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FROM: PURCHASING SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR

SUBJECT: RESPONSES TO RFP QUESTIONS FOR PROPOSAL NO.:
DOC1427-PHARM, Correctional Health Care Pharmaceutical Services

ADDENDUM #3 – September 6, 2013

DE Department of Correction submits the following Consolidated Response to questions submitted between August 30rd through September 5th. All other terms and conditions of the RFP remain unchanged.

QUESTION #1

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Question: Can you please confirm that SAME DAY delivery of pharmaceuticals is a REQUIRED component of this RFP?

Answer: As noted on page 5, lines 227-230, "The Vendor must provide daily (same day) on-site inside the facility delivery of medications 6 days a week. Where there are multiple locations of pharmacy, all areas within the facility must be covered for delivery."

Question: If given the choice, what would be the desired time of delivery within the facilities?

Answer: As noted on page 6, lines 266-268 "All request for prescription and over-the Counter stock items will be delivered the same day, as needed, upon request by a specified time, e.g. 4pm." For example, cut off time for orders received is 4pm, delivery is expected within a 12 hour timeframe.

Question: Is there a time by which daily deliveries must be at each facility?

Answer: As quoted above.

Question: Is same day delivery expected at each of the Delaware DOC facilities?

Answer: As noted on page 5, lines 228-230 "The Vendor must provide daily (same day) on-site inside the facility delivery of medications 6 days a week. Where there are multiple locations of pharmacy, all areas within the facility must be covered for delivery."

Question: If there are any exceptions to this, can you please state?

Answer: There are no exceptions to same day delivery.

QUESTION #2

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Question: Can you further explain discharge medicine pharmacy services?

Answer: DDOC supplies a 30 day supply of essential medications.

Question: Are there certain package requirements for discharge planning?

Answer: No, there is no specific packaging requirement for discharge medication.

QUESTION #3

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Question: Many of the components of the pharmaceutical RFP seem to be more geared towards the healthcare component (separate RFP). Such statements; for instance lines 204-206 on page 5, as well as most subsets of section 4, beginning on page 7 through 9, seem to address mostly healthcare related responsibilities and requirements. Can you please clarify these, as well as many other components of the RFP specs that are not pharmacy related?

Answer: The pharmacy provider will need to collaborate with the medical provider in order to maintain quality of care.