

DATE: April 26, 2019

TO: All Offerors

FROM: Gaurang P. Pathak

Manager of Financial Services/Internal Control

SUBJECT: ADDENDUM TO RFP - CONTRACT NO. CHR 2019-22
Occupational Therapy Services

## **ADDENDUM #1 Questions & Answers**

	Questions	Answers
1.	What are the names of your current vendors and what are their bill rates?	The Current vendors are: Educational Based Services, OPT Therapy Services and Therapy Services of Delaware. The hourly rate is between \$65 and \$71 for a Therapist and Therapy Assistant is between \$50 and \$55 per hour
2.	Approximately how many clinicians/therapists does the Christina School District anticipate needing?	Approximately 20
3.	Will the positions be full-time or part-time?	Full Time
4.	Is paper pricing is to be submitted under separate cover?	Yes
5.	Would you be able to tell us how many OT's and PT's you currently have on contract, and what the foreseen need is for the 19/20 school year?	Approximately 18 we have now and we may need about 20
6.	General questions regarding specifications:  a. Why is the district utilizing a solicitation for the services requested in these bids?  b. Can the district please clarify if each RFP requires its own dedicated proposal submission?	<ol> <li>Aggregate spending will exceed \$50,000</li> <li>Yes.</li> <li>Yes, so long as the services align with the scope and pertains to this RFP only.</li> </ol>

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c. Is the district willing to evaluate proposals with Master Service Provider offerings?	
7. Due to the detailed information	No – The amount of time offered for
requested in this solicitation, will the	responding to this RFP is similar to
district consider an extension of the due	previous request
date for these RFP's?	
8. Will the district consider offering a pre-	No.
bid meeting for interested contractors to	
review questions and specifications?	
<ol><li>Additional Usage Questions:</li></ol>	Not related to this RFP.
i. What is the anticipated total amount	
of FTE contract, vendor supplied	0
PT, OT, SLP, Behavior Analysts	2. approximately 20
and School Psychologists needed	The level of information requested is not readily
specifically for DSD and DAP RFP's?	available at this time. For
ii. In addition, can the district please	additional information please
provide the total amount of FTE	refer to answer 1.
contract, vendor supplied PT, OT,	
SLP, Behavior Analysts and School	
Psychologists utilized during the	
2017-18 SY?	
iii. In addition, can the district please	
provide the total amount of billing,	
broken down by vendor and	
classification, for all vendor supplied	
PT, OT, SLP, Behavior Analysts	
and School Psychologists utilized during the 2017-18 SY?	
10. Text of passage being questioned: "The	No decision has been made at this
Christina School District may include in	time regarding liquidated damages.
the final contract penalty provisions for	Any language associated with
non-performance, such as liquidated	liquidated damages will be
damages."	negotiated at the final contract
<ol> <li>Can the district please describe in</li> </ol>	award.
detail the parameters around this	
section?	
ii. Liquidated Damages- Can the	
district please describe if this is	
subject to negotiation?	If the COLin pat provided the contract
11. Can the district please clarify if	If the COI is not provided then proof
contractor is required to provide Certificate of Insurance (COI) at the time	of eligibility must be provided.
of proposal submission or only if	
awarded?	
12. Can the district please clarify if Christina	Yes, at the time of award.
School District is to be named as	1 33, at the time of award.
additional insured at the time of	
proposal, or only upon award?	
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13. What would be the projected <u>or</u> average weekly hours of service for the Speech Language Pathologist (SLP),  Occupational Therapist (OT), Physical Therapist (PT), Behavior Analyst (BCBA) and School Psychologist (SSP)? For example: Full-time 37.5 hours per week (7.5 hours per day) billable.	37.5 hours per week
14. What would be the average student caseload and number of schools served by the SLP, OT, PT, BCBA and SSP?	This will depend on the individual hours of service indicated on each student's IEP.
15. How many working days will the SLP, OT, PT, BCBA and SSP work during the school year (For Example: 180 days or less)?	194 for the Wilmington City Schools and 180 for the non-city schools.
16. If the proposal response should be submitted in separate sealed envelopes, is it acceptable for the vendor to submit the separate sealed envelopes in the same package OR do you prefer the separate submittals not packaged together?	It can be in the same package as long as each submission is clearly marked with RFP number.
17. Would the district pay for mileage travelling between school campuses on the same day? If so, what will be the district IRS Standard Rate?	We do not pay mileage. Your hourly rate must be all inclusive.