



**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
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**RM-09-IFB-0182-BY0-DJC for MEDICAL WASTE EQUIPMENT/SUPPLIES
INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE (1)**

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

This Amendment is in two parts.

PART I Questions and Answers generated by a Bidder.

PART II Amends the Date and Time of Submission of this Invitation for Bid (IFB)

PART I

Question Number	IFB Section	Question
1.	B.5	Since the Ultra Tech, Inc. item #1575 medical waste container has been discontinued by the manufacturer, can a vendor substitute this item for a step on medical waste basket that is similar in appearance and size?
DMH RESPONSE: The requirements of the Invitation for Bid are stated as Brand Name or Equivalent as depicted in Section B.5 CLIN 0002.		
Question Number	IFB Section	Question
2.	C.6	Are extended warranties required for all CLIN? If so to what extent? If not all items, which items require the extended warranty and for what length of time is DMH looking for the extended warranty, at a minimum?
DMH RESPONSE: Extended Warranties are required for all Contract Line Item Numbers (CLIN). The Extended Warranty should be above and beyond the Manufacturers Warranty.		
Question Number	IFB Section	Question
3.	N/A	Is DMH looking for the vendor to provide storage for these items for any specific length of time? If so, how long?
DMH RESPONSE: DMH may have a need for the Vendor to store items. There is no specific length of time.		

END OF PART 1

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Medical Waste Equipment/Supplies

PART II

The above referenced IFB is hereby amended as follows:

**THE NEW CLOSING DATE SHALL BE NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2009
12:00 PM EST.**

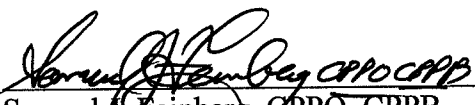
END OF PART II

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) REMAIN UNCHANGED.

Only one copy of this amendment is being sent to prospective Bidders. Bidders shall sign below and attach a signed copy of this amendment to each Bid to be submitted to the place specified for receipt of Bids. Bids shall be mailed or delivered in accordance with the instructions provided in the original IFB. In the event your Bid has been previously deposited with the Department of Mental Health, Contracts and Procurement Administration (DMH/CPA), submit this signed Amendment in a sealed envelope, identified on the outside by the IFB number and submission date. This signed Amendment must be received by the DMH/CPA no later than the date and time for closing.

Failure to acknowledge receipt of Amendment One (1) for Solicitation Number RM-09-IFB-0182-BY0-DJC may be cause for rejection of any proposal submitted in response to the subject IFB.

Signed:



Samuel J. Feinberg, CPPO, CPPB
Director, Contracts and Procurement
Agency Chief Contracting Officer

Amendment Number One (1) is hereby acknowledged and is considered a part of the bid for Solicitation Number RM-09-IFB-0182-BY0-DJC

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Title of Authorized Representative

Print or Type Name of Offeror