

Request for Proposal (RFP) Questions and Answers
7/7/15

Question 1. Is there a vehicle to obtain under the Freedom of Information Act to get a copy of one or two of the bids submitted last time?

Answer: No.

Question 2. I am hoping to request the current pricing for the RFPs that came out today.

Answer: Current pricing for all active BPAs will be posted at <http://www.cacp.uscourts.gov/?q=tss> On the left side, under "Treatment Services Vendor Information".

Question 3. We currently have a contract for [services]. Do we need to resubmit paperwork?

Answer: Yes. The new fiscal year begins October 1, 2015. If you are interested in providing services next year, follow the instructions contained in the Cover Letter(s) and RFP(s) you received.

Question 4. RFP 0973-16-10 indicates geographic service areas of LA, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties. RFP 0973-16-109, 0973-16-06 and 0973-16-07 are all for specific portions of Riverside County. Which RFP should a Riverside County agency respond to, 0973-16-10 or one or more of the specific RFP's designated for Riverside County?

Answer: RFP 0973-16-10 is for residential drug treatment services. The other RFPs are for outpatient treatment, so you should respond to the RFPs in which you provide the services listed in Sections B and C and have facilities in the defined catchment area.

Question 5. Each RFP contains a section titled "ON-SITE VISITS". In this section it states, "On site visits will be conducted for those offeror's whose proposals are determined technically acceptable based on the

above stated criteria and meet the lowest price requirement. On site visits will be conducted to verify that the offeror's facility complies with the requirements of the RFP. There will be on-site evaluations for all subcontractors providing services." Is it permissible for an offeror to submit a proposal with a proposed site that the offeror intends to use but does not currently operate/use? Is it a prerequisite for proposal submission that an offeror, at the time of submission, is maintaining or operating out of the proposed facility?

Answer: Applicable operating and/or business licenses and proof of compliance with all federal, state and local fire safety and health codes for the proposed site must be submitted with your proposal in order to be technically acceptable . It is NOT acceptable to submit a proposal that references a site that you intend to use but do not currently operate/use. You must have the facility in place at the time of submission and it cannot be contingent upon award.

Question 6. Is RFP # 0973-16-110 for residential or outpatient services?

Answer: It is for outpatient services (Intensive Outpatient Counseling).

Question 7. Just want to confirm that Banning (Riverside County) would fall under RFP 0973-16-06 as part of the low desert.

Answer: Yes.

Question 8. Will there be any current vendor pricing available on the website for RFP's 0973-16-06; 0973-16-07 and 0973-16-10?

Answer: Yes for 0973-16-06 and 0973-16-10. We don't currently have services in the catchment area of 0973-16-07 so no pricing is available.