



**State of Oklahoma
OKLAHOMA HEALTH CARE
AUTHORITY**

Amendment of Solicitation

Date of Issuance: August 21, 2018

Solicitation No. Pharmacy ePA System RFI

Requisition No. Pharmacy ePA System RFI

Amendment No. 1

Hour and date specified for receipt of offers is changed: No Yes, to: _____ CST

Pursuant to OAC 580:16-7-30(d), this document shall serve as official notice of amendment to the Solicitation identified above. Such notice is being provided to all suppliers to which the original solicitation was sent.

Suppliers submitting bids or quotations shall acknowledge receipt of this solicitation amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation as follows:

- (1) Sign and return a copy of this amendment with the solicitation response being submitted; or,
- (2) If the supplier has already submitted a response, this acknowledgement must be signed and returned prior to the solicitation deadline. All amendment acknowledgements submitted separately shall have the solicitation number and bid opening date printed clearly on the front of the envelope.

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Description of Amendment:

a. This is to incorporate the following:

Pharmacy Program Pharmacy ePA System RFI Request for Information (RFI) Questions and Answers are attached with a total of five (5) pages including Amendment One of Solicitation page. Supplier name, date, printed name, and signature are required on both Amendment One and on the last page of the Questions and Answers attached form.

b. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Supplier Company Name (**PRINT**)

Date

Authorized Representative Name (**PRINT**)

Title

Authorized Representative Signature

Pharmacy Electronic Prior Authorization System RFI Questions

Entity Name: _____

Question #	RFP Section(s):	Entity Question	OHCA Answer
1	Sec 2.2	Just to clarify, is this a totally new system, a new module for MMIS? Or is it an upgrade for the current system operated by Pharmacy Management Consultants?	Totally new system, we currently are paper based.
2	General	Where can a contract with PMC be obtained?	We do not understand the intent of the question. If the question is truly how to get a contract with PMC, direct inquiries to Terry-Cothran@ouhsc.edu. If the questioner means how can they get a copy of the current PMC contract, submit an Open Records request at the public website, www.okhca.org.
3	General	Should this RFI go well, when can an RFP be expected to be released?	RFP is tentatively scheduled for release by second quarter 2019 (2Q_2019).
4	General	What is the estimated budget for this contract?	To be determined.
5	General	What is the projected term/duration for this contract?	We plan to review the RFI by September 2018, then develop an RFP for release by second quarter 2019 (2Q_2019), then award the contract July 2019 with a one (1) year timeframe for implementation and a tentative/predicted go-live of July 2020.
6	General	Are you looking to manage your PA's in-house with your own clinical team or have someone like PMC continue to manage the process?	We have budgeted for an internal pharmacy analyst position who updates PA criteria. The vision would be to have PMC manage the process.

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7	General	How many claims platforms, including MMIS, will be required for integration?	MMIS is the claims platform. DXC currently manages the MMIS Program.
8	Sec 4.4	Do you have a date estimate for follow-up presentations/demonstrations for selected vendors?	We plan to review the RFI by September 2018 then develop an RFP for release by second quarter 2019 (2Q_2019).
9	Sec 1.1	Do you have an estimated timeframe for the future procurement [sic] process based on this RFI?	See Answer #8.
10	Sec 4.1	For the implementation plan request in item K, can you provide an estimated start and/or go-live date for us to create the model?	See Answer #5.
11	General	After detailed review of the RFP, I noticed a request for pricing estimates. We typically execute a mutual NDA contract with other parties prior to releasing this type of information. Would you and your team be willing to evaluate our attached NDA or do you have a template that you would like our legal team to review.	The request to include pricing estimates is for a Request for Information (RFI). OHCA is unable to sign the non-disclosure document for the RFI.
12	General	Whether companies from Outside USA can apply for this? (like, from India or Canada)	The future RFP will address "Offshoring Language". Within that language, OHCA states, "Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract which uses any public funds within its control to purchase services which will be provided outside the United States. This reflects prohibition on the purchase of offshore services..."

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13	General	Whether we need to come over there for meetings?	Yes. The awarded RFP bidder will be required to meet in person several times during the implementation process at Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA) offices. After implementation, the awarded RFP bidder will meet in person at OHCA offices in continuation meetings if the bidder's product should require maintenance.
14	General	Can we perform the tasks (related to RFP) outside USA? (like, from India or Canada)	See Answer #12.
15	Sec 1.3, 1.4, 1.5	Can we submit the proposals via email?	Yes. See Pharmacy ePA RFI 1.3 contact, 1.4 RFI Responses due date, and submission instructions in 1.5.

Supplier Company Name (PRINT)

Date

Authorized Representative Name (PRINT)

Title

Authorized Representative Signature