



*Delaware Health
And Social Services*

DIVISION OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

PROCUREMENT

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HSS 14 059

YOUNG ADULT RESIDENTIAL OPIATE TREATMENT PROGRAM

FOR

DIVISION OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH

Date Due: December 15, 2014

11:00AM

ADDENDUM # 1

Please Note:

THE ATTACHED SHEETS HEREBY BECOME A PART OF THE ABOVE
MENTIONED BID. Addendum #1 Questions and Answers

PLEASE NOTE RFP NUMBER HAS BEEN CORRECTED TO READ HSS-14-059

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PRE-BID QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

RFP HSS-14-059

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1. Regulations: Transitioning to the new regulations; should we base it on this RFP or the new regulations?

Staffing and program design should be submitted as described in the RFP.

2. Does DSAMH have a (grant) budget for start-up costs? (PG 22)

There is funding for specific startup costs. The amount and purpose may need to be negotiated.

3. Does DSAMH have a budget for services to uninsured persons and those not covered by Medicaid?

Yes, DSAMH funds the treatment services for the uninsured and the room and board costs for all persons less the co-pay resulting from the application of the sliding fee scale. All services require prior authorization.

4. Are the rates indicated within the RFP applicable to Medicaid covered persons? What about those covered by insurance? (PG 22)

The rates in the RFP are applicable to Medicaid Fee for Service and DSAMH funded clients. DSAMH will not be responsible for any deficit incurred if lower rates are negotiated with other insurance companies.

5. With respect to services to be provided under the Medicaid fee-for-services program; who (organization) will pay for the per-diem medical portion? (PG 22)

Successful vendor will be required to enroll as a Medicaid Fee for Service Provider and enroll with both MCO's to be on their provider panels. DSAMH will provide prior authorizations for the uninsured and the Fee for Service Medicaid clients.

6. Same with respect to the room & board portion. (PG 22)

DSAMH is responsible for room and board for any individual in this contracted program less any co-pay resulting from the application of the sliding fee scale. Prior approval for DSAMH to cover room and board charges for insured clients is required.

7. With respect to services provided via Medicaid MCO provider panels, who will pay for the per-diem medical portion? (PG 22)

The successful vendor will be required to enroll with both MCO's to be on their provider panels and the MCO will provide payment as negotiated.

8. Same with respect to the room & board portion. (PG 22)

DSAMH is responsible for room and board for any individual in this contracted program less any co-pay resulting from the application of the sliding fee scale. Prior approval for DSAMH to cover room and board charges for insured clients is required

9. When are school districts responsible for payments? (PG 24)

This is standard boilerplate language and is not applicable to this program

10. Is the program expected to be located within a particular geography?

Two programs are indicated in this RFP, one to be funded this fiscal year and a second to be funded in next fiscal year pending State budgetary approval. The first can be located anywhere in the State; the second is contingent on the location of the first.

NOTE: THIS REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL HAS BEEN ASSIGNED AN UPDATED NUMBER. ALL FUTURE COMMUNICATION/PROPOSALS SHOULD REFERENCE HSS-14-059 INSTEAD OF HSS 14-032