ADDENDUM ONE, QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Date: October 30, 2020

To: All Bidders

From: Holly Glasgow/Andy Budell, Buyer(s)

Department of Health and Human Services

RE: Addendum for Request for Proposal Number 6396 Z1

to be opened November 24 at 2:00 p.m. Central Time

Revised RFP

A revised version of the RFP has been posted to the website as of 10/30/2020. Please ensure the revised documents are used in the proposal response.

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.

Question	<u>RFP</u>	<u>RFP</u>	<u>Question</u>	State Response
<u>Number</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Page</u>		
	Reference	Number		
1.	1. Direct Pharmacy Services	36	In regards to wholesalers approved by DHHS, please provide the wholesaler that is currently utilized.	The current wholesaler is AmeriSource
2.			Who is NE ADAP's current single source pharmacy? Are there any pain points related to this model?	Current contract pharmacy is Elmwood.
3.			Who is NE ADAP's current contractor for health insurance premium payments? Are there any areas that you would like to see improved with a new contractor?	ScriptGuideRX

4.	For the 800 clients included in this RFP, what is the number of premium payment clients vs. the number of uninsured clients? Does NE ADAP expect a decrease in enrollment due to recent Medicaid expansion?	Uninsured clients average around 125 utilizers per month. Medicaid Expansion numbers are unknown at this time.
5.	What is the estimated number of months that NE ADAP anticipates the contractor would need to be prepared to prepay for services? a. Number of months for medication payments b. Number of months for health insurance premium payments	Refer to Section V.D.3.a.ii. in the RFP. With no direct purchasing of medication, the PBM would need to guarantee they have access to adequate stock when needed.
6.	What is NE ADAP's normal turnaround time for payment?	45 days
7.	What types of insurance plans will NE ADAP support for 2021 health insurance premium payments? a. ACA – one or multiple? b. Medicare c. Medicaid d. Employer Sponsored Plans e. COBRA Plans f. Stand along Dental Plans g. Other Individual Plans not mentioned above	ACA has not been decided yet for 2021. NE ADAP will support a, b, c, d, e, and g.
8.	Is there any insurance premium cost sharing required by NE ADAP? Are there instances where the contractor pays a portion of a monthly premium and the client pays the remainder for a given month?	NE ADAP does not require cost sharing. There are instances where the contractor pays partial premium payments.
9.	Does NE ADAP currently ask that the contractor cover ambulatory outpatient health care co-pays/deductibles/co-insurance in addition to medication co-pay/deductible/co-insurance?	Yes.
10.	Does NE ADAP expect the contractor to manage a pharmacy network and provide direct pharmacy services or is NE ADAP looking for a contractor to manage the network and allow the network of pharmacies to dispense the medication and work with clients on medication adherence?	Refer to Section V.D.2.a. in the RFP.
11.	Who is responsible for submitting for 340b rebate dollars, NE ADAP or the contractor?	Contractor.
12.	How does NE ADAP plan to share data specific to the Scope of Work with the contractor?	The Contractor shall maintain a secure data system that is capable of receiving and managing confidential information.
13.	With a contract start date of 2/1/2021, for which month/s should the contractor be prepared to begin submitting premium payments?	April 2021

14.		With a contract start date of 2/1/2021, for which month should	April 2021
		the contractor be prepared to begin adjudicating medication	
		claims?	

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