

SOLICITATION No.: 1000186271,
Amendment No.: 01

Amendment 01 is issued for the following purpose:

1. Respond to questions submitted;
2. Modify criteria R3 of the Point-rated Technical Criteria.
3. Extend the date of bid closing to June 16, 2017

1. QUESTIONS

Question 1

What specific conditions would you like to have validated?

Answer 1

The chronic diseases to be validated will be determined through consultation between the contractor and PHAC Project Authorities following contract award and will be selected from the list of chronic diseases provided in the Statement of Work included as Annex A of the RFP. The first two tasks in the Statement of Work describe how the priority chronic diseases will be identified.

Question 2

Is the validation of a particular condition to occur once in the four year time period or more than once in the time period?

Answer 2

It is anticipated that a particular condition would be validated once in the four year time period.

Question 3

Is validation to take place in one province only and results for implementation to be disseminated to other provinces? Or should validation occur in both provinces involved?

Answer 3

As indicated in task nine of the Statement of Work, the validation should occur in both/all provinces and/or territories involved. The overall plan to identify and address the priority conditions will be refined as part of the project.

Question 4

When is this expected to take place, i.e. start date?

Answer 4

The project will commence following contract award. The start date is expected to be in July 2017.

Question 5

If additional provinces were added to participate would additional funds be available?

Answer 5

The \$500,000.00 indicated under Estimated Value in the Tender Notice on Buyandsell is the total of the funds available for the contract. .

Question 6

Is there an incumbent? If there is, would you please share the duration and value of the contract?

Answer 6

There is no incumbent providing the services described in the SOW of the RFP.

Question 7

How many examples are required in order to be compliant with M2 and to gain points for R2?

Answer 7

A bidder will have to provide one example in order to be compliant with Mandatory criteria M2. In order to gain the maximum points possible for R2 the bidder will have to provide three examples in addition to the one provided for M2

2. POINT-RATED TECHNICAL CRITERIA R3

Criteria R3 is deleted and replaced with the following:

| R3 Project Lead Experience | Maximum Points Possible | Bidder Score | Cross-Reference to bid (indicate page #) |
|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| <p>The Bidder should demonstrate experience of the proposed Project Lead resource leading project teams conducting environmental scans and validation studies of chronic diseases in Canadian jurisdictions.</p> <p>Experience should be demonstrated through descriptions of up to three (3) projects requiring environmental scans and validation studies led by the proposed resource. 10 points will be awarded if one of the described projects involved two (2) or more provincial or territorial jurisdictions.</p> | 25 | /25 | |
| R3 Project Lead Experience | | | Allocation of Points |
| R3 will be evaluated and points awarded as follows | | | |
| Additional examples not provided | | | 0 Points |
| One (1) example provided | | | 5 Points |
| Two (2) examples provided | | | 10 Points |
| Three (3) examples provided | | | 15 Points |
| 1 Project involved two or more provincial or territorial jurisdictions | | | 10 Points |

3. BID CLOSING

Delete May 31, 2017 and replace with June 16, 2017 at A4. BID CLOSING DATE and A10. BID DELIVERY on page 1 of the RFP.

All other terms and conditions of the RFP remain the same.