



**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATION**

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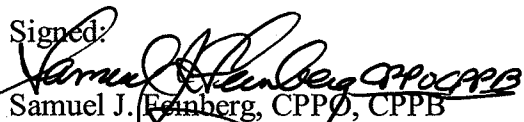
**REQUEST FOR QUOTE NUMBER RM-10-RFQ-009-BY4-RKG
FOR OPTICAL SERVICES AT SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL
AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO (2)**

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE OFFERORS:

Question No.	RFP Section	Question
1	Section C.4.1	In item C.4.1 you state that "personnel and subcontractors who provide the above services maintain active professional license(s) that is in compliance with all federal, state, and local licensing requirements for the practice of Optometry." Very few optometrists are proficient in dispensing glasses. An optometrist would have an optician handle eyeglass dispensing duties.
<p>DMH RESPONSE: Section C.4.1 – The word Optometry in the statement is hereby corrected to read “Ophthalmology,” as follows:</p> <p>C.4.1 ENSURE THAT ITS PERSONNELL AND SUBCONTRACTORS WHO PROVIDE THE ABOVE LISTED SERVICES, MAINTAIN ACTIVE PROFESSIONAL LICENSE(S) THAT IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL LICENSING REQUIREMENS FOR THE PRACTICE OF OPHTHALMOLOGY.</p>		

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2	Section B.1 through B.5 and C.3	Asking for clarification on the definition of "reading glasses", in section B-1 through B-5, and in C-3 of the solicitation. Are they single vision prescription reading glasses or over-the counter reading glasses? If "reading glasses" are over-the-counter reading glasses, are we expected to provide repairs to them as well?												
<p>DMH RESPONSE: There shall not be Over The Counter Reading Glasses for this Solicitation; therefore there is no expectation to provide repairs for them. The Schedule B Pricing for B.1 through B.5, Pages 3 through 7, Item Number 0003 is corrected to read Pairs of Prescription Reading Glasses as follows:</p>														
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<p>DMH RESPONSE: Section C.3 is hereby corrected to read:</p>														
<p>C.3 <u>SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS</u></p>														
<p>The Contractor shall provide prescription eyewear as prescribed by the Saint Elizabeths Hospital Ophthalmologist. The services shall include prescription eyewear, bifocals and prescription reading glasses. The services shall also include eyewear repair.</p>														
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Only one copy of this amendment is being sent to prospective Offerors. Offerors shall sign below and attach a signed copy of this amendment to each quote to be submitted to the place specified for receipt of quotes. Quotes shall be mailed or delivered in accordance with the instructions provided in the original RFQ. In the event your Quote 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 RFQ 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-10-RFQ-009-BY4-RKG** may be cause for rejection of any quote submitted in response to the subject RFQ.

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 quote for Solicitation Number **RM-10-RFQ-009-BY4-RKG**.

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Title of Authorized Representative

Print or Type Name of Offeror