



Fulton County, GA

Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance

*Cecil S. Moore, CPPO, CPPB, CPSM, C.P.M., A.P.P
Director*

Date: March 28, 2011

Re: 11CT77917YA Drug and Alcohol Substance Abuse Testing

Dear Quoter(s):

Attached is one (1) copy of Addendum 1, hereby made a part of the above referenced **11CT77917YA Drug and Alcohol Substance Abuse Testing.**

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions in the quote referenced above remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Towns

**Carolyn Towns
Procurement Officer**

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Addendum No. 1
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This Addendum forms a part of the contract documents and **modifies** the original quote documents as noted below:

**The most frequently asked questions from the previous RFQ # 11CT77600YA
Drug and Alcohol Substance Abuse Testing**

Question: Are bidders expected to provide a total price for each requested services/pricing line item or is there a way to submit itemized pricing (unbundled pricing) based on fees for services as needed/requested?

For example

collection services, drug test, MRO review (positive result)

collection services, drug test, no MRO review (negative result)

Response: No – we expect a price for each drug test and a price for each alcohol test.

Question: Are we able to add additional pricing line items?

For example:

litigation assistance.

collection services at a subcontracted collection site.

Response: No we only expect the bidder to list the price per test for drug and alcohol test.

Question: Please confirm that the requested body fluid testing is urine testing

Response: Confirmed.

Question: Please confirm that Fulton County needs positive only MRO review and understands that laboratories are not permitted (by law) to provide MRO services.

Response: Confirmed.

Question: Please identify your current provider of drug and alcohol testing services and current pricing.

Response: Sequential Management Group, Inc.
Pricing per drug test \$35.00
Pricing per alcohol test \$28.50

Question: SAMHSA/NIDA certification is very expensive. Most laboratories and all small labs can't afford this certification. Although most drug testing procedures are SAMHSA approved, having SAMHSA certification is not the same thing. Can a lab perform SAMHSA approved testing and only send out positive test to a Subcontracted SAMHSA laboratory?

Response: The laboratory must be certified and only use procedures approved by the SAMHSA. The sub-contractor will be subject to the same requirements as the primary contractor.

Question: For the Body Fluid test....is that for alcohol?

Response: No, it is for substance abuse detection.

Question: Is there a certain type of machine expected for the Breath alcohol or can we use whatever we have that detects breathe alcohol?

Response: An evidential breath testing (EBT) device or alcohol screening device (ASD). The testing device must be listed on the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's (NHTSA) list.

For additional information regarded this addendum, contact Carolyn Towns, Procurement Officer (404) 612 4208.

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Failure to return a signed copy of this addendum could render you quote non-responsive.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1

The undersigned proposer acknowledges receipt of this addendum by returning one (1) copy of this form with the proposal package to the Purchasing Department, Fulton County Public Safety Building, 130 Peachtree Street, Suite 1168, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 by the quote due date and time **Friday, April 01, 2011 2:00 P.M. legal local prevailing time.**

This is to acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 1, _____ day of _____, 2011.

Legal Name of Bidder

Signature of Authorized Representative

Title