

Pete Ricketts, Governor

ADDENDUM ONE QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Date: August 24, 2016
 To: All Bidders
 From: Teresa Fleming/Jennifer Crouse, Buyers
 AS Materiel State Purchasing Bureau
 RE: Addendum for Request for Proposal Number 5407 Z1
 to be opened September 8, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Central Time

Questions and Answers

Following are the questions submitted and answers provided for the above mentioned Request for Proposal. The questions and answers are to be considered as part of the Request for Proposal. It is the Bidder's responsibility to check the State Purchasing Bureau website for all addenda or amendments.

<u>Question Number</u>	<u>RFP Section Reference</u>	<u>RFP Page Number</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>State Response</u>
1.	Section IV. Project Description and Scope of Work, E. Scope of Work, 1. Referral Assistance a.	Page 30	Contractor is asked to provide "in person substance use assessments/evaluations free of charge for credential holders." Does "in person" mean just with staff employed by the contractor?	The "in person" provision of substance use assessments/ evaluations free of charge for credential holders means assessments/evaluations provided by bidder's personnel identified under Summary of Bidder's Proposed Personnel/ Management Approach (Section V., A., 2., i.) and Contractor Personnel (Section III, J.) or by Subcontractors (Section V., A. 2., j.) Any changes or additions to subcontractors during the Contract period, must be approved by the Department.
2.	Section IV. Project Description and Scope of Work, E. Scope of	Page 30	Contractor is asked to provide "in person substance use assessments/evaluations free of charge for credential holders." In cases where	Yes.

	Work, 1. Referral Assistance a.		the credential holder cannot travel to one of contractor's locations for an assessment/evaluation (such as those who live in western or northwestern Nebraska), and an assessment is arranged to be provided by a qualified alcohol/drug counselor in his/her area, and the contractor reimburses the provider so the assessment/evaluation is free of charge to the credential holder, does the State of Nebraska consider the provider who was reimbursed by the contractor a subcontractor for this contract?	
3.	Section IV. Project Description and Scope of Work, E. Scope of Work, 1. Referral Assistance	Pages 30 and 31	This section does not require the establishment of affiliation agreements/contracts as it has in past RFPs with the programs or providers across the state who, in addition to employed contractor staff, have provided substance use disorder assessments when arranged by the contractor. Does the Department no longer require affiliation agreements/contracts with these affiliate providers?	The terms "affiliate providers" or "affiliate agreements" does not exist in this RFP. Refer to Question 1.

This addendum will become part of the proposal and should be acknowledged with the Request for Proposal.