and added workload burden due to use of manual processes.

“Acro’s development and delivery of the SARA system was done in a very professional manner and consistently met or exceeded CYFD’s goals for quality, timeliness and cost. They were quite flexible in addressing our requirement changes without adding to the cost of the system. The SARA system produced by Acro is extremely easy to use and provides our agency workers with the ability to provide needed services to the State population in general and the youth in particular” said Ted Lovato, Deputy Director Juvenile Justice Services at CYFD.

In a related development, Acro recently completed another IT project for the State of New Mexico. Acro designed a web site to promote health insurance among New Mexico citizens on behalf of the State’s Human Services Department (HSD).. This site, called “Insure New Mexico! Solutions” (<http://www.insurenewmexico.state.nm.us/>) replaced HSD’s previous website and provides substantially improved levels of service to the citizens accessing the site including eligibility wizards and broker search in addition to adding better ‘look-and-feel’ and user friendliness. It also has sections for the State’s insurance brokers to provide information regarding upcoming training events and statistical data.

“Acro’s technology consulting services are always delivered with quality and client satisfaction as the central focus. We use the latest technologies and provide our services in conformance with industry recognized standards such as ISO 9000:2001, SEI’s CMMI and the PMBOK recommendations of Project Management Institute. We are delighted that CYFD found our services and the final product meeting their important business needs” said R.V. Rao, Acro’s division president. Diego Garcia, Acro’s account manager for the State of New Mexico added, “State of New Mexico has been a long term, satisfied client of Acro and we are gratified that the various agencies of the State including CYFD and HSD are finding Acro’s IT services beneficial as evidenced by the repeat orders placed with Acro”.