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DATE: 9/09/2024  
RFP NUMBER: 25-021KLL  
RFP TITLE: Supplemental – Nursing Services  
ADDENDUM NUMBER: 2

See Attached Question and Answers

Question 1: Is this a re-bid of RFP 24-042 for Nursing Services back in March?  
RFP #25-021KLL Supplemental - Nursing Services is a supplement to the previous RFP 24-032KLL Nursing Services. You will not need to respond to this RFP if you were awarded an agreement on RFP 24-032KLL.

Question 2: Who are the current incumbents?  
Answer: Accountable Healthcare Staffing, CareerStaff Unlimited, Gifted Healthcare, Amergis Educational Staffing (formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing), RCM Health Care Services and Thrive Skilled Pediatric Care

Question 3: What are the current incumbents' rates for these positions?  
Answer: Registered Nurse Flat Rate Cost - \$60.00 to \$75.00 per hour  
Licensed Practical Nurse Flat Rate Cost - \$50.00 to \$72.00 per hour

Question 4: Are the current incumbents successfully delivering on all positions?  
Answer: Yes

Question 5: How many professionals, in each specialty, do you expect to use during the school year?  
Answer: For nursing, typically 2-5 nurses

Question 6: Will these professionals be working fulltime (1.0), part time (.5) or as needed?  
Answer: Full school days with a student at their school site and riding the bus with the student to and from school.



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Question 7: How many vendors do you expect to award?  
Answer: Would like to increase from 6 to 8 vendors to potentially increase availability of needed nurses.

Question 8: Is this a newly initiated project, or is it a continuation of an existing one?  
Answer: Continuation

Question 9: If it is ongoing, kindly provide the names of the current service providers/incumbent vendors?  
Answer: Current vendors are Accountable Healthcare Staffing, CareerStaff Unlimited, Gifted Healthcare, Amergis Educational Staffing (formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing), RCM Health Care Services and Thrive Skilled Pediatric Care

Question 10: Could you provide details on the previous expenditure associated with this contract?  
Answer: Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link  
<https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 11: Could you confirm if it is possible to obtain the proposals or pricing details of the incumbent vendors?  
Answer: Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link  
<https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 12: Are there any specific challenges or issues currently being faced with the existing vendors?  
Answer: No

Question 13: Can you clarify the expected number of awards for this solicitation?  
Answer: Unknown at this time

Question 14: Is there any preference or priority given to local vendors for this contract?  
Answer: No

Question 15: Is the vendor required to be registered with the State of NM first before it can conduct its business?  
Answer: No

Question 16: Is there a local vendor preference on this bid?  
Answer: No

Question 17: Is this a new initiative?

- If not, who are the current vendors?
- Please share their pricing file.



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Answer: No. Current vendors are Accountable Healthcare Staffing, CareerStaff Unlimited, Gifted Healthcare, Amergis Educational Staffing (formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing), RCM Health Care Services and Thrive Skilled Pediatric Care. Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link <https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 18: What are the historical annual spending volumes in the project?

Answer: \$256,500

Question 19: What is the estimated budget for this project?

Answer: Dependent on the need in the student population.

Question 20: The district awarded a nursing RFP in March of this year, is there a reason the district is seeking supplemental services?

Answer: Yes, to expand the reach of potential nurses to meet the needs of the students

Question 21: Who are the current vendors providing services and what are their hourly rates?

Answer: See Questions #2 and #3

Question 22: Does this RFP require resumes of potential nursing candidates?

Answer: Yes

Question 23: How many nursing positions does this RFP seek to fill?

Answer: Dependent on the need in the student population.

Question 24: Does this RFP require nursing substitutes in the event a contracted nurse calls out for the day?

Answer: Preferred

Question 25: Please share the incumbent vendors and their pricing.

Answer: See Questions #2 and #3

Question 26: What is the budget for this bid? OR the estimated annual spending in the past under this contract for similar services?

Answer: See Question #18

Question 27: Please share the Bid Tabulation of the previous bid for services.

Answer: Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link <https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 28: Is there any challenge in fulfilling the needs with existing contracts for related services or any specific improvements you are looking for?

Answer: None at this time



Question 29: Is there any preference for the local vendor?

Answer: No

Question 30: Please share the type of background check and drug test required.

Answer: FBI background check administered through district office.

Question 31: Will there be a kick-off meeting once the contract is awarded?

Answer: No

Question 32: How many resources/candidates are currently active at this time under incumbent contracts? Please provide the breakdown of numbers of under each incumbent vendor.

Answer: 1 vendor is currently providing 5 nurses

Question 33: What is the spending to date against each of the incumbent vendors?

Answer: \$256,500

Question 34: Will active candidates under the incumbent vendors be transition to the new vendors if the same incumbent vendors are not awarded the contract this time?

Answer: No

Question 35: What is the estimated budget for this contract?

Answer: Estimated \$800,000 annually

Question 36: How many awards are to be made under this contract?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 37: Is there any incumbent for this contract? If yes, please let us know the incumbent's name, hourly rate, and historical spend.

Answer: See Questions #2 and #3

Question 38: Could you share the links for the public records for this contract?

Answer: See Question #27

Question 39: What is the preferred channel of communication (e-mail or portal) for sharing your requirements?

Answer: Vendor Registry - [cservice@vendorregistry.com](mailto:cservice@vendorregistry.com)

Question 40: Is subcontracting mandatory? If so, are there any mandatory goals?

Answer: No

Question 41: Are sample resumes of candidates required along with the proposal?

Answer: Yes



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Question 42: Can you share the contact directory for New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Business and Veteran New Mexico Resident Business?

Answer: <https://www.tax.newmexico.gov/businesses/business-preference-certification/>

Question 43: What is the annual budget of the contract?

Answer: See Question #35

Question 44: Do you need actual resumes or sample resumes?

Answer: Yes

Question 45: Is this bid refresh? If yes, can you share details from where we can get old proposal details?

Answer: It is a Supplemental RFP

Question 46: Is this a re-compete RFP? If yes,

a. Could you please the name of Current Suppliers (who are currently providing services to Agency)?

Answer: See Question #2

b. Could you please share current Supplier's pricing and Proposals?

Answer: See Question #10

c. How many awards were made in the Past?

Answer: 6

d. When was the existing contract started, and what is the annual monetary spent value of the current contract since inception?

Answer: June 27, 2024 – N/A

e. How many resources are currently engaged in the current contract?

Answer: Six

f. Can you please share the no. of positions served in previous years under this contract?

Answer: All are 1:1 cases and the number of students and specific needs vary

g. Can you please share the amount of business each vendor did under this contract in previous years?

Answer: RCM Technologies                      \$240,389.00

Accountable Healthcare                      \$196,505.00

h. Is there any issue that the agency is currently facing with the incumbents?

Answer: No

i. Are incumbents allowed to bid on this RFP? Please confirm.

Answer: No

j. Please share the historical spending for the year 2021, 2022 and 2023?



Answer: Positions were being provided privately by families

k. How many nurses were used in year 2021, 2022 and 2023?

Answer: Positions were being provided privately by families

Question 47: What will be the estimated annual budget for this project?

Answer: See Question #35

Question 48: Is this a single award or multiple award contract?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 49: If it is a multi-award contract, can you please confirm the total number of vendors to be awarded this contract?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 50: How will job requests be shared among multiple awarded vendors?

Answer: The work will be distributed by the using department as needs and funding are available.

Question 51: Will all job requests be shared among all awarded vendors simultaneously?

Answer: The work will be distributed by the using department as needs and funding are available.

Question 52: Is there any ranking system for sharing job requests among awarded vendors such as primary bidder, secondary bidder, and then other awarded bidders?

Answer: The work will be distributed by the using department as needs and funding are available.

Question 53: Can you share details from where we can get old RFP details?

Answer: RFP 24-042 - Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link <https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 54: Can you please tell us where we can see the records for the old contract?

Answer: RFP 24-042 - Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link <https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 55: Can you please share the email id/details where we can raise the public record request for old RFP?

Answer: RFP 24-042 - Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link <https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 56: Would you be accepting references from large commercial entities?

Answer: Yes

Question 57: How many positions are required under this contract?

Answer: up to 5 or possibly more as students who need 1:1 nursing during the school day are now beginning to come back to in-person education post pandemic



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- Question 58: How many positions are currently open?  
Answer: 2-4
- Question 59: How many positions are currently used in a single day? Please give rough estimate.  
Answer: 5
- Question 60: Out of mentioned staffing positions, what are the most filled positions? Please share.  
Answer: 1:1 nursing services to students
- Question 61: How many vendors agency is planning to select?  
Answer: Multi-award
- Question 62: What would be the shift timings for the given positions?  
Answer: Full school days with a student at their school site and riding the bus with the student to and from school
- Question 63: Can you please provide Job descriptions and qualification for all the positions?  
Answer: Please refer to Scope of Work in RFP
- Question 64: Please confirm minimum guaranteed hours per week for these positions.  
Answer: APS cannot guarantee the number of hours worked. Hours are dependent upon when the student attends school.
- Question 65: Are these full-time positions or weekly assignments?  
Answer: Full-time
- Question 66: Can you please confirm the weekly assignments duration (7 week/13 week or more) if any?  
Answer: 36 weeks or the duration of the APS school year depending on when the nurse starts
- Question 67: What is weekend and holiday shift work rate policy of County such as 1.5-time standard hourly rate? Please confirm.  
Answer: Not applicable – school hours/days only
- Question 68: Can you please share shift timings and location of services?  
Answer: Not applicable – school hours/days only
- Question 69: What is average response time to provide resume of qualified resources?  
Answer: 1-2 weeks
- Question 70: Do we have to provide Sample Insurance Certificate with the proposal response? Please confirm.  
Answer: Yes
- Question 71: Will you award this contract to the lowest responsive bidders? Please confirm.  
Answer: Yes
- Question 72: Will the agency be giving any preference to local vendors? Please confirm.  
Answer: No



Question 73: To be responsive, is it mandatory to have physical office in New Mexico? Please confirm.

Answer: No

Question 74: To be responsive, is it mandatory to provide Business Registration Certificate (BRC) with the proposal response? Please confirm.

Answer: Yes

Question 75: Can we provide BRC certificate after the award? Please confirm.

Answer: Please provide with RFP

Question 76: Do we need to provide hourly rate or crisis rate?

Answer: Hourly

Question 77: Are there any Subcontracting requirements to comply with the bid requirements? if yes, please confirm the subcontracting goal for the bid?

Answer: No

Question 78: We are a Virginia-based MBE firm certified by NMSDC, are we qualified to bid as an MBE?

Answer: The funds for these services do not have any specific requirements related to MBE and to follow the instructions in RFP.

Question 79: What is the estimated budget for this RFP? If unknown, please provide details on previous spending.

Answer: See Question #35

Question 80: Is this a new requirement? If not, please provide information on the current vendor(s) supplying the service and the procurement method. Apart from the end of tenure, are there any other reasons for issuing this solicitation? Are there any current pain points?

Answer: Current vendors are Accountable Healthcare Staffing, CareerStaff Unlimited, Gifted Healthcare, Amergis Educational Staffing (formerly Maxim Healthcare Staffing), RCM Health Care Services and Thrive Skilled Pediatric Care. Procurement method was RFP 24-032KLL. No pain points at this time.

Question 81: Do we need to submit the Certificate of Insurance and Business License with the proposal?

Answer: Yes

Question 82: What is the average length of the assignment?

Answer: 36 weeks or the duration of the school year depending on when the nurse begins

Question 83: Is there a preference for local vendors when evaluating proposals?

Answer: No





Question 84: Do we need to provide live or sample resumes for the job titles mentioned in the solicitation? If so, how many resumes are required per position?

Answer: Yes, as many as are available and qualified after 1-2 weeks

Question 85: Are there any current vendors providing these services? If so, is APS satisfied with their performance?

Answer: Yes

Question 86: Could you clarify the FTE requirement and the current number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTEs) working under the contract with respect to the job title?

Answer: 6-8 hours/5 days a week/36 weeks a year depending on the start date of the nurse

Question 87: Which job title is most used by APS?

Answer: RN

Question 88: As per evaluation criteria, there is total 18 points preference for New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Business or Veteran New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Veteran Business, can you please waive off this requirement as it limits the competition.

Answer: No, as it is required by the NM State Procurement Code.

Question 89: Do we need to provide references for services performed in similar educational settings?

Answer: Yes

Question 90: Do we need to submit a single response document that includes all required forms and the technical section, with a maximum length of 60 pages?

Answer: Yes

Question 91: Under the Transmitter Letter section, are we required to provide only the “Letter of Transmittal Form” or detailed description also?

Answer: Please provide the Letter of Transmittal Form.

Question 92: As it is a supplemental contract, kindly provide the number of FTE’s that will be required per job title under this contract?

Answer: 8-10

Question 93: Could you please let me know if the students who need to be served are disabled or have special needs?

Answer: Licensed Practical Nurses and Registered Nurses with BLS certification, able to provide care such as tracheostomies, ventilator, gastric tube feeding/medications, etc.



Question 94: Will the multiple awards be categorized as Primary, Secondary, and Tertiary?

Answer: No

Question 95: Could you please provide a list of the locations where services will be required?

Answer: See page 22 of the RFP

Question: 96: Kindly provide a specific list of attachments and documentation required to be submitted with the proposal so to avoid compliance issues.

Answer: See page 39 of RFP 25-021KLL – Supplemental – Nursing Services

Question 97: Do we need to provide sample/live resumes of Registered Nurse, Licensed Practical Nurse with the proposal? If yes how many per job title?

Answer: No

Question 98: Is it mandatory to provide 3 references from school districts only?

Answer: Preferred

Question 99: As per page 39, if we as a prime bidder are neither Resident Contractor nor Native American Resident Contractor can we put X in this point or can we subcontract for this requirement and place checkmark for the same?

Answer: You may not subcontract for this requirement

Question 100: If we can utilize New Mexico In-State Resident Business or Native American Resident Business or Resident Veteran Business or Native American Resident Veteran Business, kindly define specific subcontracting goals.

Answer: There are no subcontracting goals.

Question 101: To gain 8 or 10 points for preference for New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Business or Veteran New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Veteran Business a mentioned in the evaluation criteria, can we do the subcontracting with respective business or are these points preferences are for the prime vendor only?

Answer: For prime vendor only

Question 102: As per Page 6 of the solicitation document, Native American Resident Veteran Business, shall include in their proposal a copy of the certificate issued by State of New Mexico Taxation & Revenue. Kindly confirm if this is for prime vendors only? Or can we subcontract with the Native American Resident Veteran Business for the same and to gain preference points mentioned in the evaluation criteria. Kindly confirm.

Answer: For prime vendors only

Question 103: What are the names of the current vendors providing nursing services?



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Answer: See Question #2

Question 104: What are the current bill rates for the vendors providing nursing services?

Answer: See Question #3

Question 105: Have the current vendors met your needs?

Answer: Yes

Question 106: Do you anticipate awarding one or multiple vendors?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 107: How many nurses do you anticipate needing?

Answer: Dependent on the need in the student population.

Question 108: Do you require resumes of potential candidates with the proposal or can they be provided upon award?

Answer: Resumes of potential candidates are to be submitted with proposal

Question 109: Will you accept rate ranges depending on a candidate's experience?

Answer: A flat rate is required

Question 110: What is the anticipated number of full time and part time positions?

Answer: Dependent on the need in the student population.

Question 111: Who are the current vendors providing services?

Answer: See Question #2

Question 112: Are your current vendors meeting your needs?

Answer: Yes

Question 113: How long have the incumbent suppliers held this contract?

Answer: Since June of 2024

Question 114: Will the district utilize its own contract, the vendor's contract, or the RFP as the agreement?

Answer: Albuquerque Public Schools own contract in conjunction with RFP 25-021KLL.

Question 115: What are the current hourly bill rates for vendors providing similar services?

Answer: See Questions #3

Question 116: Does the district have a cap on the hourly rate for these services?

Answer: No



Question 117: Will the district accept a rate range or a flat rate? (i.e. - \$75-80/hr. versus \$75/hr.

Answer: Flat

Question 118: Do you require resumes and license verifications of potential contracted candidates to be included in our submission?

Answer: Yes

1. If so, can we provide sample resumes with personal information redacted? Yes

Question 119: How will the vendors be notified of an award?

Answer: Vendors will be notified by email

Question 120: Do you anticipate awarding one or multiple vendors?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 121: Is the vendor expected to have a clinic or local office?

Answer: No

Question 122: Will assigned candidates have access to materials, supplies, equipment, evaluation kits, and protocols provided by your schools?

Answer: To be determined by documentation needs of the student

Question 123: Will assigned candidates have access to computers/laptops and printers?

Answer: To be determined by documentation needs of the student

Question 124: Will the district reimburse for mileage traveled between school campuses on the same day:

Answer: May need to ride the bus with the student to and from school, or ride the bus with the student for any school sponsored field trips.

Question 125: Are clinicians required to directly bill Medicaid for reimbursement or do they just complete paperwork for the district to submit to Medicaid reimbursement?

Answer: Completion of progress notes, medication and procedure administration records, timesheets.

Question 126: Will the district accept and consider submissions from staffing agencies?

Answer: Yes

Question 127: Is the district open to the using teletherapy?

Answer: No

Question 128: Can you provide the name and contact information for the individual who will be coordinating these services at your district:

Answer: APS Nursing Services: Amy Baker, District Resource Nurse,  
Amy.Baker@aps.edu, 505-855-9845



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Question 129: Will the school be creating, managing, and implementing the IHP for each student of need?

Answer: Yes

Question 130: Will the school provide clinical supervision of our nurses providing 1:1 care to individual students?

Answer: Yes

Question 131: Will the school provide documentation for the nursing notes, or would the school like the vendor to provide this?

Answer: APS will provide

Question 132: In the Approach/Methodology row of the Evaluation Criteria, we are asked to describe 'Milestones'. Could you please elaborate on what you mean by Milestones?

Answer: Please expand on your completion of key deliverables with other school districts.

Question 133: Do we need to subcontract to hit a minimum HUB Certification

Answer: No

Question 134: Can the District confirm page 26 #10. Licensed Practical Nurses and Registered Nurses with BLS certification, able to provide care such as tracheostomies, ventilator, gastric tube feeding/medication etc., will LPMs be required to provide trach and vent care?

Answer: Yes

Question 135: Do we need to provide resumes of nurses we will plan to staff at APS?

Answer: Yes

Question 136: Can you provide current incumbent Pricing?

Answer: See Question #3

Question 137: Who in the district will act as the clinical supervisor for the nurses, overseeing onboarding to district policies, providing guidance on district requirements, and addressing daily operations concerns?

Answer: APS Nursing Services: Amy Baker, District Resource Nurse,  
Amy.Baker@aps.edu, 505-855-9845

Question 138: If our agency provides an LPN, will an RN employed by the district be available to supervise them?



Answer: Yes, per school possibly

Question 139: How many full-time RNs and LPNs does the district anticipate needing from vendors for the 2024-2025 school year under this RFP?

Answer: 8-10

Question 140: How long have the current nursing vendors been under contract with the district?

Answer: June of 2024

Question 141: Could you also provide a list of these vendors and their current bill rates?

Answer: See Questions #2 & #3

Question 142: Does the district supply materials such as laptops, printers, PPE, and nursing supplies (e.g., stethoscopes, pulse oximeters)?

Answer: The district will supply basic PPE and technology as needed. Student's family will provide nursing supplies

Question 143: What is the average length of assignments for the nursing positions?

Answer: 36 weeks or the duration of the school year depending on when the nurse starts in relation to the start of the school year.

Question 144: To accommodate varying experience levels, would the district accept a pricing range instead of a fixed hourly rate?

Answer: Fixed hourly rate

Question 145: Is orientation time billable under this contract?

Answer: APS specific orientation only

Question 146: Will all health-related services be provided on a 1:1 basis, or will some nurses also be working in a health-clinic setting? Could you estimate how many 1:1 students will require service?

Answer: Nurses will only be working in a 1:1 basis.

Question 147: How many vendors does the district plan to award contracts to for the services outlined in this solicitation?

Answer: Dependent on need

Question 148: Is there any anticipated overtime for nurses on assignment, and can an overtime rate be included in our proposal?

Answer: No

Question 149: Is this a single or multiple award RFP?

Answer: Multi-award



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Question 150: Is there an incumbent?

Answer: See Question #2

Question 151: What is the dollar value of the complete contract?

Answer: Estimate - \$800,000 annually

Question 152: What was the previous year's budget?

Answer: Positions were being provided privately by families

Question 153: Is there a preference for local vendors? Local Office?

Answer: No

Question 154: We do not have the Resident Business or Native American Resident Veteran Business certifications. Can we use subcontract with New Mexico Resident Business or Native American Resident Veteran Business vendors to get the points under the evaluation criteria?

Answer: No

Question 155: Are the personnel required for this opportunity able to be subbed out at the start, pending they are equally qualified as those portrayed in the response resumes?

Answer: Dependent on family preference

Question 156: Given the short amount of time between question and proposal due dates, can we respectfully request a proposal due date extension?

Answer: Due date changed to: September 25, 2024 at 3:00pm (local time)

Question 157: Is this RFP supplemental to RFP 24-032 KLL which was due 01/03/2024? If so, why is APS releasing a supplemental RFP if 24-032 KLL was previously awarded this year?

Answer: To expand the reach of potential nurses to meet the needs of the students

Question 158: Does APS have an estimated number of people needed for the length of this contract?

Answer: 8-10

Question 159: Can APS provide a Utilization report from the previous incumbent?

Answer: This information is not available at this time.

Question 160: Who, if any, are the incumbent providers to date?

Answer: See Question #2

Question 161: What major stakeholders would we be working with to complete these



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assessments?  
Answer: Nursing Services dept

Question 162: Would APS consider using the GSA or TIPS to procure these services?

Answer: No

Question 163: Is APS giving preference to local vendors?

Answer: No

Question 164: Will APS share the evaluation scorecard each vendor receives?

Answer: Please issue your Public Records Request at the following link  
<https://aps.nextrequest.com/>

Question 165: How many individuals are you looking for in each service area?

Answer: 8-10

Question 166: How many extra points will be earned by including a narrative and documentation showing provider availability to begin providing services?

Answer: Points are only awarded for the point totals that are listed in the RFP.

Question 167: How many positions were previously filled by contingency labor?

Answer: Positions were being provided privately by families

Question 168: What was the spend on this project last year?

Answer: None - Positions were being provided privately by families

Question 169: How many vendors will be awarded?

Answer: Multi-award

Question 170: Are there incumbent vendors from a previous contract? If so who and how many?

Answer: See Question #2

Question 171: How many positions does APS usually fill using temporary labor each year?

Answer: 8-10

Question 172: Will this contract have cooperative purchasing language so other entities can buy off it?

Answer: Yes

Question 173: Are there any terms for the buyout included? For instance, if the county wanted to hire a temporary employee after 6 months, would their employer receive a buyout fee?

Answer: Not Applicable





Question 174: Can companies add in additional benefits they offer even if it is not asked for?

Answer: No

Question 175: Will awarded companies be able to speak with APS employees directly when gathering information on open positions and upcoming positions?

Answer: Yes, with the Nursing Dept

Question 176: Will all openings go to all awarded vendors, or can APS employees choose to work with only certain awarded vendors?

Answer: Only to awarded vendors.

Question 177: What format would they like exceptions to be listed?

Answer: List in PDF format

Question 178: Are contractors able to add labor categories to this opportunity?

Answer: No

Question 179: Number 14 of the Terms and Conditions requires each awarded provider to carry Automobile Liability in the amount of \$750,000. The staff will be riding the bus with each student. Do providers need to carry this? Is our current coverage adequate?

Answer: The insurance that is stated in the RFP is required by all respondents.

Question 180: Davis-Bacon Act, do we have to pay our nurses a different rate than their current rate?

Answer: This is not a public works project, and thus the Davis-Bacon Act would not apply.

Question 181: APS issued this RFP for Nursing Services in January 2024. Can APS clarify why an RFP for Nursing Services has been put out to bid again this year?

Answer: To expand the reach of potential nurses to meet the needs of the students

Question 182: Can APS define the responsibilities of the contracted Agencies who provide Supplemental Nursing Services when it comes to the District Goals and Guardrails? What will be the Agency's role in the District meeting these goals?

Answer: The Goals and Guardrails are referenced to inform offerors of Albuquerque Public School's vision and values.

Question 183: Can you please confirm that excess can be used to meet the Professional Liability coverage of \$2M/\$2M that is required?

Answer: The insurance that is stated in the RFP is required by all respondents



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Question 184: Will the Online Trainings required to be completed by RNs and LPNs be considered orientation? If so, will those hours of orientation be billable at the awarded bill rates?

Answer: Yes and yes

Question 185: Can we provide commercial client references?

Answer: School preferred

Question 186: Do we need to submit actual candidate resumes with the proposal?

Answer: Yes

Question 187: Approximately, how many hours of services do you currently use?

Answer: 175

Question 188: Can we provide rate ranges?

Answer: Flat rate required

Question 189: Is this a new contract or renewal of an existing contract?

Answer: Supplemental to RFP 24-032 KLL -Nursing Services

Question 190: If there is an existing contract, could you please share the names of the current vendors and their pricing?

Answer: See Questions #2 & #3

Question 191: In order to be considered responsive for this solicitation, is it mandatory to bid on all positions?

Answer: Yes

Question 192: What is the estimated budget for this contract?

Answer: \$800,000 annually

Question 193: Is it mandatory to subcontract?

Answer: No

Question 194: Could you please provide information on the daily duration of shifts required for the necessary professions? For example, the number of hours per day?

Answer: Full school days with a student at their school site and riding the bus with the student to and from school.



**ACKNOWLEDGE ADDENDUM WITH SUBMITTED PROPOSAL:**  
**Addenda not signed and returned may consider the RFP non-responsive and may be rejected.**

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**COMPANY/FIRM NAME**

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