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ADDENDUM NUMBER ONE

RFQ # 7550093

TITLE: Nursing Services and Certified Nursing Assistants, Veterans Home

Closing Date and Time: 12/23/15 at 1:30 PM (note change in time only)

Per the issuance of this ADDENDUM # (1), 2 pages, including this cover sheet.

Please be advised the Bid Closing Date and Time has been extended:

**From: 12/23/15 at 11:00 AM
To: 12/23/15 at 1:30 PM (Same date)**

Specification Change /Addition / Clarification

Due to a scheduling conflict we had to extend the Bid Closing Date and Time to the afternoon of the 23rd.

Listed below are the Questions along with the answers we received for this bid.

1. Q. Can you please provide the current incumbent vendors providing RN, LPN, and CNA Services?
A. Nursing Placement, Adil Business Systems, MAS Medical Staffing and A Caring Experience.

2. Q. Can you please provide the current incumbent hourly bill rates for RN, LPN, and CNA Services?
A. Registered Nurse is \$42.00 per hour for regular shifts and \$63.00 for overtime. Licensed Practical is \$37.50 an hour for regular shifts and \$56.25 for overtime Certified Nursing Assistants is \$17.35 for regular shifts and \$26.02 for overtime.
3. Q. What was the total annual expenditure of the current contract in 2014 and YTD 2015?
A. Fiscal Year 15 (July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015) we spent \$1,299,891.52 and Fiscal Year 16 (July 1, 2015 to December 6, 2015) we spent \$531,426.08.
4. Q. I am emailing regarding the bid for DHS Veterans Home regarding Nursing Services & Certified Nursing Assistants (#7550093) and was curious if our company would qualify for this bid. We are a vendor management system (VMS) that works with several agencies nationwide to fill any type of clinical or non-clinical needs. There would only be one contract, as well as one bill rate for each position, regardless of which agency would be submitting the candidate for the position. Please let me know if our services are acceptable as we would like to start working on this as soon as possible.
A. You would be required to have a RI full time coordinator.