Issue Date: March 10, 2017

#### **INVITATION FOR BIDS #Y17-1029-DG**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, henceforth referred to as the County is accepting sealed bids for:

# HEALTH INSURANCE SERVICES FOR THE RYAN WHITE PART A PROGRAM TERM CONTRACT

Sealed bid offers in an **original** and **three** (3) **copies** for furnishing the above will be accepted up to 2:00 PM (local time), Tuesday, April 11, 2017, in the Procurement Division, Internal Operations Centre II, 400 E. South Street, 2nd Floor, Orlando, FL 32801.

Copies of the bid documents may be obtained from the Orange County Procurement Division at the above address. Copies may be requested by phoning (407) 836-5635 or by download from the Internet at:

http://apps.ocfl.net/orangebids/bidopen.asp

Carrie Woodell, MPA, CFCM, CPPO, C.P.M. Manager, Procurement Division

#### **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

To ensure that your bid is responsive, you are urged to request clarification or guidance on any issues involving this solicitation before submission of your response. Your point-of-contact for this solicitation is Dorothy Gordon, Senior Purchasing Agent at <a href="mailto:Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net">Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net</a>.

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#### **GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

# 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

These specifications constitute the complete set of requirements and bid forms. The bid response page(s), and all forms listed on the bid response page(s) shall be completed, signed, and sealed in an envelope bearing the bid number on the outside and mailed or presented to the Procurement Division on or before the specified time and date. Failure to comply with the preceding requirements shall result in the rejection of the bid.

Bids submitted by e-mail, telephone or fax shall not be accepted. An e-mailed or a faxed bid shall be rejected as non-responsive regardless of where it is received.

It is the sole responsibility of the Bidder to ensure that their bid reaches the Procurement Division. All bids, unless otherwise specified, must be delivered to the following address no later than the time and date specified in the solicitation:

Procurement Division Internal Operations Centre II 400 E. South Street, 2nd Floor Orlando, FL 32801

Bidders are cautioned that they are responsible for delivery to the specific location cited above. Therefore, if your bid is delivered by an express mail carrier or by any other means, it is your responsibility to ensure delivery to the above address. This office will not be responsible for deliveries made to any place other than the specified address.

The County shall not be responsible for delays caused by any occurrence. The time/date stamp clock located in the Procurement Division shall serve as the official authority to determine lateness of any bid. The bid time shall be scrupulously observed. Under no circumstances shall bids delivered after the time specified be considered. Late bids will be returned to the Bidder unopened. The decision to refuse to consider a bid that was received beyond the date/time established in the solicitation shall not be the basis for a protest pursuant to the Orange County Code (Procurement Ordinance).

All bids must be typewritten or filled in with pen and ink, and must be signed in ink by an officer or employee having authority to bind the company or firm. Errors, corrections, or changes on any document must be initialed by the signatory of the bid.

Bidders shall not be allowed to modify their bids after the opening time and date. Bid files may be examined during normal working hours, thirty (30) days after bid opening or upon recommendation for award, whichever occurs first. Bidders desiring to view these documents are urged to schedule an appointment.

For information concerning this bid, please contact the Procurement Division at the address listed above or by calling 407-836-5635. Please specify the bid number for which you are inquiring.

#### 2. QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS SOLICITATION

All questions or concerns regarding this Invitation for Bids shall be submitted by email to <a href="Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net">Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net</a>, no later than 5:00 PM Monday, April 3, 2017 to the attention of Dorothy Gordon, Procurement Division, referencing the IFB number. When required the Procurement Division shall issue an addendum to the Invitation for Bids. The addendum shall be available on the Internet for access by potential Bidders. Bidders are instructed not to contact the initiating division directly. No oral interpretation of this Invitation for Bids shall be considered binding. The County shall be bound by information and statements only when such statements are written and executed under the authority of the Manager, Procurement Division.

This provision exists solely for the convenience and administrative efficiency of Orange County. No Bidder or other third party gains any rights by virtue of this provision or the application thereof, nor shall any Bidder or third party have any standing to sue or cause of action arising there from.

# 3. FEDERAL AND STATE TAX

The County is exempt from Federal and State Sales and Use Taxes for tangible personal property (Certificate of Registry for tax transactions under Chapter 32, Internal Revenue Code and Florida Sales/Use Tax Exemption Certificate). The Manager, Procurement Division will sign an exemption certificate submitted by the Contractor.

Contractors doing business with the County shall not be exempted from paying sales tax to their suppliers for materials to fulfill contractual obligations with the County, nor shall any Contractor be authorized to use the County's Tax Exemption Number in securing such materials.

### 4. ACCEPTANCE/REJECTION/CANCELLATION

The County reserves the right to accept or to reject any or all bids and to make the award to that bidder who, in the opinion of the County, will be in the best interest of and/or the most advantageous to the County. The County also reserves the right to reject the bid of any bidder who has previously failed in the proper performance of an award or to deliver on time contracts of a similar nature or who, in the County's opinion, is not in a position to perform properly under this award. The County reserves the right to inspect all facilities of bidders in order to make a determination as to the foregoing. The County reserves the right to waive any irregularities and technicalities and may, at its discretion, request a rebid. Award will be made to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder as determined by the County.

The County reserves the right, and the Manager, Procurement Division has absolute and sole discretion, to cancel a solicitation at any time prior to approval of the award by the Board of County Commissioners when such approval is required. The decision to cancel a solicitation cannot be the basis for a protest pursuant to the Orange County Code.

# 5. NO BID

Where more than one item is listed, any items not bid upon shall be indicated as "NO BID".

# 6. <u>CONFLICT OF INTEREST</u>

The award is subject to provisions of applicable State Statutes and County Ordinances. All bidders must disclose with their bid the name of any officer, director, or agent who is also an employee of Orange County. Further, all bidders must disclose the name of any County employee who owns, directly or indirectly, an interest of ten percent (10%) or more in the Bidder's firm or any of its branches. Should the Contractor permanently or temporarily hire any County employee who is, or has been, directly involved with the Contractor prior to or during performance of the resulting contract, the contract shall be subject to immediate termination by the County.

# 7. LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

All applicable Federal and State laws and County ordinances that in any manner affect the items covered herein apply. Lack of knowledge by the Bidder shall in no way be a cause for relief from responsibility.

- A. Contractors doing business with the County are prohibited from discriminating against any employees, applicant, or client because of race, religion, color, disability, national origin, gender, or age with regard to but not limited to the following: employment practices, rates of pay or other compensation methods, and training selection.
- B. Businesses wishing to participate in the County procurement process as an Orange County Certified M/WBE firm are required to complete a certification application to attain recognition as such. You may contact the Procurement Division or the Business Development Division for information and assistance.

#### 8. MISTAKES

In the event of extension error(s), the unit price will prevail and the Bidder's total offer will be corrected accordingly. In the event of addition errors, the extended totals will prevail and the Bidder's total will be corrected accordingly.

Bidders must check their bid where applicable. Failure to do so will be at the Bidder's risk. Bids having erasures or corrections must be initialed in ink by the Bidder.

#### 9. AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

The obligations of the County under this award are subject to the availability of funds lawfully appropriated for its purpose by the State of Florida and the Orange County Board of County Commissioners, or other specified funding source for this procurement.

# 10. <u>EEO STATEMENT</u>

It is hereby declared that equal opportunity and nondiscrimination shall be the County's policy intended to assure equal opportunities to every person, regardless of race, religion, sex, sexual orientation and gender expression/identity, color, age, disability or national origin, in securing or holding employment in a field of work or labor for which the person is qualified, as provided by Section 17-314 of the Orange County Code and the County Administrative Regulations.

Further, the Contractor shall abide by the following provisions:

- A. The Contractor shall represent that the Contractor has adopted and maintains a policy of nondiscrimination as defined by applicable County ordinance throughout the term of this contract.
- B. The Contractor shall allow reasonable access to all business and employment records for the purpose of ascertaining compliance with the non-discrimination provision of the contract.

The provisions of the prime contract shall be incorporate by the Contractor into the contracts of any applicable subcontractors.

# 11. BID TABULATION AND RESULTS

Bid tabulations shall be available thirty (30) days after opening on the Orange County website at: <a href="http://apps.ocfl.net/orangebids/bidresults/results.asp">http://apps.ocfl.net/orangebids/bidresults/results.asp</a>, or upon notice of intended action, whichever is sooner.

# 12. BID FORMS

All bids must be submitted on the County's standard Bid Response Form. Bids on Bidder's quotation forms shall not be accepted.

# 13. RECIPROCAL PREFERENCE

In the event the lowest responsive and responsible bid submitted in response to any Invitation for Bids is by a bidder whose principal place of business is in a county other than Orange County, and such county grants a bid preference for purchases to a bidder whose principal place of business is in such county, then Orange County may award a preference to the (next) lowest responsive and responsible bidder having a principal place of business within Orange County, Florida. Such preference will be equal to the preference granted by the county in which the lowest responsive and responsible bidder has its principal place of business **except as provided below.** 

- 1. Effective July 1, 2015 the reciprocal local preference will not apply to construction services in which 50 percent or more of the cost will be paid from state-appropriated funds which have been appropriated at the time of the competitive solicitation.
- 2. If the solicitation involves a federally funded project where the funding source requirements prohibit the use of state and/or local preferences, the reciprocal local preference will not be applied.

# 14. POSTING OF RECOMMENDED AWARD AND PROTESTS

The recommended award will be posted for review by interested parties at the Procurement Division and at:

http://apps.ocfl.net/OrangeBids/AwardsRec/default.asp prior to submission through the appropriate approval process and will remain posted for a period of five (5) full business days.

 Orange County Lobbyist Regulations General Information <a href="http://www.orangecountyfl.net/OpenGovernment/LobbingAtOrangeCounty.aspx">http://www.orangecountyfl.net/OpenGovernment/LobbingAtOrangeCounty.aspx</a>

A lobbying blackout period shall commence upon issuance of the solicitation until the Board selects the Contractor. For procurements that do not require Board approval, the blackout period commences upon solicitation issuance and concludes upon contract award.

The Board of County Commissioners may void any contract where the County Mayor, one or more County Commissioners, or a County staff person has been lobbied in violation of the black-out period restrictions of Ordinance No. 2002-15.

Orange County Protest Procedures
 <a href="http://www.orangecountyfl.net/VendorServices/VendorProtestProcedures.aspx">http://www.orangecountyfl.net/VendorServices/VendorProtestProcedures.aspx</a>

Failure to file a protest with the Manager, Procurement Division by 5:00 PM on the fifth full business day after posting, shall constitute a waiver of bid protest proceedings.

# 15. BID AND RELATED COSTS

By submission of a bid, the Bidder agrees that any and all costs associated with the preparation of the bid will be the sole responsibility of the Bidder. The Bidder also agrees that the County shall bear no responsibility for any costs associated with the preparation of the bid including but not limited to any administrative or judicial proceedings resulting from the solicitation process.

#### 16. CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT

This Invitation for Bids shall be included and incorporated in the final contract or purchase order. The order of contract precedence will be the contract (purchase order), bid document, and response. Any and all legal actions associated with this Invitation for Bids and/or the resultant contract (purchase order) shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida. Venue for any litigation involving this contract shall be the Ninth Circuit Court in and for Orange County, Florida.

# 17. PUBLIC ENTITY CRIME

Section 287.133(3)(d), Florida Statutes, provides that the Florida Department of Management Services shall maintain a list of the names and addresses of those who have been disqualified from participating in the public contracting process under this section.

http://www.dms.myflorida.com/business\_operations/state\_purchasing/vendor information/convicted suspended discriminatory complaints vendor lists/convicted vendor list

A person or affiliate who has been placed on The Convicted Vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime shall not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, shall not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, shall not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with a public entity, and shall not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Florida Statute Section 287.017, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date of being placed on The Convicted Vendor List.

# 18. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE FORM

The Drug-Free Workplace Form is attached and shall be completed and submitted with your bid.

# 19. **SUBCONTRACTING**

Bidders subcontracting any portion of the work shall state name and address of subcontractor and the name of the person to be contacted on the attached "Schedule of Subcontractors Form".

# 20. CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORM

Bidder shall complete the Conflict of Interest Form attached hereto and submit it with their bid.

# 21. ETHICS COMPLIANCE

The following forms are included in this solicitation and shall be completed and submitted as indicated below:

- A. **Orange County Specific Project Expenditure Report** -The purpose of this form is to document any expenses incurred by a lobbyist for the purposes described in **Section 2-351**, **Orange County Code**. This form shall be completed and submitted with all bid responses to an Orange County solicitation. Any questions concerning this form shall be addressed to the purchasing agent identified in the applicable solicitation.
- B. Relationship Disclosure Form The purpose of this form is to document any relationships between a bidder to an Orange County solicitation and the Mayor or any other member of the Orange County Board of County Commissioners. This form shall be completed and submitted with the applicable bid to an Orange County solicitation.

No contract award shall be made unless these forms have been completed and submitted with the bid. Any questions concerning these forms shall be addressed to the purchasing agent identified in this solicitation. Also, a listing of the most frequently asked questions concerning these forms is attached to each for your information.

# 22. SUBMISSION OF BID

The bid must be mailed or hand delivered in a sealed envelope to:

### ORANGE COUNTY PROCUREMENT DIVISION

Internal Operations Centre II 400 E. South Street, 2nd Floor Orlando, Florida 32801

# Bidders must indicate on the sealed envelope the following:

- A. Invitation for Bids Number
- B. Hour and Date of Opening
- C. Name of Bidder

Bids received after the time, date, and/or at the location specified, due to failure to identify the envelope with the above information shall be rejected.

# 23. COPIES

Copies of documents, records, materials, and/or reproductions requests will be charged in accordance with Orange County's fee schedule. Copyrighted materials may be inspected, but cannot be copied or reproduced per Federal law.

# 24. PROPRIETARY/RESTRICTIVE SCOPE OF WORK/SERVICES

If a prospective bidder considers the scope of work/services contained herein to be proprietary or restrictive in nature, thus potentially resulting in reduced competition, they are urged to contact the Procurement Division <u>prior</u> to bid opening. Specifications which are unrelated to performance will be considered for deletion via addendum to this Invitation for Bids.

# 25. ASSISTANCE WITH SCOPE OF WORK/SERVICES

Any prospective bidder who assisted the County in developing or writing the scope of work/services contained herein are requested to so note such on the bid response page.

#### 26. PAYMENT TERMS/DISCOUNTS

The County's payment terms are in accordance with Florida Statute 218, Local Government Prompt Payment Act. Cash discounts for prompt payment shall not be considered in determining the lowest net cost for bid evaluation purposes.

#### 27. PATENTS AND ROYALTIES

Unless otherwise provided, the Contractor shall be solely responsible for obtaining the right to use any patented or copyrighted materials in the performance of the contract resulting from this Invitation for Bids.

The Contractor, without exception, shall indemnify and save harmless the County and its employees from liability of any nature or kind, including cost and expenses for or on account of any copyrighted, patented, or unpatented invention, process, or article manufactured or supplied by the Contractor. In the

event of any claim against the County of copyright or patent infringement, the County shall promptly provide written notification to the Contractor. If such a claim is made, the Contractor shall use its best efforts to promptly purchase for the County any infringing products or services or procure a license, at no cost to the County, which will allow continued use of the service or product.

If none of the alternatives are reasonably available, the County agrees to return the article on request to the Contractor and receive reimbursement, if any, as may be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction.

# 28. INDEMNIFICATION

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the County, its officials, agents, and employees from and against any and all claims, suits, judgments, demands, liabilities, damages, cost and expenses including attorney's fees of any kind or nature whatsoever arising directly or indirectly out of or caused in whole or in part by any act or omission of the Contractor or its subcontractors, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable; excepting those acts or omissions arising out of the sole negligence of the County.

# 29. CLARIFICATIONS

It is the Bidder's responsibility to become familiar with and fully informed regarding the terms, conditions and specifications of this Invitation for Bids. Lack of understanding and/or misinterpretation of any portions of this Invitation for Bids shall not be cause for withdrawal of your bid after opening or for subsequent protest of award. Bidder's must contact the Procurement Division, at the phone number on the bid cover sheet **prior** to bid opening, should clarification be required.

Modification or alteration of the documents contained in the solicitation or contract shall only be valid if mutually agreed to in writing by the Bidder and the County.

# 30. CERTIFICATION OF INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION

By submission of this bid, the Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, that in connection with this procurement:

- A. The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently, without consultation, collusion, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor.
- B. Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the Bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the Bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly to any other Bidder or to any competitor; and,
- C. No attempt has been made or shall be made by the Bidder to induce any other person or bidder to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

# 31. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

The County and the Contractor each binds itself and its partners, successors, executors, administrators, and assigns to the other party of this Contract and to the partners, successors, executors, administrators, and assigns of such other party, in respect to all covenants of this Contract. Except as above, neither the County nor the Contractor shall assign, sublet, convey or transfer its interest in this Contract without the written consent of the other. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of the County which may be a party hereto, nor shall it be construed as giving any rights or benefits hereunder to anyone other than the County and the Contractor.

### 32. PRICING/AUDIT

The Contractor shall establish and maintain a reasonable accounting system, which enables ready identification of Contractor's cost of goods and use of funds. Such accounting system shall also include adequate records and documents to justify all prices for all items invoiced as well as all charges, expenses and costs incurred in providing the services for at least five (5) years after completion of this contract. The County or its designee shall have access to such books, records, subcontract(s), financial operations, and documents of the Contractor or its subcontractors, as required to comply with this section for the purpose of inspection or audit anytime during normal business hours at the Contractor's place of business. This right to audit shall include the Contractor's subcontractors used to procure services under the contract with the County. Contractor shall ensure the County has these same rights with subcontractors and suppliers.

# 33. EMPLOYEES OF THE CONTRACTOR

All work under this contract shall be performed in a professional and skillful manner. The County may require, in writing, that the Contractor, remove from this contract any employee the County deems incompetent, careless, or otherwise objectionable.

# 34. TOBACCO FREE CAMPUS

All Orange County operations under the Board of County Commissioners shall be tobacco free. This policy shall apply to parking lots, parks, break areas and worksites. It is also applicable to Contractors and their personnel during contract performance on County owned property. Tobacco is defined as tobacco products including, but not limited to, cigars, cigarettes, e-cigarettes, pipes, chewing tobacco and snuff. Failure to abide by this policy may result in civil penalties levied under Chapter 386, Florida Statutes and/or contract enforcement remedies.

# 35. CONTRACT CLAIMS

"Claim" as used in this provision means a written demand or written assertion by one of the contracting parties seeking as a matter of right, the payment of a certain sum of money, the adjustment or interpretation of contract terms, or other relief arising under or relating to this contract.

Claims made by a Contractor against the County, relating to a particular contract shall be submitted to the Manager, Procurement Division in writing clearly labeled "Contract Claim" requesting a final decision. The Contractor also shall provide with the claim a certification as follows: "I certify that the claim is made in good faith; that the supporting data are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief; that the amount requested accurately reflects the contract adjustment for which the Contractor believes the County is liable; and that I am duly authorized to certify the claim on behalf of the Contractor."

# Failure to document a claim in this manner shall render the claim null and void. No claim shall be accepted after final payment of the contract.

The decision of the Manager, Procurement Division shall be issued in writing and furnished to the Contractor. The decision shall state the reasons for the decision reached. The Manager, Procurement Division shall render the final decision within sixty (60) days after receipt of Contractor's written request for a final decision. The Manager, Procurement Division decision shall be final and conclusive.

The Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of this contract pending final resolution of any request for relief, claim, appeal or action arising under the contract and shall comply with any final decision rendered by the Manager, Procurement Division.

# 36. <u>VERIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT STATUS</u>

Prior to the employment of any person under this contract, the Contractor shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the Contractor during the contract term, and an express requirement that Contractors include in such subcontracts the requirement that subcontractors performing work or providing services pursuant to the state contract utilize the E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the subcontractor during the contract term. For more information on this process, please refer to United States Citizenship and Immigration Service site at:

http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis.

# Only those employees determined eligible to work within the United States shall be employed under this contract.

By submission of a bid in response to this solicitation, the Contractor affirms that all employees in the above categories shall undergo e-verification before placement on this contract. The Contractor shall commit to comply with this requirement by completing the E-Verification certification, attached to this solicitation.

#### 37. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

In accordance with Chapter 119 of the Florida Statutes (Public Records Law), and except as may be provided by other applicable State or Federal Law, all proposers should be aware that Invitation for Bids and the responses thereto are in the public domain. Bidders must identify specifically any information contained

in their response which they consider confidential and/or proprietary and which they believe to be exempt from disclosure, **citing specifically the applicable exempting law**. If a Bidder fails to cite the applicable exempting law, we will treat the information as public.

# 38. FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS

In the event this Contract is paid in whole or in part from any federal government agency or source, the specific terms, regulations and requirements governing the disbursement of these funds shall be specified herein and become a part of this clause.

All Contracts in excess of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) shall comply with all the requirements of Section 114 of the Clean Air Act (42 USC 7401 et seq.) as amended and Section 308 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 USC 1251 et seq.) as amended.

# 39. PUBLIC RECORDS COMPLIANCE

Orange County is a public agency subject to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. The Contractor agrees to comply with Florida's Public Records Law. Specifically, the Contractor shall:

- 1. Keep and maintain public records required by Orange County to perform the service.
- 2. Upon request from Orange County's custodian of public records, provide Orange County with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in this chapter or as otherwise provided by law.
- Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from the public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the contract term and following completion of the contract if the Contractor does not transfer the records to Orange County.
- 4. Upon completion of the contract, Contractor agrees to transfer at no cost to Orange County all public records in possession of the Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by Orange County to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public record to Orange County upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the contract, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to Orange County, upon request from Orange County's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of Orange County.

- 5. A Contractor who fails to provide the public records to Orange County within a reasonable time may be subject to penalties under section 119.10, Florida Statutes.
- 6. IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

Procurement Public Records Liaison 400 E. South Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Orlando, FL 32801 ProcurementRecords@ocfl.net, 407-836-5897

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

# 1. **QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS**

This bid shall be awarded to a responsible, responsive bidder, qualified by experience to provide the work specified. The Bidder shall submit the following information with the bid:

- A. List at least four references, with a minimum of three being from a Ryan White Part A or B recipient, for which the firm has performed similar work including location, dates of contract, names, addresses, email addresses and telephone numbers of owners by completing the attached reference sheets.
- B. Comprehensive resumes of the staff anticipated to perform the services as defined in the Scope of Services, who are licensed insurance brokers in the State of Florida and have experience conducting insurance broker services for Ryan White program recipients.

# Failure to submit the above requested information may be cause for rejection of your bid.

The determination on whether a bidder is responsible or not shall be at the sole discretion of the County. Although the County may request the submission of a minimum number of contracts similar to the requirements of this solicitation with certain minimum dimensions, quantities, dollar values, etc., the County's determination of a bidder's responsibility shall not be solely based on the number of similar procurements the bidder provides but the entirety of the bidder's qualifications.

# 2. CERTIFICATION/LICENSE

Bidder shall hold Certificate of Competency and show proof by submission of a copy of the certificate and license with the bid submission as a State of Florida or Orange county Certified Contractor. The Certificate of Competency shall be in the name of the Contractor shown on the Bid Response Page.

#### 3. BID ACCEPTANCE PERIOD

A bid shall constitute an irrevocable offer for a period of ninety (90) days from the bid opening date or until the date of award. In the event that an award is not made by the County within ninety (90) days from the bid opening date, the Bidder may withdraw their bid or provide a written extension of their bid.

# 4. AWARD

Award shall be made on an "All-or-None Total Estimated Bid" basis to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder. If the Bidder fails to respond, they will be considered non-responsive.

#### 5. POST AWARD MEETING

Within **two** (2) days after receipt of notification of award of bid, Contractor shall meet with the County's representative(s) to discuss job procedures and scheduling.

# 6. PERFORMANCE

Timely performance is of the essence in the award of this Invitation for Bids. Performance shall be no later than seven (7) calendar days from receipt of delivery order. Bids which fail to meet this requirement shall be rejected.

It is hereby understood and mutually agreed to by and between parties hereto that the time of performance is an essential condition of this contract.

Should the Contractor neglect, fail or refuse to provide the services within the time herein specified, then said Contractor does hereby agree as part of the consideration for the awarding of this contract, to pay Orange County the sum extended by the County to contract for like services approved by the Procurement Division for the period from the required scheduled commencement date until performance of services covered in the Invitation for Bids is completed.

The Contractor shall, within  $\underline{two}$  (2) calendar days from the beginning of such delay, notify the Manager, Procurement Division in writing of the cause(s) of the delay.

# 7. TERMINATION

### A. Termination for Default:

The County may, by written notice to the Contractor terminate this contract for default in whole or in part (delivery orders, if applicable) if the Contractor fails to:

- 1. Provide goods or services that comply with the specifications herein or fails to meet the County's performance standards
- 2. Deliver the goods or to perform the services within the time specified in this contract or any extension.
- 3. Make progress so as to endanger performance of this contract
- 4. Perform any of the other provisions of this contract.

Prior to termination for default, the County shall provide adequate written notice to the Contractor through the Manager, Procurement Division, affording the opportunity to cure the deficiencies or to submit a specific plan to resolve the deficiencies within ten (10) calendar days (or the period specified in the notice) after receipt of the notice. Failure to adequately cure the deficiency shall result in termination action. Such termination may also result in suspension or debarment of the Contractor in accordance with the County's Procurement Ordinance. The Contractor and its sureties (if any) shall be liable for any damage to the County resulting from the Contractor's default of the contract. This liability includes any increased costs incurred by the County in completing contract performance.

In the event of termination by the County for any cause, the Contractor shall have, in no event, any claim against the County for lost profits or compensation for lost opportunities. After a receipt of a Termination Notice and except as otherwise directed by the County the Contractor shall:

- 1. Stop work on the date and to the extent specified.
- 2. Terminate and settle all orders and subcontracts relating to the performance of the terminated work
- 3. Transfer all work in process, completed work, and other materials related to the terminated work as directed by the County.
- 4. Continue and complete all parts of that work that have not been terminated.

If the Contractor's failure to perform the contract arises from causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor the contract shall not be terminated for default. Examples of such causes include (1) acts of God or the public enemy, (2) acts of a government in its sovereign capacity, (3) fires, (4) floods, (5) epidemics, (6) strikes and (7) unusually severe weather.

# B. <u>Termination for Convenience:</u>

The County, by written notice, may terminate this contract, in whole or in part, when it is in the County's interest. If this contract is terminated, the County shall be liable only for goods or services delivered and accepted. The County Notice of Termination shall provide the Contractor thirty (30) calendar days prior notice before it becomes effective. A termination for convenience may apply to individual delivery orders, purchase orders or to the contract in its entirety.

# 8. PAYMENT

Partial payments for the value of services rendered and accepted may be requested by the submission of a properly executed invoice, with supporting documents if required. Payment shall be made in accordance with Florida Statute 218, Local Government Prompt Payment Act. Payment for accepted services shall be accomplished by submission of an invoice, in duplicate, to:

Orange County Health Services 2002-A E. Michigan Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Orlando, Florida 32806 Phone (407) 836-7611

In the event additional County Departments or other public entities utilize this contract, invoices are to be sent directly to the Department or entity placing the order.

# 9. <u>INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS</u>

Vendor/Contractor agrees to maintain on a primary basis and at its sole expense, at all times throughout the duration of this contract the following types of insurance coverage with limits and on forms (including endorsements) as described herein. These requirements, as well as the County's review or acceptance of insurance maintained by Vendor/Contractor is not intended to and shall not in any manner limit or qualify the liabilities assumed by Vendor/Contractor under this contract. Vendor/Contractor is required to maintain any coverage required by federal and state workers' compensation or financial responsibility laws including but not limited to Chapter 324 and 440, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time.

The Vendor/Contractor shall require and ensure that each of its sub-Vendors/sub-Contractors providing services hereunder (if any) procures and maintains until the completion of their respective services, insurance of the types and to the limits specified herein.

Insurance carriers providing coverage required herein must be licensed to conduct business in the State of Florida and must possess a current A.M. Best's Financial Strength Rating of A- Class VIII or better.

(Note: State licenses can be checked via <a href="www.floir.com/companysearch/">www.floir.com/companysearch/</a> and A.M. Best Ratings are available at <a href="www.ambest.com">www.ambest.com</a>)

# Required Coverage:

Commercial General Liability - The Vendor/Contractor shall maintain coverage issued on the most recent version of the ISO form as filed for use in Florida or its equivalent, with a limit of liability of not less than \$500,000 per occurrence. Vendor/Contractor further agrees coverage shall not contain any endorsement(s) excluding or limiting Product/Completed Operations, Contractual Liability, or Separation of Insureds. The General Aggregate limit shall either apply separately to this contract or shall be at least twice the required occurrence limit.

#### Required Endorsements:

Additional Insured - CG 20 26 or CG 20 10/CG 20 37 or their equivalents.

Note: CG 20 10 must be accompanied by CG 20 37 to include products/completed operations

Waiver of Transfer of Rights of Recovery - CG 24 04 or its equivalent.

Note: If blanket endorsements are being submitted please include the entire endorsement and the applicable policy number.

Business Automobile Liability - The Vendor/Contractor shall maintain coverage for all owned; non-owned and hired vehicles issued on the most recent version of the ISO form as filed for use in Florida or its equivalent,

with limits of not less than \$500,000 (five hundred thousand dollars) per accident. In the event the Vendor/Contractor does not own automobiles the Vendor/Contractor shall maintain coverage for hired and non-owned auto liability, which may be satisfied by way of endorsement to the Commercial General Liability policy or separate Business Auto Liability policy.

Workers' Compensation - The Vendor/Contractor shall maintain coverage for its employees with statutory workers' compensation limits, and no less than \$100,000 each incident of bodily injury or disease for Employers' Liability. Elective exemptions as defined in Florida Statute 440 will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Any Vendor/Contractor using an employee leasing company shall complete the Leased Employee Affidavit.

# Required Endorsements:

- Waiver of Subrogation- WC 00 03 13 or its equivalent
- Professional Liability- with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence/claim

When a self-insured retention or deductible exceeds \$100,000 the COUNTY reserves the right to request a copy of Vendor/Contractor most recent annual report or audited financial statement. For policies written on a "Claims-Made" basis the Vendor/Contractor agrees to maintain a retroactive date prior to or equal to the effective date of this contract. In the event the policy is canceled, non-renewed, switched to occurrence form, or any other event which triggers the right to purchase a Supplemental Extended Reporting Period (SERP) during the life of this contract the Vendor/Contractor agrees to purchase the SERP with a minimum reporting period of not less than two years. Purchase of the SERP shall not relieve the Vendor/Contractor of the obligation to provide replacement coverage.

By entering into this contract Vendor/Contractor agrees to provide a waiver of subrogation or a waiver of transfer of rights of recovery, in favor of the County for the workers' compensation and general liability policies as required herein. When required by the insurer or should a policy condition not permit the Vendor/Contractor to enter into a pre-loss agreement to waive subrogation without an endorsement, then Vendor/Contractor agrees to notify the insurer and request the policy be endorsed with a Waiver of Subrogation or a Waiver of Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others endorsement.

Prior to execution and commencement of any operations/services provided under this contract the Vendor/Contractor shall provide the COUNTY with current certificates of insurance evidencing all required coverage. In addition to the certificate(s) of insurance the Vendor/Contractor shall also provide endorsements for each policy as specified above. All specific policy endorsements shall be in the name of the Orange County Board of County Commissioners.

For continuing service contracts renewal certificates shall be submitted immediately upon request by either the COUNTY or the COUNTY's contracted certificate compliance management firm. The certificates shall clearly indicate that the Vendor/Contractor has obtained insurance of the type, amount and classification as required for strict compliance with this insurance section. Vendor/Contractor shall notify the COUNTY not less than thirty (30) business days (ten business days for non-payment of premium) of any material change in or cancellation/non-renewal of insurance coverage. The Vendor/Contractor shall provide evidence of replacement coverage to maintain compliance with the aforementioned insurance requirements to the COUNTY or its certificate management representative five (5) business days prior to the effective date of the replacement policy (ies).

The certificate holder shall read:

Orange County Board of County Commissioners c/o Procurement Division 400 E. South Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Orlando, Florida 32801

# 10. CONTRACT TERM/RENEWAL

- A. The contract resulting from this Invitation for Bids shall commence effective upon issuance of a term contract by the County and extend for a period of twelve (12) month(s). The contract may be renewed for four (4) additional twelve (12) month periods, upon mutual agreement of both parties. If any such renewal results in changes in the terms and conditions, such changes shall be reduced to writing as an amendment to this contract and such amendment shall be executed by both parties.
- B. The initiating County department(s) shall issue delivery/purchase orders against the term contract on an "as needed" basis.
- C. If the quantity of a unit priced item in this contract is an estimated quantity and the actual quantities ordered are more than 50% above the estimated quantity, the County shall enter into negotiations with the Contractor for a lower unit price which shall be incorporated into the contract. Failure of the Contractor to agree to a reduced unit price may result in the termination of the contract and re-solicitation of the requirement.
- D. Any order issued during the effective period of this contract, but not completed within that period, shall be completed by the Contractor within the time specified in the order. The contract shall govern the Contractor's and the County's rights and obligations with respect to that order to the extent as if the order were completed during the contract performance period.

# 11. PRICE ESCALATION/DE-ESCALATION (CPI)

The County may allow a price escalation provision within this award.

The original contract prices shall be firm for the entirety of the initial (twelve month) contract period. A price escalation/de-escalation will be considered at the time of contract renewal and at 1-year intervals thereafter, provided the Contractor notifies the County, in writing, of the pending price escalation/de-escalation a minimum of sixty (60) days prior to the contract renewal date. Price adjustments shall be based on the latest version of the Consumers Price Index (CPI-U) for All Urban Consumers, All Items, U.S. City Average, non-seasonal, as published by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. This information is available at <a href="https://www.bls.gov">www.bls.gov</a>.

Price adjustment shall be calculated by applying the simple percentage model to the CPI data. This method is defined as subtracting the base period index value (at the time of initial award) from the index value at time of calculation (latest version of the CPI published as of the date of request for price adjustment), divided by the base period index value to identify percentage of change, then multiplying the percentage of change by 100 to identify the percentage change. Formula is as follows:

Current Index – Base Index / Base Index = % of Change

% of Change x 100 = **Percentage Change** 

# **CPI-U Calculation Example:**

CPI for current period	232.945
Less CPI for base period	229.815
Equals index point change	3.130
Divided by base period CPI	229.815
Equals	0.0136
Result multiplied by 100	0.0136 x 100
Equals percent change	1.4%

A price increase may be requested only at each time interval specified above, using the methodology outlined in this section. To request a price increase, Contractor shall submit a letter stating the percentage amount of the requested increase and adjusted price to the Orange County Procurement Division. The letter shall include the complete calculation utilizing the formula above, and a copy of the CPI-U index table used in the calculation. The maximum allowable increase shall not exceed 4%, unless authorized by the Manager, Procurement Division. If approved, the price adjustment shall become effective on the contract renewal date. All price adjustments must be accepted by the Manager, Procurement Division and shall be memorialized by written amendment to this contract. No retroactive contract price adjustments will be allowed.

Should the CPI-U for All Urban Consumers, All Items, U.S City Average, as published by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics decrease during the term of the contract, or any renewals, the Contractor shall notify the Orange County Procurement Division of price decreases in the method outlined

above. If approved, the price adjustment shall become effective on the contract renewal date. If the Contractor fails to pass the decrease on to the County, the County reserves the right to place the Contractor in default, cancel the award, and remove the Contractor from the County Vendor List for a period of time deemed suitable by the County. In the event of this occurrence, the County further reserves the right to utilize any options as stated herein.

# 12. USE OF CONTRACT BY OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

At the option of the Contractor, the use of the contract resulting from this solicitation may be extended to other governmental agencies, including the State of Florida, its agencies, political subdivisions, counties, and cities.

Each governmental agency allowed by the Contractor to use this contract shall do so independent of any other governmental entity. Each agency shall be responsible for its own purchases and shall be liable only for goods or services ordered, received and accepted. No agency receives any liability by virtue of this bid and subsequent contract award.

# 13. BID PREFERENCE

In accordance with the Minority Women Owned Business Enterprise (MWBE) Ordinance, award of a contract resulting from this Invitation for Bids may be made to the lowest responsive and responsible Orange County certified MWBE bidder provided that the bid does not exceed the overall lowest responsive and responsible bidder by the following percentages for the bid amounts listed:

- A. 8% Bids Up To \$100,000
- B. 7% Bids Greater Than \$100,000 to \$500,000
- C. 6% Bids Greater Than \$500,000 to \$750,000
- D. 5% Bids Greater Than \$750,000 to \$2,000,000
- E. 4% Bids Greater Than \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000
- F. 3% Bids Greater Than \$5,000,000

In accordance with the Registered Service Disabled Veteran Business Ordinance, award of a contract resulting from this Invitation for Bids may be made to the lowest responsive and responsible registered prime Service Disabled Veteran bidder provided that the bid does not exceed the overall lowest responsive and responsible bidder by the following percentages for the bid amounts listed:

- A. 8% Bids Up To \$100,000
- B. 7% Bids Greater Than \$100,000 to \$500,000
- C. 6% Bids Greater Than \$500,000 to \$750,000
- D. 5% Bids Greater Than \$750,000 to \$2,000,000
- E. 4% Bids Greater Than \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000
- F. 3% Bids Greater Than \$5,000,000

In the event of a tie between an M/WBE and a registered prime SDV with all else being equal, the award shall be made to the firm with the lowest business net worth.

# 14. CHANGES - SERVICE CONTRACTS

The County may at any time by issuance of an executed change order make changes within the general scope of the contract in any of the following areas:

- A. Description of services to be performed.
- B. Time of Performance (i.e., hours of the day, days of the week, etc.).
- C. Place of performance of the services.

If additional work or other changes are required in the areas described above, a price proposal shall be required from the Contractor. Upon negotiation of the proposal, execution and receipt of the change order, the Contractor shall commence performance of the work as specified.

The Contractor shall not commence the performance of additional work or other changes not covered by this contract without an executed change order issued by the Purchasing and Contracts Division. If the Contractor performs additional work beyond the specific requirements of this contract without an executed change order, it shall be at his/her own risk. The County assumes no responsibility for any additional costs for work not specifically authorized by an executed change order.

# 15. <u>CONDITIONS FOR EMERGENCY/HURRICANE OR DISASTER - TERM</u> CONTRACTS

It is hereby made a part of this Invitation for Bids that before, during and after a public emergency, disaster, hurricane, flood, or other acts of God that Orange County shall require a "first priority" basis for goods and services. It is vital and imperative that the majority of citizens are protected from any emergency situation which threatens public health and safety, as determined by the County. Contractor agrees to rent/sell/lease all goods and services to the County or other governmental entities as opposed to a private citizen, on a first priority basis. The County expects to pay contractual prices for all goods or services required during an emergency situation. Contractor shall furnish a twenty-four (24) hour phone number in the event of such an emergency.

# 16. REFERENCES

A contact person shall be someone who has personal knowledge of the Bidder's performance for the specific requirement listed. Contact person shall have been informed that they are being used as a reference and that the County may be contacting them. More than one person can be listed but all shall have knowledge of the project. The reference shall be the owner or a representative of the owner. Contractors who provided services under the referenced project (contract) shall not be accepted as references. **DO NOT** list principals or officers who shall not be able to answer specific questions regarding the project. Failure of references listed to respond to the County's inquiries may negatively impact the responsibility of the Bidder.

# 17. REQUIREMENTS CONTRACT

This is a Requirements Contract and the County's intent is to order from the Contractor all of the goods or services specified in the contract's price schedule that are required to be purchased by the County. If the County urgently requires delivery of goods or services before the earliest date that delivery may be required under this contract, and if the contractor will not accept an order providing for accelerated delivery, the County may acquire the goods or services from another source.

The County's requirements in this contract are estimated and there is no commitment by the County to order any specified amount. If the estimated quantities are not achieved, this shall not be the basis for an equitable adjustment.

If the Manager, Procurement Division determines that the Contractor's performance is less than satisfactory, the County may order the goods or services from other sources until the deficient performance has been cured or the contract terminated.

# 18. <u>BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT</u>

The Business Associate Agreement as Attachment No. A shall govern all matters necessary to enforce the provisions of the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164 as applicable to this contract.

#### SCOPE OF WORK/SERVICES

The Health Services Department is looking for a vendor to provide health insurance services for the Ryan White Part A program. These services are broken down into the following categories: training, insurance plan selection services, premium information services, and insurance broker services.

# **Training**

The agency shall provide one face-to-face training at the start of open enrollment. The agency will work with the Health Services Department on the final training agenda, however the training at a minimum will cover the following:

- a. Steps needed to enroll clients during open enrollment
- b. Responsibilities of case managers to assist in enrollment
- c. Responsibilities of the agency contracted to make premium, copay, and deductible payments for the program
- d. Education on the plans offered during open enrollment

#### **Insurance Plan Selection**

The agency shall provide recommendations to the Health Services Department on what health plans it should cover in open enrollment. The recommendations shall be based on the following criteria:

- a. The plans include at least one drug in each class of core antiretroviral therapeutics from the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) treatment guidelines
- b. The plans covers local HIV outpatient/ambulatory health services
- c. The plans, on average, should be more cost effective than paying the full cost of a client's medications and other outpatient/ambulatory health services.

# **Electronic Transfer of Premium Information**

The agency shall be able to export into Microsoft Excel and provide the following client data in a way that is secure and HIPAA compliant to the Health Services Department:

- Last Name
- b. First Name
- c. Date of Birth
- d. Marketplace ID #
- e. Provide ID #
- f. Policy ID #
- g. Insurance Member Number
- h. Group #
- i. Policy Name

- j. Subsidized Premium Amount Due
- k. Unsubsidized Premium Amount
- I. Advanced Premium Tax Credit (APTC) Amount
- m. Insurance Coverage Effective Date
- n. Date Insurance Application Submitted
- o. Premium Payment Mailing Address
- p. Case Managers Name

The information shall be updated on a weekly basis during open enrollment and on a monthly basis between open enrollment periods. The information shall be transmitted to the Health Services Department and the agency contracted to make premium, copay, and deductible payments for the program.

# **Insurance Broker Services**

The agency shall provide insurance broker services for eligible Health Services Department clients. These services at a minimum shall include:

- a. The ability to enroll clients in the marketplace via phone through a toll-free number and online via a website that can transmit PHI via HIPAA compliant encryption.
- b. The ability to ensure clients only enroll in an approved health plan unless an exception is granted by the Health Services Department.
- c. The ability to follow up with clients or a client's case manager to ensure all the information needed to complete an enrollment is submitted.
- d. The ability to complete status changes for clients in the marketplace via phone through a toll-free number and online via a website that can transmit PHI via HIPAA compliant encryption.
- e. A toll free help line for clients to utilize for any questions they may have regarding their insurance coverage though the marketplace.

# BID RESPONSE FORM IFB #Y17-1029-DG

The Contractor shall provide all labor and other resources necessary to provide the services in strict accordance with the scope of work/services defined in this solicitation for the amounts specified in this Bid Response Form, inclusive of overhead, profit and any other costs.

ITEM <u>No.</u>	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	<u>′</u>	UNIT COST		TOTAL <u>BID</u>
1.	Training – a two (2) hour Session	1 each	X	\$	=	\$
2.	Insurance Plan Selection Services Electronic Transfer of Premium Information	1 each	x	\$	=	\$
3.	Electronic Transfer of Premium Information (Quarterly Charge)	4 each	x	\$	=	\$
4.	Insurance Broker Services (Quarterly Charge)	4 each	Х	\$	=	\$
	TOTAL ESTIMA	TED BID (It	ems	1 through	4) \$	<b>.</b>
	Com	pany Name		<del></del>		

IMPORTANT NOTE: When completing your bid, do not attach any forms which may contain terms and conditions that conflict with those listed in the County's bid documents(s). Inclusion of additional terms and conditions such as those which may be on your company's standard forms shall result in your bid being declared non-responsive as these changes will be considered a counteroffer to the County's bid.

Performance shall be not later than seven (7) calendar days After Receipt of Order (ARO) per Special Terms and Conditions.

Inquiries regarding this Invitation for Bids may be directed to Dorothy Gordon, Senior Purchasing Agent, at <a href="mailto:Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net">Dorothy.Gordon@ocfl.net</a>

# **<u>Bid Response Documents</u>** - The following documents constitute your bid:

- A. Bid Response Form, Authorized Signatories/Negotiators, Drug-Free Workplace, Schedule of Sub-contracting, Conflict/Non-Conflict of Interest Form, E-Verification Certification, and current W9, Relationship Disclosure Form and Orange County Specific Project Expenditure Report. Please make sure forms are fully executed where required.
- B. Qualifications of Bidders information, per Special Terms and Conditions.
- C. Completed attached reference documentation.

THE FOLLOWI	NG SECTION	N MUST BE COMPI	ETED BY A	LL BIDDERS:
Company Name:				
	_	JST MATCH LEGAL W9 MUST BE SUE		_
TIN#:		D-U-N-S®#		
(Street No. or P.O. Bo	x Number)	(Street Name)	(City)	)
(County)	(State	e)	(Zip Co	de)
Contact Person:				
Phone Number:		Fax Numl	oer:	
Email Address:				
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	EME	ERGENCY CONTAG	<u>CT</u>	
Emergency Contact I	Person:			
Telephone Number:		Cell Phone	Number:	
Residence Telephon	e Number: _		Email:	
ACKNOWLEDGEME	NT OF ADDE	NDA		
The Bidder shall ack completing the block addendum and return to acknowledge an anegatively impact the limited to changes the quantities, bonds, letter	nowledge reast below or below	ceipt of any adden by completion of the than the date and the lat has a material less of your bid. Ma work/services, del	ne applicable time for receip impact on t terial impacts ivery time, p	information on the of the bid. Failure his solicitation may a include but are not
Addendum No	_, Date	Addend	um No	, Date
Addendum No.	Date	Addend	um No.	. Date

#### **AUTHORIZED SIGNATORIES/NEGOTIATORS**

The Bidder represents that the following **principals** are authorized to sign bids, negotiate and/or sign contracts and related documents to which the bidder will be duly bound. Principal is defined as an employee, officer or other technical or professional in a position capable of substantially influencing the development or outcome of an activity required to perform the covered transaction.

Name	Title		Teleph	one Number/Email
(Signature)			(Date)	
(e.g.latare)			(Dato)	
(Title)				
(Name of Business)				
The Bidder shall com	plete and subm	nit the following info	ormation	with the bid:
Type of Organization	n			
Sole Prop	rietorship	Partnership		Non-Profit
Joint Vent	ture	Corporation		
State of Incorporation	on:			
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Principal Place of Bus	siness (Florida	Statute Chapter 60	07):	City/County/State
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DIVISION OF COF			IIIFIEL	BY THE FLORIDA
Federal I.D. number is	S			

#### **REFERENCES**

List four (4) customers during the past ten (10) years for which you provided services similar to those specified in the solicitation in the spaces provided below. Provide the owner's name, contact person, address, email address, telephone number, and date services were performed, as described.

1.	Company Name:				
	Owner's Name:				
	Description of services provided:				
	Contract Amount:				
	Start and End Date of Contract:				
	Contact Person:				
	Address:				
	Telephone Number:				
	Email Address:				
2.	Company Name:				
	Owner's Name:				
	Description of services provided:				
	Contract Amount:				
	Start and End Date of Contract:				
	Contact Person:				
	Address:				
	Telephone Number:				
	Email Address:				

Company Name:
Owner's Name:
Description of services provided:
Contract Amount:
Start and End Date of Contract:
Contact Person:
Address:
Telephone Number:
Email Address:
Company Name:
Owner's Name:
Description of services provided:
Contract Amount:
Start and End Date of Contract:
Contact Person:
Address:
Telephone Number:
Email Address:

# DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE FORM

The that	e undersigned Bidder, in accordance with	Florida Statute 287.087 hereby certifies does:
-	Name of Business	
1.	distribution, dispensing, possession,	byees that the unlawful manufacture, or use of a controlled substance is ing the actions that will be taken against ion.
2.	business's policy of maintaining a dr	of drug abuse in the workplace, the ug-free workplace, any available drug sistance programs and the penalties that ug abuse violations.
3.	Give each employee engaged in proservices that are under bid a copy of the	oviding the commodities or contractual statement specified in Paragraph 1.
4.	condition of working on the commoditied bid, the employee will abide by the telemployer of any conviction of, or ple violation of Florida Statute 893 or of an	ph 1, notify the employees that, as a sor contractual services that are under rms of the statement and will notify the a of guilty or nolo contendere to, any y controlled substance law of the United ring in the workplace no later than five (5)
5.		atisfactory participation in a drug abuse f such is available in the employee's convicted.
6.	Make a good faith effort to continue to implementation of Paragraphs 1 thru 5.	maintain a drug-free workplace through
	the person authorized to sign this statementove requirements.	t, I certify that this firm complies fully with
	Bidder's Sig	nature
	Date	
	Date	

# **SCHEDULE OF SUBCONTRACTING**

# IFB NO. Y17-1029-DG

As specified in the General Terms and Conditions and the Bid Preference Clause in the Special Terms and Conditions, bidders are to present the details of subcontractor participation.

Name Of Subcontractor	Is the Sub- Contractor a Certified M/WBE with Orange County Government?	Address	Type of Work to be Performed	Percent and dollar amount of Contract Amount to be Subcontracted

C	Company N	Name:				

# CONFLICT/NON-CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT

CHECK	<u>CONE</u>
[ ]	To the best of our knowledge, the undersigned bidder has no potential conflict of interest due to any other clients, contracts, or property interest for this project.
	OR
[]	The undersigned bidder, by attachment to this form, submits information which may be a potential conflict of interest due to other clients, contracts, or property interest for this project.
	LITIGATION STATEMENT
CHECK	<u>CONE</u>
[ ]	The undersigned bidder has had no litigation and/or judgments entered against it by any local, state or federal entity and has had no litigation and/or judgments entered against such entities during the past ten (10) years.
[]	The undersigned bidder, <b>BY ATTACHMENT TO THIS FORM</b> , submits a summary and disposition of individual cases of litigation and/or judgments entered by or against any local, state or federal entity, by any state or federal court, during the past ten (10) years.
	COMPANY NAME
	AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
	NAME (PRINT OR TYPE)

Failure to check the appropriate blocks above may result in disqualification of your bid. Likewise, failure to provide documentation of a possible conflict of interest, or a summary of past litigation and/or judgments, may result in disqualification of your bid.

TITLE

#### **E VERIFICATION CERTIFICATION**

Contract No.Y17-1029-DG

I hereby certify that I will utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system in accordance with the terms governing the use of the system to confirm the employment eligibility of the individuals classified below. In accordance with s. 837.06, Florida Statutes, I understand and acknowledge that whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duties shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083, Florida statutes.

All persons, including subcontractors and their workforce, who will perform work under Contract No.Y17-1029-DG, Health Insurance Services for the Ryan White Part A Program, within the state of Florida.

NAME OF CONTRACTOR:	
ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR:	
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:	
TITLE:	
DATE:	

# RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM FOR USE WITH PROCUREMENT ITEMS, EXCEPT THOSE WHERE THE COUNTY IS THE PRINCIPAL OR PRIMARY PROPOSER

For procurement items that will come before the Board of County Commissioners for final approval, this form shall be completed by the Bidder and shall be submitted to the Procurement Division by the Bidder.

In the event any information provided on this form should change, the Bidder must file an amended form on or before the date the item is considered by the appropriate board or body.

# Part I

Legal Name of Bidder:						
Business Phone:	(	)				
Facsimile:	(	)				
INFORMATION O (Agent Authoriza						E:
Name of Bidder's A	Authori	zed Agent:				
Business Address	(Stree	t/P.O. Box, C	ity and Zip (	Code):		
Business Phone:	(	)				
Facsimile:	(	)				

# Part II IS THE BIDDER A RELATIVE OF THE MAYOR OR ANY MEMBER OF THE BCC?

YES I	NO
IS THE MAYOR C	R ANY MEMBER OF THE BCC THE BIDDER'S EMPLOYEE?
YES I	NO
	OR ANY PERSON WITH A DIRECT BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN THE HIS MATTER A BUSINESS ASSOCIATE OF THE MAYOR OR ANY E BCC?
YES I	NO
If you responded explain the relation	"YES" to any of the above questions, please state with whom and aship.

(Use additional sheets of paper if necessary)

# Part III

# ORIGINAL SIGNATURE AND NOTARIZATION REQUIRED

I hereby certify that information provided in this relationship disclosure form is true and correct based on my knowledge and belief. If any of this information changes, I further acknowledge and agree to amend this relationship disclosure form prior to any meeting at which the above-referenced project is scheduled to be heard. In accordance with s. 837.06, Florida Statutes, I understand and acknowledge that whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083, Florida Statutes.

Signature of Bidder	Date				
Printed Name and Title of Person completin	g this form:				
STATE OF : COUNTY OF :					
I certify that the foregoing instrumen	it was acknowledged before me this				
day of, 20 by	He/she is				
personally known to me or has produced	as				
dentification and did/did not take an oath.					
the day of, in the ye	Signature of Notary Public				
(Notary Seal)	Notary Public for the State of				
,	My Commission Expires:				
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Staff signature and date of receipt of form	_				

information provided herein.

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ) ABOUT THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM

Updated 6-28-11

#### WHAT IS THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM?

The Relationship Disclosure Form (form OC CE 2D and form OC CE 2P) is a form created pursuant to the County's Local Code of Ethics, codified at Article XIII of Chapter 2 of the Orange County Code, to ensure that all development-related items and procurement items presented to or filed with the County include information as to the relationship, if any, between the applicant and the County Mayor or any member of the Board of County Commissioners (BCC). The form will be a part of the backup information for the applicant's item.

### WHY ARE THERE TWO RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORMS?

Form OC CE 2D is used only for development-related items, and form OC CE 2P is used only for procurement-related items. The applicant needs to complete and file the form that is applicable to his/her case.

### WHO NEEDS TO FILE THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM?

Form OC CE 2D should be completed and filed by the owner of record, contract purchaser, or authorized agent. Form OC CE 2P should be completed and filed by the bidder, offeror, quoter, or respondent, and, if applicable, their authorized agent. In all cases, the person completing the form must sign the form and warrant that the information provided on the form is true and correct.

# WHAT INFORMATION NEEDS TO BE DISCLOSED ON THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM?

The relationship disclosure form needs to disclose pertinent background information about the applicant and the relationship, if any, between, on the one hand, the applicant and, if applicable, any person involved with the item, and on the other hand, the Mayor or any member of the BCC.

In particular, the applicant needs to disclose whether any of the following relationships exist: (1) the applicant is a business associate of the Mayor or any member of the BCC; (2) any person involved with the approval of the item has a beneficial interest in the outcome of the matter *and* is a business associate of the Mayor or any member of the BCC; (3) the applicant is a relative of the Mayor or any member of the BCC; or (4) the Mayor or any member of the BCC is an employee of the applicant. (See Section 2-454, Orange County Code.)

### **HOW ARE THE KEY RELEVANT TERMS DEFINED?**

Applicant means, for purposes of a development-related project, the owner, and, if applicable, the contract purchaser or owner's authorized agent. Applicant means, for purposes of a procurement item, the bidder, offeror, quoter, respondent, and, if applicable, the authorized agent of the bidder, offeror, quoter, or respondent.

Business associate means any person or entity engaged in or carrying on a business enterprise with a public officer, public employee, or candidate as a partner, joint venture, corporate shareholder where the shares of such corporation are not listed on any national or regional stock exchange, or co-owner of property. In addition, the term

includes any person or entity engaged in or carrying on a business enterprise, or otherwise engaging in common investment, with a public officer, public employee, or candidate as a partner, member, shareholder, owner, co-owner, joint venture partner, or other investor, whether directly or indirectly, whether through a Business Entity or through interlocking Parent Entities, Subsidiary Entities, or other business or investment scheme, structure, or venture of any nature. (See Section 112.312(4), Florida Statutes, and Section 2-452(b), Orange County Code.)

Employee means any person who receives remuneration from an employer for the performance of any work or service while engaged in any employment under any appointment or contract for hire or apprenticeship, express or implied, oral or written, whether lawfully or unlawfully employed, and includes, but is not limited to, aliens and minors. (See Section 440.02(15), Florida Statutes.)

Relative means an individual who is related to a public officer or employee as father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, first cousin, nephew, niece, husband, wife, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, stepfather, stepmother, stepson, stepdaughter, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother, half sister, grandparent, great grandparent, grandchild, great grandchild, step grandparent, step grandparent, step grandchild, step great grandchild, person who is engaged to be married to the public officer or employee or who otherwise holds himself or herself out as or is generally known as the person whom the public officer or employee intends to marry or with whom the public officer or employee intends to form a household, or any other natural person having the same legal residence as the public officer or employee. (See Section 112.312(21), Florida Statutes.)

# DOES THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM NEED TO BE UPDATED IF INFORMATION CHANGES?

Yes. It remains a continuing obligation of the applicant to update this form whenever any of the information provided on the initial form changes.

# WHERE DO THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM AND ANY SUBSEQUENT UPDATES NEED TO BE FILED?

For a development-related item, the Relationship Disclosure Form and any update need to be filed with the County Department or County Division where the applicant filed the application. For a procurement item, the Relationship Disclosure Form and any update need to be filed with the Procurement Division.

# WHEN DO THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM AND ANY UPDATES NEED TO BE FILED?

In most cases, the initial form needs to be filed when the applicant files the initial development-related project application or initial procurement-related forms. However, with respect to a procurement item, a response to a bid will not be deemed unresponsive if this form is not included in the initial packet submitted to the Procurement Division.

If changes are made after the initial filing, the final, cumulative Relationship Disclosure Form needs to be filed with the appropriate County Department or County Division processing the application not less than seven (7) days prior to the scheduled BCC agenda date so that it may be incorporated into the BCC agenda packet. When the matter is a discussion agenda item or is the subject of a public hearing, and an update has not been made at least 7 days prior to BCC meeting date or is not included in the

BCC agenda packet, the applicant is obligated to verbally present such update to the BCC when the agenda item is heard or the public hearing is held. When the matter is a consent agenda item and an update has not been made at least 7 days prior to the BCC meeting or the update is not included in the BCC agenda packet, the item will be pulled from the consent agenda to be considered at a future meeting.

# WHO WILL REVIEW THE INFORMATION DISCLOSED ON THE RELATIONSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM AND ANY UPDATES?

The information disclosed on this form and any updates will be a public record as defined by Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, and may therefore be inspected by any interested person. Also, the information will be made available to the Mayor and the BCC members. This form and any updates will accompany the information for the applicant's project or item.

However, for development-related items, if an applicant discloses the existence of one or more of the relationships described above and the matter would normally receive final consideration by the Concurrency Review Committee or the Development Review Committee, the matter will be directed to the BCC for final consideration and action following committee review.

#### **CONCLUSION:**

We hope you find this FAQ useful to your understanding of the Relationship Disclosure Form. Please be informed that if the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this FAQ and the requirements of the applicable ordinance or law governing relationship disclosures, the ordinance or law controls.

Also, please be informed that the County Attorney's Office is not permitted to render legal advice to an applicant or any other outside party. Accordingly, if the applicant or an outside party has any questions after reading this FAQ, he/she is encouraged to contact his/her own legal counsel.

# ORANGE COUNTY SPECIFIC PROJECT EXPENDITURE REPORT

This lobbying expenditure form shall be completed in full and filed with all application submittals. This form shall remain cumulative and shall be filed with the department processing your application. Forms signed by a principal's authorized agent shall include an executed Agent Authorization Form.

Part	This is the initial Form:  This is a Subsequent Form:  I					
Please complete all of the following:  Name and Address of Principal (legal name of entity or owner per Orange County tax rolls):						
Nam	e and Address of Principal's Authorized Agent, if applicable:					
indi	the name and address of all lobbyists, Contractors, contractors, subcontractors iduals or business entities who will assist with obtaining approval for this ect. (Additional forms may be used as necessary.)					
1.	Name and address of individual or business entity:  Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					
2.	Name and address of individual or business entity:Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					
3.	Name and address of individual or business entity:Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					
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6.	Name and address of individual or business entity:Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					
7.	Name and address of individual or business entity:Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					
8.	Name and address of individual or business entity:  Are they registered Lobbyist? Yes or No					

### Part II

# **Expenditures:**

For this report, an "expenditure" means money or anything of value given by the principal and/or his/her lobbyist for the purpose of lobbying, as defined in section 2-351, Orange County Code. This may include public relations expenditures including, but not limited to, petitions, fliers, purchase of media time, cost of print and distribution of publications. However, the term "expenditure" **does not** include:

- •Contributions or expenditures reported pursuant to chapter 106, Florida Statutes;
- •Federal election law, campaign-related personal services provided without compensation by individuals volunteering their time;
- •Any other contribution or expenditure made by or to a political party;
- •Any other contribution or expenditure made by an organization that is exempt from taxation under 26 U.S.C. s. 527 or s. 501(c)(4), in accordance with s.112.3215, Florida Statutes; and/or
- Professional fees paid to registered lobbyists associated with the project or item.

The following is a complete list of all lobbying expenditures and activities (including those of lobbyists, contractors, Contractors, etc.) incurred by the principal or his/her authorized agent and expended in connection with the above-referenced project or issue. You need not include de minimus costs (under \$50) for producing or reproducing graphics, aerial photographs, photocopies, surveys, studies or other documents related to this project.

Date of Expenditure	Name of Party Incurring Expenditure	Description of Activity	Amount Paid			
		TOTAL EXPENDED THIS REPORT	\$			

# Part III

# Original signature and notarization required

I hereby certify that information provided in this specific project expenditure report is true and correct based on my knowledge and belief. I acknowledge and agree to comply with the requirement of section 2-354, of the Orange County code, to amend this specific project expenditure report for any additional expenditure(s) incurred relating to this project prior to the scheduled Board of County Commissioner meeting. I further acknowledge and agree that failure to comply with these requirements to file the specific expenditure report and all associated amendments may result in the delay of approval by the Board of County Commissioners for my project or item, any associated costs for which I shall be held responsible. In accordance with s. 837.06, Florida Statutes, I understand and acknowledge that whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor in the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083, Florida Statutes.

Date	Signature of \( \triangle \text{Principal or } \( \triangle \text{Principal's Authorized Agen} \)  (check appropriate box)				
Printed Name and Title of Person	completing this form:				
STATE OF	: :				
day of, 20 personally known to me or has pridentification and did/did not take	cial seal in the county and state stated above on				
(Notary Seal)	Signature of Notary Public  Notary Public for the State of  My Commission Expires:				
Staff signature and date of receip	t of form				
Staff reviews as to form and does	s not attest to the accuracy or veracity of the				

information provided herein.

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ) ABOUT THE SPECIFIC PROJECT EXPENDITURE REPORT

Updated 3-1-11

# WHAT IS A SPECIFIC PROJECT EXPENDITURE REPORT (SPR)?

A Specific Project Expenditure Report (SPR) is a report required under Section 2-354(b) of the Orange County Lobbying Ordinance, codified at Article X of Chapter 2 of the Orange County Code, reflecting all lobbying expenditures incurred by a principal and their authorized agent(s) and the principal's lobbyist(s), contractor(s), subcontractor(s), and Contractor(s), if applicable, for certain projects or issues that will ultimately be decided by the Board of County Commissioners (BCC).

Matters specifically exempt from the SPR requirement are ministerial items, resolutions, agreements in settlement of litigation matters in which the County is a party, ordinances initiated by County staff, and some procurement items, as more fully described in 2.20 of the Administrative Regulations.

Professional fees paid by the principal to his/her lobbyist for the purpose of lobbying need not be disclosed on this form. (See Section 2-354(b), Orange County Code.)

#### WHO NEEDS TO FILE THE SPR?

The principal or his/her authorized agent needs to complete and sign the SPR and warrant that the information provided on the SPR is true and correct.

A principal that is a governmental entity does not need to file an SPR.

#### **HOW ARE THE KEY RELEVANT TERMS DEFINED?**

Expenditure means "a payment, distribution, loan, advance, reimbursement, deposit, or anything of value made by a lobbyist or principal for the purpose of lobbying. This may include public relations expenditures (including but not limited to petitions, flyers, purchase of media time, cost of print and distribution of publications) but does not include contributions or expenditures reported pursuant to Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, or federal election law, campaign-related personal services provided without compensation by individuals volunteering their time, any other contribution or expenditure made by or to a political party, or any other contribution or expenditure made by an organization that is exempt from taxation under 26 U.S.C. s. 527 or s. 501(c)(4)." (See Section 112.3215, Florida Statutes.) Professional fees paid by the principal to his/her lobbyist for the purpose of lobbying are not deemed to be "expenditures." (See Section 2-354, Orange County Code.)

Lobbying means seeking "to encourage the approval, disapproval, adoption, repeal, rescission, passage, defeat or modification of any ordinance, resolution, agreement, development permit, other type of permit, franchise, vendor, Contractor, contractor, recommendation, decision or other foreseeable action of the [BCC]," and "include[s] all communications, regardless of whether initiated by the lobbyist or by the person being lobbied, and regardless of whether oral, written or electronic." (See Section 2-351, Orange County Code.) Furthermore, lobbying means communicating "directly with the County Mayor, with any other member of the [BCC], or with any member of a procurement committee." (See Section 2-351, Orange County Code.) Lobbying also means communicating "indirectly with the County Mayor or any other member of the

[BCC]" by communicating with any staff member of the Mayor or any member of the BCC, the county administrator, any deputy or assistant county administrator, the county attorney, any county department director, or any county division manager. (See Section 2-351, Orange County Code.) *Lobbying* does not include the act of appearing before a Sunshine Committee, such as the Development Review Committee or the Roadway Agreement Committee other than the BCC.

*Principal* means "the person, partnership, joint venture, trust, association, corporation, governmental entity or other entity which has contracted for, employed, retained, or otherwise engaged the services of a lobbyist." *Principal* may also include a person, partnership, joint venture, trust, association, corporation, limited liability corporation, or other entity where it or its employees do not qualify as a lobbyist under the definition set forth in Section 2-351 of the Orange County Code but do perform lobbying activities on behalf of a business in which it has a personal interest.

#### DOES THE SPR NEED TO BE UPDATED IF INFORMATION CHANGES?

Yes. It remains a continuing obligation of the principal or his/her authorized agent to update the SPR whenever any of the information provided on the initial form changes.

# WHERE DO THE SPR AND ANY UPDATES NEED TO BE FILED?

The SPR needs to be filed with the County Department or County Division processing the application or matter. If and when an additional expenditure is incurred subsequent to the initial filing of the SPR, an amended SPR needs to be filed with the County Department or County Division where the original application, including the initial SPR, was filed.

# WHEN DO THE SPR AND ANY UPDATES NEED TO BE FILED?

In most cases, the initial SPR needs to be filed with the other application forms. The SPR and any update must be filed with the appropriate County Department or County Division not less than seven (7) days prior to the BCC hearing date so that they may be incorporated into the BCC agenda packet. (See Section 2-354(b), Orange County Code.) When the matter is a discussion agenda item or is the subject of a public hearing, and any additional expenditure occurs less than 7 days prior to BCC meeting date or updated information is not included in the BCC agenda packet, the principal or his/her authorized agent is obligated to verbally present the updated information to the BCC when the agenda item is heard or the public hearing is held. When the matter is a consent agenda item and an update has not been made at least 7 days prior to the BCC meeting or the update is not included in the BCC agenda packet, the item will be pulled from the consent agenda to be considered at a future meeting.

# WHO WILL BE MADE AWARE OF THE INFORMATION DISCLOSED ON THE SPR AND ANY UPDATES?

The information disclosed on the SPR and any updates will be a public record as defined by Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, and therefore may be inspected by any interested person. Also, the information will be made available to the Mayor and the BCC members. This information will accompany the other information for the principal's project or item.

# **CONCLUSION:**

We hope you find this FAQ useful to your understanding of the SPR. Please be informed that in the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this FAQ and the requirements of the applicable ordinance governing specific project expenditure reports, the ordinance controls.

Also, please be informed that the County Attorney's Office is not permitted to render legal advice to a principal, his/her authorized agent, or any other outside party. Accordingly, if after reading this FAQ the principal, his/her authorized agent or an outside party has any questions, he/she is encouraged to contact his/her own legal counsel.

# **AGENT AUTHORIZATION FORM**

We, (Print Bidder name)nereby authorize (print agent's name),act as my/our agent to execute any petition the CONTRACT approval PROCESS mor NUMBER AND TITLE)my/our behalf before any administrative or le CONTRACT and to act in all respects as CONTRACT.	, to ns or other documents necessary to affect re specifically described as follows, (IFB, and to appear on gislative body in the county considering this					
Signature of Bidder	Date					
STATE OF : :						
I certify that the foregoing instrument day of , 20 by personally known to me or has produced identification and did/did not take an oath.	He/she is					
Witness my hand and official seal in the county and state stated above on the day of, in the year						
(Notary Seal)	Signature of Notary Public  Notary Public for the State of My Commission Expires:					

### **EXHIBIT A**

### LEASED EMPLOYEE AFFIDAVIT

I affirm that an employee leasing company provides my workers' compensation coverage. I further understand that my contract with the employee leasing company limits my workers' compensation coverage to enrolled worksite employees only. My leasing arrangement does not cover un-enrolled worksite employees, independent contractors, uninsured sub-contractors or casual labor exposure.

I hereby certify that 100% of my workers are covered as worksite employees with the employee leasing company. I certify that I do not hire any casual or uninsured labor outside the employee leasing arrangement. I agree to notify the County in the event that I have any workers not covered by the employee leasing workers' compensation policy. In the event that I have any workers not subject to the employee leasing arrangement, I agree to obtain a separate workers' compensation policy to cover these workers. I further agree to provide the County with a certificate of insurance providing proof of workers' compensation coverage prior to these workers entering any County jobsite.

I further agree to notify the County if my employee leasing arrangement terminates with the employee leasing company and I understand that I am required to furnish proof of replacement workers' compensation coverage prior to the termination of the employee leasing arrangement.

I certify that I have workers' compensation coverage for all of my workers through the employee leasing arrangement specified below:

Name of Employee Leasing Company:					
Workers' Compensation Carrier:					
A.M. Best Rating of Carrier:					
Inception Date of Leasing Arrangement	::				
I further agree to notify the County in the event that I switch employee-leasing companies. I recognize that I have an obligation to supply an updated workers' compensation certificate to the County that documents the change of carrier.					
Name of Contractor:					
Signature of Owner/Officer:					
Title:	Date:				



Name of Agent or Broker

# CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MW/DDYYYY)

FAX (A/C, No):

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

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#### ORANGE COUNTY CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE REVIEW GUIDE

- 1. PRODUCER: Agent's name and address must be shown along with contact name phone, fax, and email address.
- 2. INSURED: Legal name and address of the entity entering into the contract or agreement
- 3. INSURERS AFFORDING COVERAGE & NAIC #: Name of the insurance company that is insuring the line of coverage. The INSURER and applicable letter will be used throughout the certificate to indicate the lines of coverage placed with a particular insurance company. A letter must be shown in the INSUR LTR section for each coverage line listed on the certificate.
- 4. ADDL INSR: Signifies whether coverage includes additional insured status. Very few agents use this section. Additional insured status is usually discussed in the Description of Operations/Locations/Vehicles section.
- 5. SUBR WVD: Signifies that a waiver of subrogation is in valid for each line of coverage as indicated.
- POLICY NUMBER: A policy number should be listed for each line of coverage for which commercial insurance is being provided.
- 7. POLICY EFFECTIVE/EXPIRA TJON DATES: Effective and expiration dates should fall within the time frame of the inception of the contract or agreement.
- 8. LIMITS: As required in the written agreement. The general aggregate should be at least twice the per occurrence limit for all continuing service contracts. If the aggregate limit applies separately then the PROJECT box should be marked.
- AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY: The ANY AUTO box is preferable however; some organizations do not own vehicles so the other boxes may be marked.
- 10. WORKERS' COMPENSATION: Look closely to see if any proprietor, partner, or executive officer is excluded. If so, please contact Risk Management for waiver approval. The WC STATUTORY LIMITS box must be selected.
- 11. OTHER: This section is used for other coverage such as professional liability and employee dishonesty. The same rules apply with regards to policy numbers, effective and expiration dates and limits.
- 12. DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS/LOCATIONS/VEHICLES: This section typically contains any special or qualifying language such as additional insured status or waivers of subrogation. If additional space is needed an ACORD 101 should be attached. Please note that these certificates are for information only and do not confer any rights upon the certificate holder. This is why we also ask for the specific policy language or endorsement specifying that these provisions are in place.
- 13. CERTIFICATE HOLDER: Orange County Board of County Commissioners should be listed as the certificate holder. Individual departments and divisions should not be listed as the primary certificate holder.
- 14. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: This section should contain the signature of the person authorized to issue the certificate on behalf of the insurance company.

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# THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY

# ADDITIONAL INSURED – DESIGNATED PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

This endorsement modifies Insurance provided under the following:

#### COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

#### **SCHEDULE**

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s)

The following are additional insured under the Professional Liability section of this policy (already included under the GL by form #86571).

YOUR MEDICAL DIRECTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS, INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL PERSONS, BUT ONLY WHILE ACTING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THEIR DUTIES FOR THE NAMED INSURED AS MEDICAL DIRECTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS;

AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR IS AN INSURED ONLY FOR THE CONDUCT OF YOUR BUSINESS AND SOLELY WHILE PERFORMING SERVICES FOR A CLIENT OF THE NAMED INSURED, BUT SOLELY WITHIN THE SCOPE OF SERVICES CONTEMPLATED BY THE NAMED INSURED;

STUDENTS IN TRAINING WHILE PREFORMING DUTIES AS INSTRUCTED BY THE NAMED INSURED:

ANY ENTITY YOU ARE REQUIRED IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT (HEREINAFTER CALLED ADDITIONAL INSURED) TO NAME AS AN INSURED IS AN INSURED BUT ONLY WITH RESPECT TO LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF YOUR PREMISES OR OPERATIONS:

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily Injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your acts or omissions or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:

- A. In the performance of your ongoing operations; or
- B. In connection with your premises owned by or rented to you.

#### **EXHIBIT C**

POLICY NUMBER:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY

# THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY

# ADDITIONAL INSURED – DESIGNATED PERSON OR ORGANIZATION

This endorsement modifies Insurance provided under the following:

# COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

#### SCHEDULE

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s)

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

ATTN: PROCUREMENT DIVISION 400 E. SOUTH STREET, 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR

ORLANDO, FL 32801

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

**Section II – Who Is An Insured** is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily Injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your acts or omissions or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:

- A. In the performance of your ongoing operations; or
- B. In connection with your premises owned by or rented to you.

#### **EXHIBIT D**

# WORKERS COMPENSTION AND EMPLOYEES LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY WC 00 03 13

2<sup>ND</sup> Reprint

Effective April 1, 1984

Advisory

# WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against the person or organization named in the Schedule. (This agreement applies only to the extent that you perform work under a written contract that requires you to obtain this agreement from us.)

This agreement shall not operate directly or indirectly to benefit anyone not named in the Schedule.

#### Schedule

# Name of Person or Organization:

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ATTN: PROCUREMENT DIVISION 400 E. SOUTH STREET, 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR ORLANDO, FL 32801

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#### **EXHIBIT E**

**POLICY NUMBER:** 

# COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CG 24 04 10 93

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#### WAIVER OF TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US

This endorsement modifies Insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

#### **SCHEDULE**

# Name of Person or Organization:

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ATTN: PROCUREMENT DIVISION 400 E. SOUTH STREET, 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR ORLANDO, FL 32801

(If no entry appears above, information required to complete this endorsement will be shown in the Declarations as applicable to this endorsement.)

The TRANSER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US Condition (Section IV – COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS) is amended by the addition of the following:

We waive any right to recovery we may have against the person or organization shown in the Schedule above because of payments we make for injury or damage arising out of your ongoing operations or "your work" done under a contract with that person or organization and included in the "Products-completed operations hazard". This waiver applies only to the person or organization shown in the Schedule above.

#### ATTACHMENT A

# **BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT**

# **RECITALS**

**WHEREAS**, Orange County meets the definitions of a Covered Entity 45 CFR § 164.103.

**WHEREAS**, Orange County has been designated as a Hybrid Entity under the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR § 164.105.

**WHEREAS,** Orange County, as a Covered Entity, pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.105(a)(2)(iii)(D) has documented that Orange County's Health Services Department is a health care component of the County and as such will be treated as a "Covered Entity."

**WHEREAS**, in connection with providing services to the Covered Entity ("Services") by the Business Associate, the Covered Entity discloses to the Business Associate certain Protected Health Information ("PHI") that is subject to protection under the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160,162, and 164.

**WHEREAS**, the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules requires that Covered Entity receive adequate assurances that the Business Associate will comply with certain obligations with respect to the PHI received in the course of providing Services to or on behalf of Covered Entity; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of this Agreement is to comply with the requirements of the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164, and the Florida Information Protection Act, § 501.171, Florida Statutes.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the terms, conditions, covenants, agreements and obligations herein stated, the Parties agree as follows:

# I. INCORPORATION OF RECITALS

- **1.1 Recitals Incorporated.** The above recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated as a material part of this Agreement.
- 1.2 HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164, and the Florida Information Protection Act, Section 501.171, Florida Statutes. Incorporated.
- 1.3 The parties hereby incorporated into the Agreement, the requirements and obligations imposed upon them by the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160,162, and 164, and the Florida Information Protection Act, § 501.171, Florida Statutes. To the extent that the Agreement imposed more stringent requirements than those contained in HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules 45 CFR Parts 160,162, and 164, and the Florida Information Protection Act, § 501.171, Florida Statutes, those more stringent requirements of the Agreement will control.

# II. DEFINITIONS

- **2.1 Terms.** Terms used, but not otherwise defined, in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as those terms in 45 CFR §§ 160.103, 162,103, 164.103, 164.402, and 164.501, and § 501.171, Florida Statutes.
- **2.2 Breach.** Breach shall have the meaning given to such term as found in 45 CFR § 164.402, and the Florida Information Protection Act, § 501.171, Florida Statutes.
- 2.3 Designated Record Set. A group of records maintained by or for a covered entity that is: A group of records maintained by or for a covered entity that is: (A) The medical records and billing records about individuals maintained by or for a covered health care provider; (B) The enrollment, payment, claims adjudication, and case or medical management record systems maintained by or for a health plan; or (C) Used, in whole or in part, by or for the covered entity to make decisions about individuals. For purposes of this paragraph, the term record means any item, collection, or grouping of information that includes PHI and is maintained, collected, used, or disseminated by or for a covered entity.
- **2.4 Disclosure.** The release, transfer, provision of access to, or divulging in any manner of information outside the entity holding the information.
- **2.5 Florida Information Protection Act**. Florida Information Protection Act ("FIPA") codified at Section 501.171, Florida Statutes.
- **2.6 HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules**. Standards for Privacy, Security, Breach, Notification, and Enforcement at 45 CFR Parts 160, 162 and 164.
- **2.7 Individual.** The person who is the subject of PHI, and shall include a person who qualifies as a personal representative in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.502(g).
- 2.8 Individually Identifiable Health Information. Information that is a subset of health information, including demographic information collected from an individual, and: (A) is created or received by a health care provider, health plan, employer, or health care clearinghouse; and (B) relates to the past, present, or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual; the provision of health care to an individual; or the past, present, or future payment for the provision of health care to an individual; and (i) that identifies the individual; or (ii) with respect to which there is a reasonable basis to believe the information can be used to identify the individual.
- **2.9 Party or Parties.** Are the terms the Covered Entity and Business Associate may be referred to in this Agreement, individually or collectively and the Business Associate may be referred to herein, individually or collectively.

- **2.10 Privacy Officer.** The individual designated by the County or Covered Entity, pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.530, who is responsible for the development and implementation of the Covered Entity's policies and procedures as they related to the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules.
- **2.11 Personal Information. Personal Information** ("PI") means either of the following:
  - 2.11.1 An individual's first name or first initial and last name in combination with any one or more of the following data elements for that individual:
    - 2.11.1.1 A social security number;
    - 2.11.1.2 A driver's license or identification card number, passport number, military identification number, or other similar number issued on a government document used to verify identity;
    - 2.11.1.3 A financial account number or credit or debit card number in combination with any required security code, access code, or password that is necessary to permit access to an individual's financial account;
    - 2.11.1.4 Any information regarding an individual's medical history, mental or physical condition, or medical treatment or diagnosis by a health care professional; or
    - 2.11.1.5 An individual's health insurance policy number or subscriber identification number and any unique identifier used by a health insurer to identify the individual.
    - 2.11.1.6 A user name or e-mail address in combination with a password or security question and answer that would permit access to an online account.
    - 2.11.1.7 The term does not include information about an individual that has been made publicly available by a federal, state, or local governmental entity. The term also does not include information that is encrypted, secured, or modified by any other method or technology that removes elements that personally identify an individual or that otherwise renders the information unusable.

- 2.12 Protected Health Information. Protected Health Information ("PHI") is individual identifiable health information that is or has been created, received, transmitted or maintained in any form or medium, on or behalf of the Covered Entity, with the exception of education records covered by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, as amend, 20 U.S.C. 1232g, and the health care records of students at post-secondary educational institutions or of students eighteen (18) years of age or older, used exclusively for their health care treatment which have not been disclosed to anyone other than a health care provider at the student's request.
- **2.13 Required by law.** Required by law shall have the same meaning as the term "required by law" in 45 CFR § 164.103.
- **2.14 Secretary of HHS.** Secretary of Health and Human Services or any other officer or employee of Health and Human Services ("HHS") to whom the authority involved has been delegated.
- 2.15 Security Incident or Incident. Security Incident or Incident means the attempted or successful unauthorized access, use, disclosure, modification, or destruction of PHI or PI contained in any form or interference with system operations in an information system that contains PHI or PI.
- **2.16** Use. Use shall mean the sharing, employment, application, utilization, examination, or analysis of PI or PHI within an entity that maintains such information.

# III. SCOPE OF AGREEMENT

- and shall be independently responsible for complying, and shall independently comply, with the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules and FIPA as it may be amended from time to time. The Parties further agree that they are and shall be responsible for their own actions and conduct and shall not assume responsibility for the actions and conduct of one another. The Parties agree that they are and shall independently maintain all corporate formalities establishing separate and individual control by each organization's board of directors, as applicable.
- 3.2 Business Associate acknowledges that the confidentiality requirements herein apply to all its employees, agents and representatives. Business Associate assumes responsibility and liability for any damages or claims, including state and federal administrative proceedings and sanctions, the County, including costs and attorneys' fees, resulting from the breach by Business Associate of the confidentiality requirements of this Agreement.

- IV. PRIVACY OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION AND CONFIDENTIALITY OF PERSONAL INFORMATION.
  - 4.1 Permitted Uses and Disclosures of PHI and PI by Business Associate. Business Associate may use or disclosure PHI and PI received from Covered Entity to its officers and employees. Business Associate may disclose PHI and PI to a business associate that is a subcontractor and may allow the subcontractor to create, receive, maintain, or transmit PHI and PI on its behalf if the Business Associate satisfactory assurances in accordance with §164.504(e)(1)(i) and § 501.171(2) that the subcontractor will appropriately safeguard the information. All other uses or disclosures not authorized by this Agreement or otherwise governed by law are prohibited.
  - **4.2 Responsibilities of Business Associat**e. Regarding the use or disclosure of PHI and PI, Business Associate agrees to:
    - **4.2.1** Only use or further disclose the PHI and PI as allowable under this Agreement or applicable law.
    - **4.2.2** Only use or further disclosure PHI and PI in a manner that would not violate the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules or FIPA if done so by the Covered Entity.
    - 4.2.3 Establish and implement appropriate procedures, physical, and technical safeguards to prevent improper access, uses, transmissions, or disclosures of PHI and PI for mitigating to the greatest extents possible under the circumstances any deleterious effects from any improper access, use, or disclosure of PHI and PI that Business Associate reports to Covered Entity. Safeguards shall include, but are not limited to, the implementation and use of electronic security measures to safeguard electronic data, requiring employees to agree to access, use, or disclose PHI and PI only as permitted or required by this Agreement and taking related disciplinary action for inappropriate access, use or disclosure as necessary.
    - 4.2.4 Report to Covered Entity's Privacy Officer, in writing, any suspected or confirmed access, use or disclosure of PHI or PI, regardless of form, not permitted or required by this Agreement of which Business Associate becomes aware within two (2) days of Business Associate's discovery of such unauthorized use or disclosure.

- 4.2.5 Ensure that Business Associate's subcontractors or agents to whom Business Associate provides PHI or PI, received from, created, or received by the Business Associate on behalf of the Covered Entity, agree to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Business Associate with respect to PHI and PI, and ensure that its subcontractors or agents agree to establish and implement reasonable and appropriate safeguards to protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of all PHI and PI that it creates receives, maintains, or transmits on behalf of Covered Entity.
- 4.2.6 In order to determine compliance with HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules and FIPA, the Business Associate must make its records, books, accounts, agreements, policies, and procedures available to the Secretary of HHS for determining the Covered Entity's compliance with the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules, and also, with the State of Florida, Department of Legal Affairs to determine the Covered Entity's compliance with FIPA.
- **4.2.7** Use or disclosure to its subcontractors, agents, other third parties, and Covered Entity, only the minimum PHI and PI necessary to perform or fulfill a specific function required or permitted hereunder.
- **4.2.8** Provide information to Covered Entity to permit Covered Entity to respond to a request by an individual for an accounting of disclosures within five (5) days of receiving a written request from Covered Entity, if Business Associate maintains a Designated Records Set on behalf of Covered Entity.
- 4.2.9 At the request, of, and in the time and manner designated by Covered Entity, provide access to the PHI and PI maintained by Business Associate to Covered Entity or individual, if Business Associate maintains a Designated Records Set on behalf of Covered Entity.
- 4.2.10 At the request, of and in the time and manner designated by Covered Entity, make any amendment(s) to the PHI and PI when directed by Covered Entity, if Business Associate maintains a Designated Record Set on behalf of Covered Entity.
- **4.2.11** Establish and implement administrative, physical, and technical safeguards that reasonably and appropriately protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of any PHI and PI Business Associate creates, receives, maintains or transmits on behalf of Covered Entity.

- **4.2.12** Report to Covered Entity any Security Incident involving PHI and PI that Business Associate discovers.
- **4.3 Compliance with Covered Entity's Policies.** Business Associate hereby agrees to abide by Covered Entity's policies and practices relating to the confidentiality, privacy, and security of PHI and PI.
- 4.4 Use of PHI and PI for Management and Administration or Legal Responsibilities of Business Associate. The Business Associate may use PHI and PI received by the Covered Entity pursuant to this Agreement for the proper management and administration of the Business Associate or to carry out the legal responsibilities of the Business Associate.

However, Business Associate will only be allowed to use PHI and PI for the aforementioned uses if (A) the disclosure is required by law; or (b) the Business Associate obtains reasonable assurances from the person to whom the PHI and PI is disclosed that it will be held confidentially and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purposes for which it was disclosed to the person, and the person notified the Business Associate of any instances in which the person is aware of a confidentiality breach of PHI or PI.

- 4.5 Data Aggregation Services. With respect to PHI and PI created or received by the Business Associate in its capacity as the Business Associate of the Covered Entity, Business Associate may combine such PHI and PI it has received from the Covered Entity with the PHI and PI received by the Business Associate in its capacity as a Business Associate of another Covered Entity to permit data analysis that relate to the health care operation of the respective Covered Entity, if data analyses is part of the Services that Business Associate is to provide to Covered Entity.
- **4.6 Compliance**. Business Associate agrees to keep all PHI and PI confidential and secure in compliance with the provisions of this Agreement and according to current state and federal laws.

# V. CONFIDENTIALITY

5.1 In the course of performing under this Agreement, each Party may receive, be exposed to, or acquire the confidential information including, but not limited to, all information, data, reports, records, summaries, tables and studies, whether written or oral, fixed in hard copy or contained in any computer database or computer readable form, as well as any information identifiable as confidential ("Confidential Information") of the other Party.

- 5.2 For purposes of this Agreement, Confidential Information shall **not** include PHI, the security and privacy of which is the subject of this Agreement. The Parties including their employees, agents, or representatives shall (A) not disclose to any third party the Confidential Information of the other Party except as otherwise permitted by this Agreement, (B) only permit use of such Confidential Information by employees, agents, and representatives having a need to know in connection with performance under this Agreement, and (c) advise each of their employees, agents, and representatives of their obligations to keep such Confidential Information confidential.
- 5.3 This provision shall not apply to Confidential Information: (A) after it becomes publically available through **no fault** of either Party; (B) which is later publically released by either Party in writing; (C) which is lawfully obtained from third parties without restrictions; or (D) which can be shown to be previously known or developed by either Party independently of the other Party.

# VI. SECURITY

- 6.1 Security of Electronic Protected Health Information and Personal Information. Business Associate will develop, implement, maintain, and use administrative, technical, and physical safeguards that reasonably and appropriately protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of Electronic PHI (as defined in 45 C.F.R. §160.103) and PI (as defined by § 501.171, Florida Statutes) that Business Associate creates, receives, maintains, or transmits on behalf of Covered Entity consistent with the HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules and FIPA.
- 6.2 Reporting Security Incidents. Business Associate will report to the Covered Entity and County's Privacy Officer any Incident of which Business Associate becomes aware that is (1) a successful unauthorized access, use or disclosure of Electronic PHI or PI; or (2) (a) modification or destruction of Electronic PHI or PI or (b) interference with system operations in an information system containing Electronic PHI or PI.

#### VII. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- **7.1 Reporting.** The Business Associate shall make a good faith effort to identify any use or disclosure of protected information not provided for in this Agreement.
- **7.2 To Covered Entity.** The Business Associate will report to the Covered Entity and the County's Privacy Officer, within (2) business days of discovery, any use or disclosure of PHI or PI not provided for in this

Agreement of which the Business Associate is aware. The Business Associate will report to the Covered Entity and the County's Privacy Officer within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery, any Security Incident of which the Business Associate is aware. A violation of this paragraph shall be a material violation of this Agreement. Such notice shall include the identification of each individual whose unsecured PHI and PI has been, or is reasonably believed by the Business Associate to have been, accessed, acquired, or disclosed during such breach.

Title: Orange County's Privacy Officer,

**Health Services Department** 

Telephone: (407)836-9214 Fax: (407) 246-5342

Address: 2002 A. E. Michigan Street, Orlando, FL 32806

E-Mail: privacy.officer@ocfl.net

- 7.2.1 Reports of Security Incidents shall include a detailed description of each Incident, at a minimum to include the date of the Incident, the nature of the Incident, the information involved, whether the information was accessed, disclosed, used, modified, destroyed, etc., and the identities of the individual(s) and their relationship to the Business Associate, a description of the Business's response to each Incident, and the name and title of the individual the Covered Entity should contact for additional information.
- **7.2.2** Business Associate will conduct such further investigation as is reasonably required by the Covered Entity and promptly advise the Covered Entity of additional information pertinent to the Incident.
- **7.2.3** Business Associate will cooperate with Covered Entity in conducting any required risk analysis related to such Security Incident(s).
- 7.2.4 Business Associate will cooperate with Covered Entity in complying with any applicable notification requirements pursuant to the Breach Notification Rule and/or pursuant to Florida law (including but not limited to §§ 501.171 and 817.5681, Florida Statutes), and in taking steps determined by Covered Entity to be necessary to mitigate any potential harm caused by a Security Incident. Business Associate will pay and/or reimburse Covered Entity for any reasonable expenses Covered Entity incurs in notifying individuals of, and /or mitigating potential harm caused by a Security Incident caused by Business Associate and/or its subcontractors or agents.

- To Individuals. In the case of a breach of PHI or PI discovered by the 7.3 Business Associate, the Business Associate shall first notify the Covered Entity and the County's Privacy Officer of the pertinent details of the breach and upon prior approval of the County's Privacy Officer shall notify each individual whose unsecured PHI or PI has been, or is reasonably believed by the Business Associate to have been, accessed, acquired or disclosed as a result of such breach. Such notification shall be in writing by first-class mail to the individual (or the next of kin if the individual is deceased) at the last known address of the individual or next of kin, respectively, or, if specified as a preference by the individual, by electronic mail. Where there is insufficient, or out-of-date contact information (including a phone number, email address, or any other form of appropriate communication) that precludes written (or, if specifically requested, electronic) notification to the individual, a substitute form of notice shall be provided, including, in the case that there are ten (10) or more individuals for which there is insufficient or out-of-date contact information, a conspicuous posting on the web site of the Business Associate involved or notice in major print of broadcast media, including major media in the geographic areas where the individuals affected by the breach likely reside. In any case deemed by the Business Associate to require urgency because of possible imminent misuse of unsecured PHI or PI, the Business Associate may also provide information to individuals by telephone or other means, as appropriate.
- 7.4 To Media. In the case of a breach of PHI discovered by the Business Associate where the unsecured PHI of more than five hundred (500) persons or unsecured PI or more than five thousand (5000) persons is reasonably believed to have been, accessed, acquired, or disclosed, after prior approval by the Covered Entity, the Business Associate shall provide notice to prominent media outlets serving the State or relevant portion of the State involved.
- 7.5 To HHS and the State of Florida Department of Legal Affairs. The Business Associate shall cooperate with the Covered Entity to provide notice to the Secretary of HHS, of unsecured PHI and to the State of Florida, Department of Legal Affairs of unsecured PI, that has been acquired or disclosed in a breach. If the breach was with respect to five hundred (500) or more individuals, such notice must be provided immediately. If the breach was with respect to less than five hundred (500) individuals, the Business Associate may maintain a log of such breach occurring and annually submit such log to the Covered Entity so that it may satisfy its obligation to notify the Secretary of HHS documenting such breaches occurring in the year involved.

7.6 Content of Notices. All notices required under this Attachment shall include the content set forth 45 C.F.R § 164.404 and FIPA. Notification to individuals except that references therein to a "covered entity" shall be read as references to the Business Associate.

Regardless of the method by which notice is provided to individuals under this section, notice of a breach shall include, to the extent possible, the following: (1) a brief description of what happened, including the date of the breach and the date of the discovery of the breach, if known; (2) a description of the types of unsecured PHI and PI that were involved in the breach (such as full name, social security number, date of birth, home address, account number, or disability code); (3) the steps individuals should take to protect themselves from potential harm resulting from the breach; (4) a brief description of what the covered entity involved is doing to investigate the breach, to mitigate losses, and to protect against any further breaches; (5) contact procedures for individuals to ask questions or learn additional information, which shall include a toll free telephone number, an e-mail address, web site, or postal address.

- 7.7 Notice to Credit Reporting Agencies. In the case of a breach of PI discovered by the Business Associate where the unsecured PI of more than one thousand (1000) individuals has reasonably believed to have been, accessed, acquired, or disclosed, after prior approval by the Covered Entity, the Business Associate shall notify all consumer reporting agencies nationwide, that complete and maintain files in accordance with the provisions of § 501.171(5).
- **7.8 Financial Responsibility.** The Business Associate shall be responsible for all costs related to the notice required by this Section.
- **7.9 Mitigation.** Business Associate shall mitigate, to the extent practicable, any harmful effects that is known to the Business Associate of use or disclosure of PHI or PI in violation of this Agreement, the HIPAA Privacy and Rules, and FIPA.

# VIII. TERMINATION

- **8.1 Automatic Termination.** Covered Entity is authorized to automatically terminate this Agreement, if it determines that the Business Associate has violated a material term of the Agreement.
- **8.2 Opportunity to Cure or Terminate.** At the Covered Entity's sole discretion, Covered Entity may either (a) provide notice of breach and an opportunity for Business Associate to reasonably and promptly cure the breach or end the violation, and terminate this Agreement if Business Associate does not cure the breach, or end the violation within the

reasonable time specified by Covered Entity, or (b) immediately terminate this Agreement if Business Associate has breached a material term of this Agreement and cure is not possible.

- **8.3 Effects of Termination.** Termination of this Agreement shall not affect any claim or rights that arise based on the acts or omissions of the parties prior to the effective date of termination.
- 8.4 Duties of Business Associate Upon Termination.
  - 8.4.1 When this Agreement is terminated, the PHI and PI that Business Associate received from, created, or received on behalf of Covered Entity must be destroyed or returned to Covered Entity, at the Business Associate's expense, including all PHI and PI in the possession of Business Associate's subcontractors or agents. However, if Business Associate determines that returning or destroying PHI and PI is not feasible, Business Associate must maintain the privacy protections under this Agreement and according to applicable law for as long as Business Associate retains the PHI and PI, and Business Associate may only use or disclose the PHI and PI for specific uses or disclosures that make it necessary for Business Associate to retain the PHI and PI.
  - 8.4.2 If Business Associate determines that it is not feasible for Business Associate to return PHI or PI in the subcontractor's or agent's possession, Business Associate must provide a written explanation to Covered Entity of such reasons and require the subcontractors and agents to agree to extend any and all protections, limitations, and restrictions contained in this Agreement to the subcontractor's or agent's use or disclosure of any PHI and PI retained after the termination of this Agreement, and to limit any further uses or disclosures for the purposes that make the return or destruction of the PHI or PI not feasible.

# IX. MISCELLANEOUS

9.1 Agreement Subject to All Applicable Laws. The Parties recognize and agree that this Agreement and their activities are governed by federal, state, and local laws, including the regulations, rules, and policies of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services including, but not limited to, HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules, FIPA, and their accompanying regulations. The parties further recognize and agree that this Agreement is subject to new legislation as well as amendments to government regulations, rules, and police, and agree to amend this Agreement accordingly.

- **9.2 No Third party Beneficiaries.** Nothing express or implied in this Agreement is intended to confer, nor shall anything herein confer, upon any person other than the Parties and the respective successors or assigns of the Parties any rights, remedies, obligations, or liabilities whatsoever.
- **9.3 Survival.** The rights and obligations of the Parties in Articles IV, V, VI, VII, and Sections 8.4, 9.6, 9.8, 9.9 shall survive termination of this Agreement indefinitely.
- **9.4 Amendment.** This Agreement may be revoked, amended, changed, or modified only by a written amended executed by both Parties.
- **9.5 Assignment.** This Agreement, including each and every right and obligation referenced herein, shall not be assigned by the Business Associate without the express prior written consent of the County.
- 9.6 Enforcement Costs. If any legal action or other proceedings, including arbitration, is brought for the enforcement of this Agreement or because of an alleged dispute, breach, default, or misrepresentation in connection with any provision of this Agreement, the successful or prevailing Party or Parties shall be entitled to recover reasonable court costs and all expenses, if not taxable as court costs, incurred in that action or proceeding, including all appeals, in addition to any other relief to which such Party or Parties may be entitled. Such enforcement costs shall not be dischargeable in bankruptcy.
- **9.7 Interpretation.** Any ambiguity in this Agreement shall be resolved in favor of a meaning that permits Covered Entity to comply with the Privacy and Security Rules.
- 9.8 Indemnification. Business Associate agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless Covered Entity, its officials and employees from all claims, actions, losses, suits, judgments, fines, liabilities, costs and expenses (including attorney's fees) attributable to its negligent acts or omissions, or those of its officials and employees acting within the scope of their employment, or arising out of or resulting from the indemnifying party's negligent performance under this Agreement. Nothing contained herein shall constitute a waiver of sovereign immunity or the provisions of § 768.28, Florida Statutes. The foregoing shall not constitute an agreement by either party to assume any liability for the acts, omissions and/or negligence of the other party.
- **9.9 Execution/Authority.** Each signatory to this Agreement represents and warrants that he or she possesses all necessary capacity and authority to act for, sign, and bind the respective entity or person on whose behalf he or she is signing.

- **9.10 Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state of Florida to the extent not preempted by the Privacy Rules or other applicable federal law.
- 9.11 Notice. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed received when delivered personally or when deposited in the U.S. mail, postage prepaid, sent registered, or certified mail, return receipt requested, or sent via nationally recognized and receipted overnight courier service, to the Parties at their respective principal office or record as set forth below or as designed in writing from time-to-time. No notice of a change of address shall be effective until received by the other Party(ies)

### **Health Services Department**

Director, Health Services/EMS 2002 A E Michigan St Orlando, FL 32806 (407) 836-7611

Copy to:
Orange County Administrator
Administration Building, 5th Floor
201 S Rosalind Avenue

Orlando, FL 32801

# **Business Associate**

Name Address City,

State, ZIP

- 9.12 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall to any extent be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such affected provision to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each provision of this Agreement shall be valid and shall be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law. It is further the intention of the Parties that if any provision of this Agreement were capable of two constructions, one that rendered the provision void and one that renders the provision valid, then the provision shall have the meaning that renders it valid.
- 9.13 Successors and Assigns. Business Associate shall not assign either its obligations or benefits under this Agreement without the expressed written consent of the Covered Entity, which shall be at the sole discretion of the Covered Entity. Given the nature of this Agreement, neither subcontracting nor assignment by the Business Associate is anticipated and the use of those terms herein does not indicate that permission to assign or subcontract has been granted.

- 9.14 Venue. Any action or proceeding seeking to enforce any provision, or based on any right arising out of this Agreement shall be brought against any of the Parties in the courts of the State of Florida, County of Orange and each of the Parties consents to the jurisdiction of such courts (and of the appropriate appellate courts) in any such action or proceeding and waives any objection to venue therein. Process in any action or proceeding referred to in the proceeding sentence may be served on any Party anywhere.
- 9.15 Waiver and Breach. No failure by a Party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, agreement, term, or condition of this Agreement shall constitute a waiver of any such breach or such covenant, agreement, term, or condition. Any party may waive compliance by the other Party with any of the provisions of this Agreement if done so in writing. No waiver of any provision shall be construed as a waiver of any other provision or any subsequent waiver of the same provision.
- **9.16 Entire Agreement.** The original Contract executed by the Parties known as Contract Y17-1029-DG, this Agreement, and any addenda or attachments thereto shall construe the entire understanding between the Parties as to the rights, obligations, duties, and services to be performed hereunder.