

COLLIN COUNTY

Offender Specimen Collection and Drug Testing Services RFP 2018-179

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By order of the Commissioners' Court of Collin County, Texas, sealed proposals will be received by the Purchasing Agent, 2300 Bloomdale, Suite 3160, McKinney, TX 75071, **until 2:00 P.M., Thursday, June 7, 2018,** for Request for Proposal **Offender Specimen Collection and Drug Testing Services, RFP No. 2018-179.** Offerors shall use unit pricing. Funds for payment have been provided through the Collin County budget approved by the Commissioner's Court for this fiscal year only. Offerors may obtain detailed specifications and other documents at Office of the Purchasing Agent: Collin County Administration Building, 2300 Bloomdale, Suite 3160, McKinney, TX 75071, 972-548-4165, or by going to: http://collincountytx.ionwave.net. Sealed proposals will be opened on **Thursday, June 7, 2018 at 2:00 P.M.** by the Purchasing Agent, 2300 Bloomdale, Suite 3160, McKinney, TX 75071. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

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Collin County, Texas

Bid Information		nformation	Ship to Information
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gosinaike@co.collin.tx.us		McKinney, TX 75071	
(972) 548-4107 x	Contact	Geri Osinaike, CPPO, CPPB Senior	Contact
(972) 548-4694 x		Buyer	Department
	Department	Purchasing	Building
2018-179	Building	Admin. Building	Floor/Room
Offender Specimen Collection and	Floor/Room	Ste.3160	Telephone
Drug Testing Services	Telephone	(972) 548-4107 x	Fax
RFP	Fax	(972) 548-4694 x	Email
05/22/2018 6/7/2018 02:00:00 PM (CT)	Email	gosinaike@co.collin.tx.us	
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Supplier Information

Supplier Notes

Company Name Contact Name		
Contact Name		
Address		
Telephone		
Telephone Fax Email		
Email		

The undersigned hereby certifies the foregoing proposal submitted by the company listed below hereinafter called "offeror" is the duly authorized agent of said company and the person signing said proposal has been duly authorized to execute same. Offeror affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract; this company; corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this proposal in collusion with any other offeror or other person or persons engaged in the same line of business; and that the contents of this proposal as to prices, terms and conditions of said proposal have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this proposal.

Signature	Date	/ /	

Bid Notes

Bid Activities				
Date	Name	Description		
5/31/2018 02:00 PM (CT)	Deadline to Submit Questions			
5/31/2018 02:00 PM (CT)	Intent to Submit Proposal	Do you intend to submit a proposal?		

Bid Messages

Bid Attachments

The following attachments are associated with this opportunity and will need to be retrieved separately

#	Filename	Description
Header	Legal Notice - 2018-179 Specimen Collection.pdf	Legal Notice
Header	General_Instructions_Proposals.c	General_Instructions_Proposals locx
Header	Terms_of_Contract_Proposals.do	Terms_of_Contract_Proposals cx
Header	Insurance updated 1-26-2015.doc	Minimum Insurance Requirements
Header	RFP Offender Specimen Collection 2018- CSCD Final.pdf	Specification
Header	Attachment A Collection Data.pdf	Attachment A
Header	Attachment B CSCD Agreement.pdf	Attachment B
Header	HB89 Verification.docx	HB89/Chapter 2270 Verification
Header	CIQ_113015.pdf	Conflict of Interest Questionnaire
Header	Information_Regarding_COI_Que 2018-179.pdf	Information Regarding Conflict of Interest Questionnaire stionnaire
Header	W9_2014.pdf	W-9

Bid Attachments Requested

The follow	The following attachments are requested with this opportunity			
#	Required	Specified Attachment		
1	YES	Proposal/Response to RFP		
2	YES	W9		
3	NO	Conflict of Interest Questionnaire		
4	NO	Optional Screens Fees : Provide fees for any optional screens per section 5.20.4.		

Bid Attributes

#	Name	Note	Response
1	Delivery	Delivery will be F.O.B. inside delivery at Collin County designated locations and all transportation charges are to be paid by the supplier to destination.	(Required)
		Please state delivery in calendar days from date of order.	
2	Exceptions	Do you take exceptions to the specifications. If so, by separate attachment, please state your exceptions. Valid Responses: [Please Select], Yes, No	(Required)
3	Insurance	I understand that the insurance requirements of this solicitation are required and a certificate of insurance shall be submitted to the Purchasing department if I am awarded all or a portion of the resulting contract.	(Required)

4	Subcontractors	State the business name of all subcontractors and the type of work they will be performing under this contract.	(Required)
		If you are fully qualified to self-perform the entire contract, please respond with "Not Applicable-Self Perform".	
5	Reference No. 1	List a company or governmental agency where these same/like products /services, as stated herein, have been provided.	(Required)
		Include the following: Company/Entity, Contact, Address, City/State/Zip, Phone, and E-Mail.	
6	Reference No. 2	List a company or governmental agency where these same/like products /services, as stated herein, have been provided.	(Required)
		Include the following: Company/Entity, Contact, Address, City/State/Zip, Phone, and E-Mail.	
7	Reference No. 3	List a company or governmental agency where these same/like products /services, as stated herein, have been provided.	(Required)
		Include the following: Company/Entity, Contact, Address, City/State/Zip, Phone, and E-Mail.	
8	Cooperative Contracts	As permitted under Title 8, Chapter 271, Subchapter F, Section 271.101 and 271.102 V.T.C.A. and Title 7, Chapter 791, Subchapter C, Section 791.025, V.T.C.A., other local governmental entities may wish to also participate under the same terms and conditions contained in this contract. Each entity wishing to participate must enter into an inter-local agreement with Collin County and have prior authorization from vendor. If such participation is authorized, all purchase orders will be issued directly from and shipped directly to the local governmental entity requiring supplies/services. Collin County shall not be held responsible for any orders placed, deliveries made or payment for supplies/services ordered by these entities. Each entity reserves the right to determine their participation in this contract. Would bidder be willing to allow other local governmental entities to participate in this contract, if awarded, under the same terms and conditions?	(Required)
9	Preferential Treatment	Valid Responses: [Please Select], Yes, No The County of Collin, as a governmental agency of the	(Required)
		 State of Texas, may not award a contract to a nonresident bidder unless the nonresident's bid is lower than the lowest bid submitted by a responsible Texas resident bidder by the same amount that a Texas resident bidder would be required to underbid a nonresident bidder to obtain a comparable contract in the state in which the nonresident's principal place of business is located (Government Code, Title 10, V.T.C.A., Chapter 2252, Subchapter A). 1. Is your principal place of business in the State of 	
		2. If your principal place of business is not in Texas, in	

Please initial.

		which State is your principal place of business?	
		3. If your principal place of business is not in Texas, does your state favor resident bidders (bidders in your state) by some dollar increment or percentage?	
		4. If your state favors resident bidders, state by what dollar amount or percentage.	
10	Debarment Certification	I certify that neither my company nor an owner or principal of my company has been debarred, suspended or otherwise made ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension," as described in the Federal Register and Rules and Regulations.	(Required)
		Please initial.	
11	Immigration and Reform Act	I declare and affirm that my company is in compliance with the Immigration and Reform Act of 1986 and all employees are legally eligible to work in the United States of America.	(Required)
		I further understand and acknowledge that any non-compliance with the Immigration and Reform Act of 1986 at any time during the term of this contract will render the contract voidable by Collin County.	
		Please initial.	
12	Disclosure of Certain Relationships	Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires that any vendor considering doing business with a local government entity disclose the vendor's affiliation or business relationship that might cause a conflict of interest with a local government entity. Subchapter 6 of the code requires a vendor to file a conflict of interest questionnaire (CIQ) if a conflict exists. By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of Collin County no later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of an event that requires the statement to be filed. A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates the code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor.	(Required)
		By submitting a response to this request, the vendor represents that it is in compliance with the requirements of Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code.	
		Please send completed forms to the Collin County County Clerk's Office located at 2300 Bloomdale Rd., Suite 2104, McKinney, TX 75071.	
		Please initial.	
13	Anti-Collusion Statement	Bidder certifies that its Bid/Proposal is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a Bid/Proposal for the same materials, services, supplies, or equipment and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.	(Required)
		No premiums, rebates or gratuities permitted; either with, prior to, or after any delivery of material or provision of services. Any such violation may result in Agreement cancellation, return of materials or discontinuation of services and the possible removal from bidders list.	
		Please initial.	
14	Disclosure of Interested Parties	Section 2252.908 of the Texas Government Code requires	(Required)

a business entity entering into certain contracts with a governmental entity to file with the governmental entity a disclosure of interested parties at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity. Section 2252.908 requires the disclosure form (Form 1295) to be signed by the authorized agent of the contracting business entity, acknowledging that the disclosure is made under oath and under penalty of perjury. Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract that requires an action or vote by the governing body of the governmental entity before the contract may be signed or has a value of at least \$1 million. Section 2252.908 provides definitions of certain terms occurring in the section.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

Please initial.

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Notification Survey

In order to better serve our offerors, the Collin County _ Purchasing Department is conducting the following survey. We appreciate your time and effort expended to submit your bid. Should you have any questions or require more information please call (972) 548-4165.

> How did you receive notice of this request? Valid Responses: [Please Select], Plano Star Courier, Plan Room, Collin County eBid Notification, Collin County Website, Other

16 Proposer Acknowledgement Proposer acknowledges, understands the specifications, any and all addenda, and agrees to the proposal terms and conditions and can provide the minimum requirements stated herein. Offeror acknowledges they have read the document in its entirety, visited the site, performed investigations and verifications as deemed necessary, is familiar with local conditions under which work is to be performed and will be responsible for any and all errors in Proposal submittal resulting from Proposer's failure to do so. Proposer acknowledges the prices submitted in this Proposal have been carefully reviewed and are submitted as correct and final. If Proposal is accepted, vendor further certifies and agrees to furnish any and all products/services upon which prices are extended at the price submitted, and upon conditions in the specifications of the Request for Proposal.

Please initial.

_ (Required)

_ (Required)

	Qty	UOM	Description	Response
	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			5 Panel: Screen Only	
			Amphetamine-Methamphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/ Benzodiazepines/THC	¢
				\$ (Required)
				Price
	Suppli	er Notes:		
	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			5 Panel: Confirmation after Screen	
			Amphetamine-Methamphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/ Benzodiazepines/THC	\$
				(Required)
				Price
	Suppli	er Notes:		
3	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			5 Panel: Screen with Automatic Confirmation of Positives	
			Amphetamine-Methamphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/ Benzodiazepines/THC	\$
				⊅ (Required)
				Price
	Suppli	er Notes:		
	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			6 Panel: Screen Only	
			Alcohol/Amphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/THC/Benzodiazepine	\$
				(Required) Price
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	Suppli	er Notes:		
5	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			6 Panel: Confirmation after Screen	
			Alcohol/Amphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/THC/Benzodiazepine	
				\$ (Required)
				(Required) Price

6	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			6 Panel: Screen with Automatic Confirmation of Positives	
			Alcohol/Amphetamine/Cocaine/Opiates/THC/Benzodiazepine	•
				\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier	Notes:		
7	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			ETG - Alcohol: Screen Only	
				\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier	Notes:		
8	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			ETG - Alcohol: Confirmation after Screen	
				\$ (Required)
				Price
	Supplier	Notes:		
9	1	each	Basic Screens:	
			ETG - Alcohol: Screen With Automatic Confirmation of Positives	
				\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier	Notes:		
10	1	each	Additional Screens:	
			8 Panel: Screen Only Alcohol, Amphetamine/Methamphetamine,Barbiturates,Benzodiazepines,Cocaine,Opiates,Phencyc and THC	Slidine
				\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier	Notes:		

11	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		8 Panel: Confirmation after Screen Alcohol, Amphetamine/Methamphetamine, Barbiturates, Benzodiazepines,Cocaine,Opiates,Phencyclidine and THC	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
12	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		8 Panel: Screen with Automatic Confirmation of Positives Alcohol, Amphetamine/Methamphetamine, Barbiturates, Benzodiazepines,Cocaine,Opiates,Phencyclidine and THC	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
13	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Spice: Screen Only	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes: _		
14	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Spice: Confirmation after Screen	2
			v (Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
15	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Spice: Screen with Automatic confirmation of Positive	\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
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16	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Methadone: Screen Only	\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
17	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Methadone: Confirmation after Screen	\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
18	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Methadone: Screen with Automatic Confirmation of Positives	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
19	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Synthetic Cannabinoids: Screen Only	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
20	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Synthetic Cannabinoids: Confirmation after Screen	\$
			(Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		
21	1 each	Additional Screens:	
		Synthetic Cannabinoids: Screen with Automatic Confirmation of Positives	\$ (Required) Price
	Supplier Notes:		

\$_____ (Required) Price

Item Notes: Please add any optional screens per section 5.20.4.

Supplier Notes:

1.0 **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

1.0.1 Definitions

1.0.1.1 Offeror: refers to submitter.

1.0.1.2 Vendor/Contractor/Provider: refers to a Successful Vendor/Contractor/Service Provider.

1.0.1.3 Submittal: refers to those documents required to be submitted to Collin County, by an Offeror.

1.0.1.4 RFP: refers to Request for Proposal.

1.0.1.5 CSP: refers to Competitive Sealed Proposal

1.1 If Offeror does not wish to submit an offer at this time, please submit a No Bid.

1.2 Awards shall be made not more than ninety (90) days after the time set for opening of submittals.

1.3 Collin County is always conscious and extremely appreciative of your time and effort in preparing your submittal.

1.4 Collin County exclusively uses ionWave Technologies, Inc. (Collin County eBid) for the notification and dissemination of all solicitations. The receipt of solicitations through any other company may result in your receipt of incomplete specifications and/or addendums which could ultimately render your bid non-compliant. Collin County accepts no responsibility for the receipt and/or notification of solicitations through any other company.

1.5 A submittal may not be withdrawn or canceled by the offeror prior to the ninety-first (91st) day following public opening of submittals and only prior to award.

1.6 It is understood that Collin County, Texas reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all Proposals/Submittals for any or all products and/or services covered in a Request For Proposal (RFP) and Competitive Sealed Proposal (CSP), and to waive informalities or defects in submittals or to accept such submittals as it shall deem to be in the best interest of Collin County.

1.7 All RFP's and CSP's submitted in hard copy paper form shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, plainly marked on the outside with the RFP/CSP number and name. A hard copy paper form submittal shall be manually signed in ink by a person having the authority to bind the firm in a contract. Submittals shall be mailed or hand delivered to the Collin County Purchasing Department.

1.8 No oral, telegraphic or telephonic submittals will be accepted. RFP's and CSP's may be submitted in electronic format via Collin County eBid.

1.9 All Request for Proposals (RFP) and Competitive Sealed Proposals (CSP) submitted electronically via Collin County eBid shall remain locked until official date and time of opening as stated in the Special Terms and Conditions of the RFP and/or CSP.

1.10 Time/date stamp clock in Collin County Purchasing Department shall be the official time of receipt for all Request for Proposals (RFP) and Competitive Sealed Proposals (CSP) submitted in hard copy paper form. RFP's, and CSP's received in the Collin County Purchasing Department after submission deadline shall be considered void and unacceptable. Absolutely no late submittals will be considered. Collin County accepts no responsibility for technical difficulties related to electronic submittals.

1.11 For hard copy paper form submittals, any alterations made prior to opening date and time must be initialed by the signer of the RFP/CSP, guaranteeing authenticity. Submittals cannot be altered or amended after submission deadline.

1.12 Collin County is by statute exempt from the State Sales Tax and Federal Excise Tax; therefore, the prices submitted shall not include taxes.

1.13 Any interpretations, corrections and/or changes to a Request for Proposal or Competitive Sealed Proposal and related Specifications or extensions to the opening/receipt date will be made by addenda to the respective document by the Collin County Purchasing Department. Questions and/or clarification requests must be submitted no later than seven (7) days prior to the opening/receipt date. Those received at a later date may not be addressed prior to the public opening. Sole authority to authorize addenda shall be vested in Collin County Purchasing Agent as entrusted by the Collin County Commissioners' Court. Addenda may be transmitted electronically via Collin County eBid.

1.13.1 Addenda will be transmitted to all that are known to have received a copy of the RFP/CSP and related Specifications. However, it shall be the sole responsibility of the Bidder/Quoter/Offeror to verify issuance/non-issuance of addenda and to check all avenues of document availability (i.e. **Collin County eBid** <u>https://collincountytx.ionwave.net/</u>, telephoning Purchasing Department directly, etc.) prior to opening/receipt date and time to insure Offeror's receipt of any addenda issued. Offeror shall acknowledge receipt of all addenda.

1.14 All materials and services shall be subject to Collin County approval.

1.15 Collin County reserves the right to make award in whole or in part as it deems to be in the best interest of the County.

1.16 Any reference to model/make and/or manufacturer used in specifications is for descriptive purposes only. Products/materials of like quality will be considered.

1.17 Offerors taking exception to the specifications shall do so at their own risk. By offering substitutions, Offeror shall state these exceptions in the section provided in the RFP/CSP or by attachment. Exception/substitution, if accepted, must meet or exceed specifications stated therein. Collin County reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all of the exception(s)/substitution(s) deemed to be in the best interest of the County.

1.18 Minimum Standards for Responsible Prospective Offerors: A prospective Offeror must meet the following minimum requirements:

1.18.1 have adequate financial resources, or the ability to obtain such resources as required;

1.18.2 be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery/completion schedule;

1.18.3 have a satisfactory record of performance;

1.18.4 have a satisfactory record of integrity and ethics;

1.18.5 be otherwise qualified and eligible to receive an award.

Collin County may request documentation and other information sufficient to determine Offeror's ability to meet these minimum standards listed above.

1.20 Vendor shall bear any/all costs associated with it's preparation of a RFP/CSP submittal.

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1.21 Public Information Act: Collin County is governed by the Texas Public Information Act, Chapter 552 of All information submitted by prospective bidders during the bidding process is subject to release under the Act.

1.22 The Offeror shall comply with Commissioners' Court Order No. 2004-167-03-11, County Logo Policy.

1.23 Interlocal Agreement: Successful bidder agrees to extend prices and terms to all entities that has entered into or will enter into joint purchasing interlocal cooperation agreements with Collin County.

1.24 Bid Openings: All bids submitted will be read at the county's regularly scheduled bid opening for the designated project. However, the reading of a bid at bid opening should be not construed as a comment on the responsiveness of such bid or as any indication that the county accepts such bid as responsive.

The county will make a determination as to the responsiveness of bids submitted based upon compliance with all applicable laws, Collin County Purchasing Guidelines, and project documents, including but not limited to the project specifications and contract documents. The county will notify the successful bidder upon award of the contract and, according to state law; all bids received will be available for inspection at that time.

1.25 Offeror shall comply with all local, state and federal employment and discrimination laws and shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin or any other class protected by law.

2.0 **TERMS OF CONTRACT**

2.1 A proposal, when properly accepted by Collin County, shall constitute a contract equally binding between the Vendor/Contractor/Provider and Collin County. No different or additional terms will become part of this contract with the exception of an Amendment.

2.2 No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in the resulting contract. All Amendments to the contract will be made in writing by Collin County Purchasing Agent.

2.3 No public official shall have interest in the contract, in accordance with Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated, Local Government Code Title 5, Subtitle C, Chapter 171.

2.4 The Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall comply with Commissioners' Court Order No. 96-680-10-28, Establishment of Guidelines & Restrictions Regarding the Acceptance of Gifts by County Officials & County Employees.

2.5 Design, strength, quality of materials and workmanship must conform to the highest standards of manufacturing and engineering practice.

2.6 Proposals must comply with all federal, state, county and local laws concerning the type(s) of product(s)/service(s)/equipment/project(s) contracted for, and the fulfillment of all ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) requirements.

2.7 All products must be new and unused, unless otherwise specified, in first-class condition and of current manufacture. Obsolete products, including products or any parts not compatible with existing hardware/software configurations will not be accepted.

2.8 Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall provide any and all notices as may be required under the Drug-Free Work Place Act of 1988, 28 CFR Part 67, Subpart F, to its employees and all sub-contractors to insure that Collin County maintains a drug-free work place.

2.9 Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall defend, indemnify and save harmless Collin County and all its officers, agents and employees and all entities, their officers, agents and employees who are participating in this contract from all suits, claims, actions, damages (including personal injury and or property damages), or demands of any character, name and description, (including attorneys' fees, expenses and other defense costs of any nature) brought for or on account of any injuries or damages received or sustained by any person, persons, or property on account of Vendor/Contractor/Provider's breach of the contract arising from an award, and/or any negligent act, error, omission or fault of the Vendor/Contractor/Provider, or of any agent, employee, subcontractor or supplier of Vendor/Contractor/Provider in the execution of, or performance under, any contract which may result from an award. Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall pay in full any judgment with costs, including attorneys' fees and expenses which are rendered against Collin County and/or participating entities arising out of such breach, act, error, omission and/or fault.

2.10 Expenses for Enforcement. In the event either Party hereto is required to employ an attorney to enforce the provisions of this Agreement or is required to commence legal proceedings to enforce the provisions hereof, the prevailing Party shall be entitled to recover from the other, reasonable attorney's fees and court costs incurred in connection with such enforcement, including collection.

2.11 If a contract, resulting from a Collin County RFP/CSP is for the execution of a public work, the following shall apply:

2.11.1 In accordance with V.T.C.A. 2253.021, a governmental agency that makes a public work contract with a prime contractor shall require the contractor, before

beginning work, to execute to the governmental entity a Payment Bond if the contract is in excess of \$25,000.00. Such bond shall be in the amount of the contract payable to the governmental entity and must be executed by a corporate surety in accordance with Section 1, Chapter 87, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959 (Article 7.19-1 Vernon's Texas Insurance Code).

2.11.2 In accordance with V.T.C.A. 2253.021, a governmental agency that makes a public work contract with a prime contractor shall require the contractor, before beginning work, to execute to the governmental entity a Performance Bond if the contract is in excess of \$100,000.00. Such bond shall be in the amount of the contract payable to the governmental entity and must be executed by a corporate surety in accordance with Section 1, Chapter 87, Acts of the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959 (Article 7.19-1 Vernon's Texas Insurance Code).

2.12 Purchase Order(s) shall be generated by Collin County to the vendor. Collin County will not be responsible for any orders placed/delivered without a valid purchase order number.

2.13 The contract shall remain in effect until any of the following occurs: delivery of product(s) and/or completion and acceptance by Collin County of product(s) and/or service(s), contract expires or is terminated by either party with thirty (30) days written notice prior to cancellation and notice must state therein the reasons for such cancellation. Collin County reserves the right to terminate the contract immediately in the event the Vendor/Contractor/Provider fails to meet delivery or completion schedules, or otherwise perform in accordance with the specifications. Breach of contract or default authorizes the County to purchase elsewhere and charge the full increase in cost and handling to the defaulting Vendor/Contractor/Provider.

2.14 Collin County Purchasing Department shall serve as Contract Administrator or shall supervise agents designated by Collin County.

2.15 All delivery and freight charges (FOB Inside delivery at Collin County designated locations) are to be included as part of the proposal price. All components required to render the item complete, installed and operational shall be included in the total proposal price. Collin County will pay no additional freight/delivery/installation/setup fees.

2.16 Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall notify the Purchasing Department immediately if delivery/completion schedule cannot be met. If delay is foreseen, the Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall give written notice to the Purchasing Agent. The County has the right to extend delivery/completion time if reason appears valid.

2.17 The title and risk of loss of the product(s) shall not pass to Collin County until Collin County actually receives and takes possession of the product(s) at the point or points of delivery. Collin County shall generate a purchase order(s) to the Vendor/Contractor/Provider and the purchase order number must appear on all itemized invoices.

2.18 Invoices shall be mailed directly to the Collin County Auditor's Office, 2300 Bloomdale Road, Suite 3100, McKinney, Texas 75071. All invoices shall show:

2.18.1 Collin County Purchase Order Number;

2.18.2 Vendor's/Contractor's/Provider's Name, Address and Tax Identification Number;

2.18.3 Detailed breakdown of all charges for the product(s) and/or service(s) including applicable time frames.

2.19 Payment will be made in accordance with V.T.C.A., Government Code, Title 10, Subtitle F, Chapter 2251.

2.20 All warranties shall be stated as required in the Uniform Commercial Code.

2.21 The Vendor/Contractor/Provider and Collin County agree that both parties have all rights, duties, and remedies available as stated in the Uniform Commercial Code.

2.22 The Vendor/Contractor/Provider agree to protect Collin County from any claims involving infringements of patents and/or copyrights.

2.23 The contract will be governed by the laws of the State of Texas. Should any portion of the contract be in conflict with the laws of the State of Texas, the State laws shall invalidate only that portion. The remaining portion of the contract shall remain in effect. The contract is performable in Collin County, Texas.

2.24 The Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall not sell, assign, transfer or convey the contract, in whole or in part, without the prior written approval from Collin County.

2.25 The apparent silence of any part of the specification as to any detail or to the apparent omission from it of a detailed description concerning any point, shall be regarded as meaning that only the best commercial practices are to prevail. All interpretations of the specification shall be made on the basis of this statement.

2.26 Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall not fraudulently advertise, publish or otherwise make reference to the existence of a contract between Collin County and Vendor/Contractor/Provider for purposes of solicitation. As exception, Vendor/Contractor/Provider may refer to Collin County as an evaluating reference for purposes of establishing a contract with other entities.

2.27 The Vendor/Contractor/Provider understands, acknowledges and agrees that if the Vendor/Contractor/Provider subcontracts with a third party for services and/or material, the primary Vendor/Contractor/Provider (awardee) accepts responsibility for full and prompt payment to the third party. Any dispute between the primary Vendor/Contractor/Provider and the third party, including any payment dispute, will be promptly remedied by the primary vendor. Failure to promptly render a remedy or to make prompt payment to the third party (subcontractor) may result in the withholding of funds from the primary Vendor/Contractor/Provider by Collin County for any payments owed to the third party.

2.28 Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall provide Collin County with diagnostic access tools at no additional cost to Collin County, for all Electrical and Mechanical systems, components, etc., procured through this contract.

2.29 Criminal History Background Check: If required, ALL individuals may be subject to a criminal history background check performed by the Collin County's Sheriff's Office prior to access being granted to Collin County. Upon request, Vendor/Contractor/Provider shall provide list of individuals to Collin County Purchasing Department within five (5) working days.

2.30 Non-Disclosure Agreement: Where applicable, vendor shall be required to sign a nondisclosure agreement acknowledging that all information to be furnished is in all respects confidential in nature, other than information which is in the public domain through other means and that any disclosure or use of same by vendor, except as provided in the contract/agreement, may cause serious harm or damage to Collin County. Therefore, Vendor agrees that Vendor will not use the information furnished for any purpose other than that stated in contract/agreement, and agrees that Vendor will not either directly or indirectly by agent, employee, or representative disclose this information, either in whole or in part, to any third party, except on a need to know basis for the purpose of evaluating any possible transaction. This agreement shall be binding upon Collin County and Vendor, and upon the directors, officers, employees and agents of each.

2.31 Vendors/Contractors/Providers must be in compliance with the Immigration and Reform Act of 1986 and all employees specific to this solicitation must be legally eligible to work in the United States of America.

2.32 Certification of Eligibility: This provision applies if the anticipated Contract exceeds \$100,000.00 and as it relates to the expenditure of federal grant funds. By submitting a bid or proposal in response to this solicitation, the Offeror certifies that at the time of submission, he/she is not on the Federal Government's list of suspended, ineligible, or debarred contractors. In the event of placement on the list between the time of proposal submission and time of award, the Offeror will notify the Collin County Purchasing Agent. Failure to do so may result in terminating this contract for default.

Notice to Vendors/Contractors/Providers delivering goods or performing services within the 2.33 Collin County Detention Facility: The Collin County Detention Facility houses persons who have been charged with and/or convicted of serious criminal offenses. When entering the Detention Facility, you could: (1) hear obscene or graphic language; (2) view partially clothed male inmates; (3) be subjected to verbal abuse or taunting; (4) risk physical altercations or physical contact, which could be minimal or possibly serious; (5) be exposed to communicable or infectious diseases; (6) be temporarily detained or prevented from immediately leaving the Detention Facility in the case of an emergency or "lockdown"; and (7) subjected to a search of your person or property. While the Collin County Sheriff's Office takes every reasonable precaution to protect the safety of visitors to the Detention Facility, because of the inherently dangerous nature of a Detention Facility and the type of the persons incarcerated therein, please be advised of the possibility of such situations exist and you should carefully consider such risks By entering the Collin County Detention Facility, you when entering the Detention Facility. acknowledge that you are aware of such potential risks and willingly and knowingly choose to enter the Collin County Detention Facility.

2.34 Delays and Extensions of Time when applicable:

2.34.1 If the Vendor/Contractor/Provider is delayed at any time in the commence or progress of the Work by an act or neglect of the Owner or Architect/Engineer, or of an employee of either, or of a separate contractor employed by the Owner, or by changes ordered in the Work, or by labor disputes, fire, unusual delay in deliveries, unavoidable casualties or other causes beyond the Vendor/Contractor/Provider's control, or by delay authorized by the Owner pending mediation and arbitration, or by other causes which the Owner or Architect/Engineer determines may justify delay, then the Contract Time shall be extended by Change Order for such reasonable time as the Owner/Architect/Enginner may determine.

2.34.2 If adverse weather conditions are the basis for a Claim for additional time, such Claim shall be documented by data substantiating that weather conditions were abnormal for the period of time and could not have been reasonably anticipated, and that the weather conditions had an adverse effect on the scheduled construction.

2.35 Disclosure of Certain Relationships: Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires that any vendor considering doing business with a local government entity disclose the vendor's affiliation or business relationship that might cause a conflict of interest with a local government entity. Subchapter 6 of the code requires a vendor to file a conflict of interest questionnaire (CIQ) if a conflict exists. By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of Collin County no later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of an event that requires the statement to be filed. A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates the code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor. By submitting a response to this request, the vendor represents that it is in compliance with the requirements of Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code. Please send

completed forms to the Collin County County Clerk's Office located at 2300 Bloomdale Rd., Suite 2104, McKinney, TX 75071.

2.36 Disclosure of Interested Parties: Section 2252.908 of the Texas Government Code requires a business entity entering into certain contracts with a governmental entity to file with the governmental entity a disclosure of interested parties at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity. Section 2252.908 requires the disclosure form (Form 1295) to be signed by the authorized agent of the contracting business entity, acknowledging that the disclosure is made under oath and under penalty of perjury. Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract that requires an action or vote by the governing body of the governmental entity before the contract may be signed or has a value of at least \$1 million. Section 2252.908 provides definitions of certain terms occurring in the section. Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

2.37 Vendors/Contractors/Providers must be in compliance with the provisions of Section 2270.001 of the Texas Government Code which states a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and, (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. By submitting a response to a Collin County solicitation, the vendor will be required to sign the Chapter 2270 Verification form prior to a recommendation of the contract. This Act is effective September 1, 2017.

2.38 Vendors/Contractors/Providers must be in compliance with the provisions of Section 2252.152 and Section 2252.153 of the Texas Government Code which states, in part, contracts with companies engaged in business with Iran, Sudan, or Foreign Terrorist Organizations are prohibited. A governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company that is listed on the Comptroller of the State of Texas website identified under Section 806.051, Section 807.051 or Section 2253.253 which do business with Iran, Sudan or any Foreign Terrorist Organization. This Act is effective September 1, 2017.

NOTE: All other terms and conditions (i.e. Insurance Requirements, Bond Requirements, etc.) shall be stated in the individual RFP/CSP Solicitation documents as Special Terms, Conditions and Specifications.

3.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Before commencing work, the vendor shall be required, at its own expense, to furnish the Collin County Purchasing Agent with certified copies of all insurance certificate(s) indicating the coverage to remain in force throughout the term of this contract.

3.1.1 **Commercial General Liability** insurance including but not limited to the coverage indicated below. Coverage shall not exclude or limit Products/Completed Operations, Contractual Liability, or Cross Liability. Coverage must be written on occurrence form.

•	Each Occurrence:	\$1,000,000
•	Personal Injury & Adv. Injury:	\$1,000,000
•	Products/Completed Operation Aggregate:	\$2,000,000
•	General Aggregate:	\$2,000,000

3.1.2 **Workers Compensation** insurance as required by the laws of Texas, and Employers' Liability.

Employers' Liability

	Liability, Each Accident:	\$500,000
	Disease-Each Employee:	\$500,000
•	Disease – Policy Limit:	\$500,000

3.1.3 **Commercial Automobile Liability** insurance which includes any automobile (owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles) used in connection with the contract.

• Combined Single Limit – Each Accident: \$1,000,000

3.1.4 **Professional/Errors & Omissions Liability** insurance with a two (2) year extended reporting period. If you choose to have project coverage endorsed onto your base policy, this would be acceptable.

• Each Occurrence/Aggregate: \$1,000,000

3.1.5 Umbrella/Excess Liability insurance.

• Each Occurrence/Aggregate: \$1,000,000

3.2 With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, the vendor shall endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:

3.2.1 A waiver of subrogation in favor of Collin County, its officials, employees, volunteers and officers shall be provided for General Liability, Commercial Automobile Liability, and Workers' Compensation.

3.2.2 The vendor's insurance coverage shall name Collin County as additional insured under the General Liability policy.

3.2.3 All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify Collin County of any decrease in the insurance coverage limits.

3.2.4 All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that Collin County will receive at least thirty (30) days notice prior to cancellation, non-renewal or termination of the policy.

3.2.5 All copies of Certificates of Insurance shall reference the project/contract number.

3.3 All insurance shall be purchased from an insurance company that meets the following requirements:

3.3.1 A financial rating of A-VII or higher as assigned by the BEST Rating Company or equivalent.

3.4 Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent, and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:

3.4.1 Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverages according to requirements and instructions contained herein.

3.4.2 Sets forth the notice of cancellation or termination to Collin County.

4.0 EVALUATION CRITERIA AND FACTORS

4.1 The award of the contract shall be made to the responsible offeror, whose proposal is determined to be the best evaluated offer resulting from negotiation, taking into consideration the relative importance of price and other factors set forth in the Request for Proposals in accordance with Vernon's Texas Code Annotated, Local Government 262.030.

The Evaluation Committee will review all proposals received by the Opening date and time as part of a documented evaluation process. For each decision point in the process, the County will evaluate Offerors according to specific criteria and will elevate a certain number of offeror to compete against each other. The proposals will be evaluated on the following criteria.

The County will use a competitive process based upon "selection levels." The County recognizes that if an offeror fails to meet expectations during any part of the process, it reserves the right to proceed with the remaining offerors or to elevate an offeror that was not elevated before. The selection levels are described in the following sections.

The first part of the elevation process is to validate the completeness of the proposal and ensure that all the RFP guidelines and submittal requirements are met. Offerors may, at the discretion of the County, be contacted to submit clarifications or additional information within two (2) business days. Incomplete or noncompliant RFPs may be disqualified.

LEVEL 1 – CONFORMANCE WITH MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Criteria assessed during Level 1:

• Conformance with RFP guidelines and submittal requirements.

LEVEL 2 – DETAILED PROPOSAL ASSESSMENT

The Evaluation Committee will conduct a detailed assessment of all proposals elevated to this Level. Criteria evaluated in Level 2:

Points Evaluation Criteria	
20	General Requirements: The thoroughness of the proposal and the extent to which the content of the proposal addresses the Required Services, as detailed in this RFP. Sec (5.19 -5.26, 6.3)
25	Firm Overview: Offeror's qualifications, including licenses and certifications, documented experience and, accomplishments in providing similar services (Sec 6.2)
15	Client References: Offeror's past performance in providing similar services (Sec. 6.4)

40	Cost for services: Total Cost will be calculated using average number of screens per Attachment A, for (sec 5.20.2) Basic Screens
100	Total Points

It is anticipated that the Evaluation Committee will elevate proposals scoring at least 70 points (70%) to Level 3.

LEVEL 3 – DEMONSTRATION, SITE VISITS, AND INTERVIEWS (OPTIONAL)

The Evaluation Committee may hear oral presentations (if desired). Offerors are cautioned, however, that oral presentations are at the sole discretion of the committee and the committee is not obligated to request a demonstration or interview. The oral presentation is an opportunity for the Evaluation Committee to ask questions and seek clarification of the proposal submitted. The presentation is not meant as an opportunity for the offeror to simply provide generic background information about the corporation or its experience. Thus, the time will be structured with a minimum time for the offeror to present and the majority of time dedicated to addressing questions from the Evaluation Committee. The oral presentations, if held, will be scheduled accordingly and all presenting offerors will be notified of time and date. The County reserves the right to bypass Level 3 in the evaluation process and move directly to Selection Level 4.

The following criterion is optional and will be used to evaluate those offerors elevated for interviews.

CRITERIA	VALUE
Oral Presentation/Demonstration	25
Response to clarification questions	35
Case Management and Website Demonstration	40

Proposals may be re-evaluated based upon Criteria in level 2.

LEVEL 4 –BEST AND FINAL OFFER

Offerors who are susceptible of receiving award may be elevated to Level 4 for Best and Final Offer. Offeror will be asked to respond in writing to issues and questions raised by the County as well as any other cost and implementation planning considerations in the proposal, and may be invited to present their responses on-site. Proposals may be re-evaluated based upon Criteria in level 2, and/or 3.

Based on the result of the Best and Final Offer evaluation, a single offeror will be identified as the finalist for contract negotiations. If a contract cannot be reached after a period of time deemed reasonable by the County, it reserves the right to contact any of the other offerors that have submitted bids and enter into negotiations with them.

5.0 SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND SCOPE OF SERVICES

- 5.1 Authorization: Sealed proposals will be received for Services: Offender Specimen Collection & Drug Testing.
- 5.2 Intent of Request for Proposal: Collin County's intent of this Request for Proposal (RFP) and resulting contract is to provide offerors with sufficient information to prepare an RFP response for the collection and testing of urine specimens for the presence of detectable drugs and prohibited substances. Specimens shall be screened by immunoassay and confirmed by LC/MS/MS or GC/MS. Panels shall include those listed and any additional panels that vendor may wish to suggest. Proposal shall include pricing for (1) screening only, (2) confirmation after screening, and (3) screening with automatic confirmation of positives. Additional pricing may be proposed for drugs not included in the standard panel, i.e., ecstasy, steroids, etc. Additionally, proposal shall include other types of collection and testing offered, such as oral fluid testing and hair follicle testing, and how those specimens are screened and confirmed.
- 5.3 Term: Provide for a contract commencing on September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019 with three (3) one (1) year optional renewals.
- 5.4 Confidentiality: All completed and submitted proposals become the property of Collin County. Collin County may use the proposal for any purpose it deems appropriate. Prior to Collin County approval, the proposal material is considered as "draft" and is not subject to the Texas "Public Information Act", Texas Government Code Chapter 552. After approval by Collin County, the proposal material becomes part of the contract between the vendor and Collin County. Upon signing of a contract, proposals and contracts are subject to the State of Texas "Public Information Act". If any information is to be considered proprietary, the Vendor must place it in a separate envelope and mark it "Proprietary Information". The State of Texas Attorney General retains the final authority as to the extent of material that is considered proprietary or confidential.
- 5.5 Binding Effect: This resulting agreement shall be interpreted and enforced under the laws and jurisdiction of the State of Texas. Collin County's RFP, the offeror's proposal in response to the RFP and any additional negotiated conditions reduced to writing will become part of the final contract between the successful offeror and Collin County. This agreement then constitutes the entire understanding between the parties and is not subject to amendment unless agreed upon in writing by both parties hereto. By mutual agreement, the parties may, from time to time, promulgate scope of service documents to define the scope of services. Such scope of service documents will be incorporated into the contract agreement. Offeror acknowledges and agrees that is will perform its obligations hereunder in compliance with all applicable state, local or federal law, rules, regulations, and orders.
- 5.6 Transitional Period: Upon normal completion of this contract, not to include termination for default, and in the event that no new contract has been awarded by the original expiration date of the existing contract including any extension thereof, it shall be incumbent upon the Vendor to continue the contract under the same terms and conditions until a new contract can be completely operational. At no time shall this transition period extend more than ninety (90) days beyond the original expiration date of the existing contract and any extension thereof.
- 5.7 PERMITS, TAXES, And LICENSES: The Offeror is responsible for all necessary permits, licenses, fees and taxes required to carry out the provisions of the RFP. The financial burden for such expenses rests entirely with the company providing the service under the contract.

- 5.8 Price Reduction: If during the life of the contract, the offeror's net prices to its customers for the same product(s) and/or services shall be reduced below the contracted price, it is understood and agreed that the County shall receive such price reduction.
- 5.9 Price Re-Determination: A price re-determination may be considered by Collin County only at the anniversary date (September 1st of each year) of the contract. All requests for price re-determination shall be in written form, shall be submitted on or before April 1st of each year and shall include supporting documentation. Requests for price re-determination shall be based on the percentage increase for the previous twelve (12) month period in the medical component of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) (calculated to the next 1/19th of (1%) of the South region for All Urban Consumers) as published by the United State Department of Labor. For purposes of this contract, the Medical CPI shall not exceed an annual increase of 3.0%.
- 5.10 Point of Contact: Information regarding the purchasing process and the contents of this RFP may be obtained from the Collin County Department or email gosinaike@co.collin.tx.us, Geri Osinaike, Senior Buyer.
- 5.11 Funding: Services provided will be paid for from the appropriate fiscal year funds provided by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice-Community Justice Assistance Division (TDCJ-CJAD). Contracts are subject to availability of TDCJ-CJAD funds. All representations made by the Community Supervision and Corrections Department (CSCD) are subject to the availability of legislative appropriations and do not represent an obligation on the part of the State of Texas, the Texas Board of Criminal Justice, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, or the Community Justice Assistance Division.
- 5.12 County Assertion of Estimates: Any information herein is provided as an estimate of volume based on past history. This data is provided for the general information of vendors and is not guaranteed to be relied upon for future volumes.
- 5.13 Approximate Value: The estimated value of this contract is \$450,000 annual spend. Approximate value does not constitute an order.
- 5.14 Background Check: All Contractor employees that will be working on site or by VPN shall pass a criminal background check performed by Collin County before any work may be performed. The selected offeror shall be provided the required documents to submit required information for background checks.
- 5.15 Subcontractors: Offeror shall state names of all subcontractors and the type of work they will be performing. If an offeror fails to specify a subcontractor, then he shall be deemed to have agreed that he is fully qualified to perform the contract himself, and that he will fully perform the contract himself.

No offeror whose proposal is accepted shall (a) substitute any subcontractor, or (b)permit a subcontract to be voluntarily assigned or transferred or allow it to be performed by anyone other than the original subcontractor listed in the original proposal without approval in writing from the Collin County Purchasing Department.

The successful offeror further agrees that Collin County and its agents, servants and employees shall not be liable for any loss or damage resulting from personal injury, physical loss, harassment of or discrimination against employee or other violations of the provisions of this contract occasioned by the acts or omissions of the successful offeror's sub-contractors, their agents or employees. The indemnification provisions of this contract shall apply to all sub- contractors.

5.16	PROPOSAL SCHEDULE: RFP released:	Tuesday, May 22, 2018
	Deadline for submission of vendor questions:	Thursday May 31, 2018, 2:00 p.m.
	Proposals due:	Thursday June 7, 2018, 2:00 p.m.
	Vendors notified of selection for presentation:	Optional, Approx. Date June 26 th 2018
	Award of Solicitation	August 2018
	Effective date of contract:	September 1, 2018

Collin County reserves the right to change the schedule of events as it deems necessary.

- 5.17 Samples/Demos: When requested, samples/demos shall be furnished free of expense to Collin County.
- 5.18 Background: The current vendor for these services is Treatment Assessment Screening Center.
- 5.19 REQUIRED SERVICES: The vendor's response to this RFP must address all "required services" included in this RFP. The cost for all services shall be included in the individual laboratory screening fee.

5.19.1 Provide Offeror-provided Urinalysis (UA) collection staff. The staffing pattern is the Offeror's option as long as it is sufficient to adequately handle the volume of traffic, including arrangements for backup coverage for court testimony, vacation, sick, etc.

5.19.1.1 Qualifications of the Offeror staff that will be providing day to day services, job title, brief job description, and/or any required training, certifications, and licenses.

5.19.2 Provide Offeror-operated randomized UA testing of offenders' functionality or processes as described in this RFP, which could include offeror-operated Interactive Voice Response (IVR) call-in system.

5.19.3 Provide Offeror submission of results in electronic format as described in section 5.25 within 48 hours of collection. Offeror is responsible for retrieving and transporting all specimens collected for laboratory testing from all locations daily (collection sites), within 48 hours in remote locations.

5.19.4 All specimens must be tested for adulteration, dilution, and/or substitution. Offeror must include a statement advising of all methods of detecting these conditions.

5.19.5 Offeror must agree to appear and testify in court when requested at no additional

cost to Collin County or CSCD. Offeror may seek reimbursement for expenses through the State of Texas by filing a witness fee claim form.

https://search.comptroller.texas.gov/search?site=ctg_collection&client=ctg_frontend&proxy stylesheet=ctg_frontend&output=xml_no_dtd&getfields=description&searchDropdown=Tax es&q=witness+fee+claim+form

5.19.6 According to the TDCJ-CJAD Financial Manual, "Offerors who provide offender services in amounts that exceed \$100,000 statewide (one or more CSCDs) must have an annual independent audit of the funds received from CSCDs." The winning Offeror must provide an independent audit on the total funds received from CSCD for each Fiscal Year (September 1 – August 31) if the \$100,000 threshold is reached. This audit must be completed in accordance with TDCJ-CJAD Audit Guidelines and be submitted to TDCJ-CJAD by December 31^{st} of the current year.

5.19.6.1 Attachment B: Collin County Services for Operations Agreement Community Supervision and Corrections Department. Offeror agrees to agreement if award.

5.19.7 Preference will be given to labs that are SAMSHA, TX DPS and CAP certified. Offeror shall state their lab certifications. Please provide copies of any Certifications with your proposal.

5.20 Collections and Panels:

Collin County CSCD currently contracts with a private company to provide laboratory testing of urine samples collected for drug testing under a variety of situations. The current standard for testing is urine with LC/MS/MS confirmation but GC/MS is also acceptable. However, there are some "Dip-Test field kits" utilized when appropriate. The successful Offeror is responsible for retrieving and transporting all specimens collected for laboratory testing. All specimens must be tested for adulteration, dilution, and/or substitution. Offeror must include a statement advising of all methods of detecting these conditions.

- 5.20.1 Collection Data: Normal field collections and testing data during September 2017 through March 2018, see Attachment A.
- 5.20.2 Basic Screens: The normal UA test panel included screening by immunoassay for as listed on line for pricing:

5.20.2.1 Five (5) Panel Screen – amphetamine/methamphetamine, benzodiazepine, cocaine, Opiates, THC, and automatically confirmation by LC/MS/MS if screening is positive.

5.20.22 Six (6) Panel Screen – amphetamine/Methamphetamine, benzodiazepine, cocaine, Opiates, THC and alcohol and automatically confirmation by LC/MS/MS if screening is positive

5.20.2.3 ETG – Alcohol.

- 5.20.3 Additional Screens: These are additional screens that may be asked for by the CSCD for individual cases, list provided online.
- 5.20.4 Optional Screens: Additionally, an officer may have an indication of use for another substance, such as steroids or ecstasy, or laboratory test results indicate a need for alternative testing. The lab may also voluntarily conduct additional testing to further refine or clarify indications of the initial results. When either of the first two situations occurs, a "Request for Additional Testing" is submitted to request these tests be conducted (at additional costs to CSCD). Provide pricing online or attached a price sheet with a list of the optional screens for each drug, included confirmation fees.

5.20.4.1 Provide a description of the quality control procedures for specimen collection.

520.4.2 Provide Urinalysis Testing Procedures and list of supplies.

5.21 Collection Location and Hours of Operation: The contracted laboratory shall provide collectors on-site at two CSCD locations:

5.21.1 900 E. Park, Plano, TX 1 male and 1 female tech on site 9:00a.m.-6:00p.m. Monday through Friday.

5.21.2 2100 Bloomdale Road, McKinney, TX 1 male and 1 female tech on site 9:00a.m.-6:00p.m. Monday through Friday.

5.22 Randomized Call-In and Scheduled UA's:

While not all offenders are required to submit to drug testing, a vast majority are required to submit to drug testing. Offenders are selected/referred for urine drug testing in a variety of manners. Many are enrolled in an automated randomized drug testing system that is maintained by the contracting Offeror's lab.

5.22.1 High risk offenders are enrolled in the system as random call-in. Random call-in requires the offender to call an IVR (Interactive Voice Response) system daily to retrieve a message as to whether or not they are required to test that day. Persons on random call-in are scheduled by the Offeror's computerized randomization program, or customized by the supervision officer, to report and provide a specimen at least one (1) time per month. The IVR system records the date, time, and number from which they called. A file is retrieved each day and provided to CSCD with this information as well as those who failed to call the system for that day. Immediate electronic notification is preferred. IVR call-in response (level 1) read in the nature of either of the following messages:

1) "No test today" (repeated).

2) "You must report for testing today"

5.22.2 Some offenders are required to submit a specimen on a regular and consistent basis, i.e., weekly, 2 times per week, etc. These are referred to as "Scheduled UAs."

5.22.3 Other individuals have schedules or other situations that preclude them in the regular randomized programs and are monitored/referred by their officer consistent with the requirements of the court and case management needs.

5.22.4 Additionally, a few (3 to 4 at any given time) offenders have medical situations that preclude urine drug testing and are being tested with alternative methods.

- 5.23 Electronic submission of results: County staff and Officers shall be able to check vendor website for results.
 - 5.23.1 Description of Operational Website and Case Management System, include interactive website link if available
- 5.24 Alternative Testing:

Historically, urine has been considered the "gold standard" for forensic drug testing and the Department has and anticipates continuing to use it as the primary methodology of choice. However, the Department recognizes that there have been significant technology advances in the field and is willing to review proposals for alternative testing methodologies. Offerors may submit a proposal for alternative testing for primary or special situations (as needed) alternatives.

Occasional situations present themselves whereby urine testing does not provide for drug testing within the parameters of special circumstances. Offerors may negotiate with a third party provider to accomplish the testing, but the vendor must disclose any third party vendor and provide adequate details about the provider. All Third-party providers must be identified to and approved by CSCD.

5.25 Required Reports:

All reports are expected to be provided in electronic format to include fax, Excel, and ASCII text file formats for automated exchange with the Department's case management system.

5.25.1 Financial – Monthly Billing Invoice (in Excel) - Listing of all tests with the following information: Probationer, Cause#, Date, Chain-Of-Custody #, Test Panel Code, Charge to CSCD.

5.25.2 Statistical Reports to include the following information:

- 5.25.2.1 Number of Specimens collected and error rates (on collections, vendor and CSCD).
- 5.25.2.2 Number of specimens that were dilute, adulterated, and/or positive (by drug class).
- 525.23 Comparisons between collections and results reports.
- 5.25.2.4 Comparison between screens and confirmations.
- 5.25.25 Report of Results with Multiple Positives

5.25.3 Access to Lab Data: Automated Search/Lookup of Results (missing or suspected missing reports).

- 5.25.4 RUDTP Logs (Formatted ASCII Text Files):
 - 5.254.1 Daily log of persons not submitting a test as scheduled (Monday Friday). (Failure to Submit Log FTS.)
 - 5.25.4.2 Weekly list of current active enrollments.

5.26 Implementation Plan:

5.26.1 Provide a timeline and implementation plan for initiating the requirements in the event the proposal is accepted. Offerors shall include documentation of all forensic and professional licensures and certifications.

5.26.2 Detailed plan for implementing the contract. The implementation plan shall include the following elements: the estimated implementation timeframe; an overview of project phases and project assumptions.

6.0 PROPOSAL FORMAT

In accordance with the directions below, offeror shall provide a response for each item in sections 5.19 through 5.26 and 6.2 through 6.4 in order and include item numbers in response. Answer all questions fully, clearly, and concisely, giving complete information. Do not skip items. Do not refer to other parts of your proposal for the answers. You may not modify either the order or language of the question. Responses shall include a statement of "agree", "confirmed", "will provide", "not applicable", or "exception taken" along with any additional information. If an item is "not applicable" or "exception taken", offeror shall state that and refer to Section 7.0 Exceptions, with explanation. Offeror shall adhere to the instructions in this request for proposals on preparing and submitting the proposal. If offeror does not follow instructions regarding proposal format, points will be deducted during the evaluation process.

- 6.1 PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS: To achieve a uniform review process and to obtain a uniform review process and to obtain a maximum degree of comparability, the proposal shall, at a minimum include a Table of Contents detailing sections and corresponding page numbers.
 - 6.1.1 Proposals may be submitted online via http://collincountytx.ionwave.net or manually, electronic submissions are preferred. All questions regarding the RFP shall be submitted online.
 - 6.1.2 If submitting manually, proposal shall be submitted in a sealed envelope or box with RFP name, number, and name of firm printed on the outside of the envelope or box. Manual submittals shall be sent/delivered to the following address and shall be received prior to the date/time for opening:

Collin County Purchasing Attn: Geri Osinaike, Senior Buyer 2300 Bloomdale, Suite 3160 McKinney, TX 75071

The envelope in which the proposal is enclosed must be marked: SEALED PROPOSAL RFP 2018-179 Paper copies shall be printed on letter size $(8 \frac{1}{2} \times 11)$ paper and assembled using spiral type bindings, staples, or binder clips. Do not use metal-ring hard cover binders. Manual submittals shall include an electronic copy in a searchable format and one original hard copy.

It shall be the responsibility of the offeror to ensure that their proposal reaches Collin County Purchasing prior to the date/time for the opening no matter which submission method is used.

6.2 FIRM OVERVIEW

- 6.2.1 A descriptive background of your company's history
- 6.2.2 Offeror's licenses and accreditations;
- 6.2.3 Offeror's organizational chart.
- 6.2.4 Offeror's statement of understanding of the proposal and program objectives;
- 6.2.5 Whether any of the staff are currently under State, Tribal, and/or Federal indictment or legal supervision including, but not limited to community supervision, probation, parole, mandatory release, pretrial or pre-prosecutorial supervision, and on bond awaiting trial and/or appeal.
- 6.2.6 A list of any civil lawsuits filed or pending on or after January 1, 2007, which were filed against or on behalf of the Offeror in connection with its operations, or any of its employees in connection with their status and/or conduct as employees or any of its sub Offerors in connection with their status and/or conduct as sub Offerors.
- 6.2.7 A list of any criminal cases filed or pending on or after January 1, 2007, in which the Offeror, or any of its employees in connection with their status and/or conduct as employees, or any of its sub Offerors in connection with their status and/or conduct as sub Offerors have been named as defendants. Offeror shall also provide the status of each case so listed, including disposition when applicable.

6.3 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- 6.3.1 Offeror shall provide a response for each of the requirements in Section 5.19 through 5.26 in order and include item numbers in response. Any exceptions shall be stated in Section 7.0.
- 6.3.2 Offeror shall follow format outlined in Section 6.0 when submitting responses.

6.4 CLIENT REFERENCES

The County considers references to be important in its decision to award a contract. All references provided will be contacted by the County during the selection process. Offerors shall provide at least Three (3) client references that are similar in size and complexity to this procurement (preferably Counties) that you are currently providing serves or have in the last two years.

6.4.1 Provide for each reference company name, address, contact name, email, phone number, position of the contact in the organization.

6.4.2 Summary of services provided

6.4.3 How many locations are specimens collected, how many collection staff are on a regular first shift at each location

6.4.4 Average number of specimens collected monthly

6.4.5 Type of 5 and 6 panel screens and the average number of 5 and 6 panel screens ordered monthly

6.4.6 Start and end date of contract, if terminated early describe the circumstances

6.4.7 Estimated yearly contract value

6.5 PRICING/FEES

6.5.6 Provide fees per section 5.20.2, 5.20.3, and 5.20.4

7.0 EXCEPTIONS TO THE RFP

Instructions for completing section:

The exception table shall be completed for any exception from requirements identified in this RFP. Please complete the following worksheet listing any and all exceptions from the information requested in the Request for Proposal. Attach additional pages as needed. If no exceptions are listed in Section 7.0 it is understood that the offeror has agreed to all RFP requirements, the response will be considered as confirmed even if it is listed elsewhere as an exception.

Section Number/ Question Number	Required Service Offeror is Unable to Perform	Steps Taken to Meet Requirement

TOTAL TESTS			
	5 Panel	6 Panel	ETG
	screen*	screen**	screen
Sept '17	572	1410	776
Oct '17	526	1605	886
Nov '17	574	1542	939
Dec '17	612	1587	948
Jan '18	663	1519	991
Feb '18	651	1527	917
March '18	732	1635	1032
Totals	4330	10825	6489
Average	619	1546	927

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*5 Panel: amphetamine/methamphetamine, cocaine, opiates, benzodiazepine, and THC **6 Panel: alcohol, amphetamine/methamphetamine, cocaine, opiates, benzodiazepine, and THC

PLEASE NOTE: THE ABOVE INFORMATION COVERS THE PERIOD OF SEPTEMBER 2017 THROUGH MARCH 2018

Additional Urine Drug Screening Data for September 2017 through March 2018

September 2017

Description	Quantity
Urine Drug Screening	
Buprenorphine	17.00
Ecstasy	6.00
EtG Confirmation	46.00
EtG Screen	776.00
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	2.00
Heroin	53.00
Oxycodone	44.00
Soma (Carisoprodol)	8.00
Spice Screen	84.00
5 Panel Urine Test	572.00
6 Panel Urine Test	1,410.00
7 Panel Urine Test	121.00
8 Panel Urine Test	157.00

October

Description	Quantity	
Urine Drug Screening		
Buprenorphine	19.00	
Buprenorphine Confirmation	1.00	
Ecstasy	11.00	
EtG Confirmation	35.00	
EtG Screen	886.00	
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	8.00	
Heroin	59.00	
Kratom	1.00	
Kratom Confirmation	1.00	
Oxycodone	54.00	
Soma (Carisoprodol)	10.00	
Spice Confirmation	1.00	
Special Order Drug	3.00	
Spice Screen	107.00	
5 Panel Urine Test	526.00	
6 Panel Urine Test	1,605.00	
7 Panel Urine Test	118.00	
8 Panel Urine Test	180.00	

November

Description	Quantity
Hair Drug Screening	
5 Panel Hair Test	3.0
Urine Drug Screening	
Buprenorphine	16.0
Ecstasy	12.0
EtG Confirmation	62.0
EtG Screen	939.0
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	2.0
Heroin	88.0
Oxycodone	59.0
Soma (Carisoprodol)	9.0
Spice Confirmation	1.0
Spice Screen	120.0
3 Panel Urine Test	1.0
5 Panel Urine Test	574.0
6 Panel Urine Test	1,542.0
7 Panel Urine Test	81.0
8 Panel Urine Test	169.0

December

Description	Quantity
Urine Drug Screening	
Buprenorphine	15.00
Ecstasy	9.00
EtG Confirmation	52.00
EtG Screen	948.00
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	3.00
Heroin	94.00
Oxycodone	49.00
Soma (Carisoprodol)	8.00
Spice Confirmation	4.00
Spice Screen	112.00
Steroid Testing	1.00
5 Panel Urine Test	612.00
6 Panel Urine Test	1,587.00
7 Panel Urine Test	65.00
8 Panel Urine Test	187.00

January

Description	Quantity
Hair Drug Screening	
5 Panel Hair Test	2.0
Urine Drug Screening	
Buprenorphine	12.0
Ecstasy	13.0
Ecstasy Confirmation	1.0
EtG Confirmation	64.0
EtG Screen	991.0
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	6.0
Heroin	101.0
Heroin Confirmation	19.0
LSD	1.0
Oxycodone	51.0
Soma (Carisoprodol)	5.0
Spice Confirmation	6.0
Special Order Drug	2.0
Spice Screen	120.0
Urine Confirmation	1.0
4 Panel Urine Test	6.0
5 Panel Urine Test	663.0
6 Panel Urine Test	1,519.0
7 Panel Urine Test	55.0
8 Panel Urine Test	199.0

February

Description	Quantity
Hair Drug Screening	
5 Panel Hair Test	2.00
Urine Drug Screening	
Bath Salts	3.00
Buprenorphine	10.00
Ecstasy	15.00
Ecstasy Confirmation	1.00
EtG Confirmation	56.00
EtG Screen	917.00
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	3.00
Heroin	83.00
Kratom	2.00
LSD	2.00
Methadone Confirmation	1.00
Oxycodone	52.00
Soma (Carisoprodol)	12.00
Spice Confirmation	1.00
Spice Screen	112.00
4 Panel Urine Test	9.00
5 Panel Urine Test	651.00
6 Panel Urine Test	1,527.00
7 Panel Urine Test	51.00
8 Panel Urine Test	165.00
9 Panel Urine Test	1.00

March

Description	Quantity			
Urine Drug Screening				
Bath Salts	11.00			
Buprenorphine	29.00			
Ecstasy	28.00			
EtG Confirmation	76.0			
EtG Screen	1,032.0			
Gamma-Hydroxybutyrate	2.0			
Heroin	100.0			
Heroin Confirmation	20.0			
Oxycodone	72.0			
Soma (Carisoprodol)	27.0			
Spice Confirmation	4.0			
Spice Screen	106.0			
4 Panel Urine Test	8.0			
5 Panel Urine Test	732.0			
6 Panel Urine Test	1,635.0			
7 Panel Urine Test	57.0			
8 Panel Urine Test	212.0			

ATTACHMENT B



This Operations Agreement (the "AGREEMENT") is made and entered into by and between Community Supervision and Corrections Department ("DEPARTMENT"), a political entity of the Judicial District and

(VENDOR NAME)

as of the day of,.

WITNESSETH:

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, the mutual benefits contemplated hereby and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

APPOINTMENT OF VENDOR; TERM

<u>Appointment of VENDOR</u>. In accordance with the terms and conditions set forth herein, and in consideration of the Payments hereinafter provided, VENDOR is hereby appointed to provide to DEPARTMENT, and VENDOR hereby agrees to furnish to DEPARTMENT, the Services provided for herein.

<u>Term</u>. This AGREEMENT is effective on the date set forth in the initial paragraph hereof and shall continue until (DATE), with two one-year optional renewals, unless it is terminated earlier pursuant to the provisions hereof, provided, however, that DEPARTMENT shall have the option to renew and extend this AGREEMENT for a period of one year (with such changes as to which VENDOR shall agree), upon the giving to VENDOR a written notice of such intention no later than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the initial term.

ARTICLE I RATES, MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS, AND STATEMENT OF SERVICES

1.1 <u>Vendor Rates</u>. DEPARTMENT agrees to make Payments to VENDOR for the delivery of Services, not to exceed \$(AMOUNT) for September 1, (YEAR) through August 31, (YEAR). VENDOR acknowledges that the total dollar amount of the AGREEMENT is subject to change, at department's discretion, based on needs and circumstances that arise within the overall DEPARTMENT program. VENDOR agrees to the following rates for services:

5 Panel: Screen and confirm Lot Description: Amphetamine-methamphetamine/cocaine/opiates/ benzodiazepine/THC Quantity: Unit price: \$

6 Panel: Screen and confirm Lot Description: Alcohol/Amphetamine-methamphetamine/cocaine/opiates/ benzodiazepine/THC Quantity: Unit price: \$

Additional screening tests are available as <u>add-on</u> drugs to any selected panel:

- 1. Ecstasy, Oxycontin, Soma (Carisoprodol), Heroin (6-Acetylmorphine) at
- 2. Suboxone (Buprenorphine) screen at \$ each, with confirmation at \$.
- 3. ETG available as a screen only added to a panel at \$; confirmation is \$
- 4. Synthetic Cannabinoids (Spice) screen available for \$; confirmation \$

1.3 <u>Services</u>. The VENDOR shall, in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT, provide all necessary personnel, equipment, materials, supplies, facilities, and services (except as may be furnished by the DEPARTMENT as specified in writing as part of this AGREEMENT) and do all things necessary for, or incidental to, the provision of the services listed as follows:

See Exhibit A

1.4 <u>Operational Plan</u>. The proposal submitted in response to the ITB or RFP (if applicable) as finally negotiated and attached as Exhibit A of this AGREEMENT becomes the Operational Plan by which the VENDOR will be

audited. (THIS CLAUSE REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTRACTS OVER \$100,000 UNLESS VENDOR HAS BEEN CERTIFIED AS A SOLE SOURCE PROVIDER.)

See Exhibit B

1.11 <u>Definitions</u>. The following terms used in this AGREEMENT shall, unless the context indicates otherwise, have the meanings set forth below:

AGREEMENT - means this Operations AGREEMENT with all exhibits hereto.

Contract Monitor - means the Person(s) designated by DEPARTMENT as such to ensure that VENDOR complies with the terms hereof, by conducting performance audits of the Operational Plan and financial audits of the Program Budget, if applicable.

Counselor - means a Person with appropriate licensure who renders counseling or counseling-related services to an individual, group, organization, corporation, institution, or the general public for compensation.

Defendant - means each individual who receives Services from VENDOR hereunder who qualifies for Services and who has been ordered by a court of legal jurisdiction to participate in receiving Services.

DEPARTMENT Policies - means all written policies, procedures, standards, guidelines, directives, and manuals of DEPARTMENT, as same may be amended from time to time, which DEPARTMENT has made available to VENDOR and with which VENDOR has an affirmative obligation to be and remain familiar.

Facility - means the licensed treatment facility where VENDOR will provide Services pursuant to the terms hereof or a Community Corrections Facility as operated by the DEPARTMENT.

Licensure Rules - means the terms and provisions contained in applicable regulatory guidelines.

Midnight Strength Report - means the official numerical count of the number of Defendants who are Residents present at the Facility at the end of each day calculated at 12:00 midnight, which number shall not include any Defendants who were previously removed on that day. Defendants on a temporary leave for less than forty-eight (48) hours shall be included in the count.

Monthly Invoice - means that certain form or electronic reporting mechanism that VENDOR shall prepare and submit to DEPARTMENT no later than the seventh (7th) day after the end of the preceding month, based on the VENDOR Rate and yielding the Monthly VENDOR Payment to be made by DEPARTMENT, a copy of which form is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

Operational Plan - means the written operating and audit system devised jointly by DEPARTMENT and VENDOR prior to and during the term hereof pursuant to VENDOR'S policies and procedures submitted in response to the RFP or ITB (if applicable) whereby the delivery of Services shall be evaluated and monitored, including the Performance Measures to track and evaluate achievement results of Defendants, which plan shall contain a mechanism for monthly self-monitoring reports by VENDOR.

Outpatient - means any Defendant who receives Services on an hourly basis pursuant to the terms hereof and who is not a resident in the facility providing treatment.

Payment or Payments - means amount(s) agreed to be paid by DEPARTMENT to VENDOR.

Payment to VENDOR - means the mathematical product of the following: (a) Resident Defendants at non-CCFs: the VENDOR Rate calculated by the number of verified Defendants according to the Midnight Strength Report for each day of the billing month; (b) Outpatient Defendants: the VENDOR Rate calculated by the number of verified Defendants for each hour and billing day for which Outpatient Services were rendered in the billing month.

Performance Measures - means the standards whereby VENDOR and DEPARTMENT will determine the effectiveness of the Services, as set forth in Article I hereto.

Person - means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated organization, court or other tribunal, or government or any agency or political subdivision thereof.

Program Budget - means the financial management system of proposed revenue and expenditures that VENDOR submitted in response to the ITB or RFP, if applicable (as same may have been amended prior to the execution hereof), whereby VENDOR implements and maintains its books regarding income and expenditures in the provision of Services at the Facility in accordance with the approved Program Budget (i.e., a programspecific accounting or bookkeeping system). Resident - means any Defendant who resides at the Facility and receives Services pursuant to the terms hereof.

RFP - means that certain Request for Proposal issued by DEPARTMENT for the purpose of soliciting proposals to render Services and with respect to which VENDOR responded and was awarded this AGREEMENT, if applicable.

Services - means the delivery by VENDOR of the chemical dependency program as set forth in this AGREEMENT and exhibits and as outlined in VENDOR'S response to the ITB or RFP, if applicable.

Term - means the duration of this AGREEMENT as specified in Article I.

VENDOR - means Treatment Assessment Screening Center.

Vendor Rate - means the amount paid by Department to VENDOR per day or per hour during the term hereof, determined in accordance with the rates set forth in Article I.

1.12 AND 1.13 ARE OPTIONAL CLAUSES:

1.12 <u>Insurance</u>. VENDOR shall provide an adequate plan of insurance that provides: (1) coverage to protect DEPARTMENT and the State against all claims, including claims based on violations of civil rights arising from the Services performed by VENDOR; (2) coverage to protect the State from actions by a third party against VENDOR or any subcontractor of VENDOR; and (3) coverage to protect the State from actions by officers, employees, or agents of VENDOR or any subcontractor(s). VENDOR shall maintain the following insurance coverage in full force and effect for the mutual protection and benefit of DEPARTMENT, the State and VENDOR with the amounts and coverages as required by law, in accordance with the following:

- A. Claims that may arise out of or result from VENDOR'S actions/operations hereunder, whether such actions/operations are by VENDOR or by a subcontractor of VENDOR, or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by or acting on behalf of VENDOR or a subcontractor where liability may arise for:
 - 1. Claims under workers compensation disability benefits, and other similar employee benefit actions;
 - 2. Claims for damages because of bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of any VENDOR employees;
 - 3. Claims for damages because of bodily injury, sickness or disease or death of any Person other than VENDOR'S employees;

- 4. Claims for damages insured by usual personal liability coverage that are sustained by (a) any Person as a result of an act directly or indirectly related to the employment of such Person by VENDOR, or by (b) any other Person;
- 5. Claims for damages because of injury to or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use resulting therefrom;
- 6. Claims for damages based on violations of civil rights;
- 7. Claims for damages arising from fire and lightning and other casualties.
- B.VENDOR shall obtain and maintain in force insurance coverage in accordance with all applicable law and accepted industry standards during the term they are engaged hereunder. In addition, VENDOR shall maintain a liability insurance policy in an amount not less than \$100,000 for each person and \$300,000 for each single occurrence for bodily injury or death and \$100,000 for each single occurrence for injury to or destruction of property.
- C.Certifications/policies of insurance shall be filed with DEPARTMENT prior to execution of this AGREEMENT. VENDOR shall notify DEPARTMENT within fifteen (15) days of cancellation of any policy required herein.
- D.Compliance with the foregoing insurance requirements shall not relieve VENDOR from any liability under the indemnity provisions.

1.13 Indemnification. VENDOR shall indemnify and save the DEPARTMENT, the Texas Board of Criminal Justice, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the State of Texas, and its officers, agents and employees (hereinafter, collectively referred to as the "State") harmless from and against any and all claims arising from the conduct, management or performance hereof, including, without limitation, any and all claims arising from any condition herein or arising from any breach or default on the part of VENDOR in the performance of any covenant or agreement on its part to be performed, or arising from any act of negligence of VENDOR, or licensees or arising from any accident, injury or damage whatsoever caused to any person, firm or corporation and from and against all costs, reasonable attorney's fees, expenses and liabilities incurred in or about any such claim, action or proceeding brought against the State by reason of any such claim. In any such action brought against the State, VENDOR, upon notice from the State, shall defend against such action or proceeding by counsel satisfactory to the State, unless such action or proceeding is defended against by counsel for any carrier of liability insurance provided for herein. The aforementioned indemnification shall not be affected by a claim that negligence of

DEPARTMENT, the State, or their respective agents, contractors, employees or licensees contributed in part to the loss or damage indemnified against.

ARTICLE II REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

VENDOR represents and warrants to and for the benefit of DEPARTMENT with the intent that DEPARTMENT rely thereon for the purposes hereof, the following:

2.1 <u>Legal Status</u>. VENDOR (1) is a validly organized and constituted sole proprietorship or partnership in the jurisdiction in which it is formed and in good standing therein; or, is a corporation duly incorporated and validly existing under the laws of the jurisdiction in which it is incorporated and in good standing therein; (2) is duly qualified to conduct business in the State of Texas; and (3) has legal power and authority to own or lease its properties and conduct its business as presently conducted.

22 <u>Authorization</u>. The making and performance of this AGREEMENT have been duly authorized by all necessary action and will not violate any provision of current law or VENDOR'S charter or by-laws. The AGREEMENT has been duly executed and delivered by VENDOR and, assuming due execution and delivery by DEPARTMENT, constitutes a legal, valid, and binding AGREEMENT enforceable against VENDOR in accordance with its terms.

2.3 <u>Taxes</u>. VENDOR has filed all necessary federal, state, and foreign income and franchise tax returns and has paid all taxes as shown to be due thereon, including penalties and interest, or provided adequate reserves for payment thereof, except to the extent that same have become due and payable but are not yet delinquent, and except for any taxes and assessments of which the amount applicability or validity is currently being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings.

2.4 <u>No Child Support Owing</u>. In accordance with 231.006 of the Texas Family Code, no person who is the sole proprietor, a partner, a shareholder, or an owner of twenty-five percent (25%) or more of VENDOR and who is now more than thirty (30) days delinquent in paying court ordered approved child support may receive payment from state funds under a contract. Under Section 231.006, Family Code, VENDOR certifies that it is not ineligible to receive the Payments and acknowledges that this AGREEMENT may be terminated and Payments may be withheld if this certification is inaccurate.

2.5 <u>Use of Payments</u>. No part of the Payments made to VENDOR will be expended for any consultant fees, honorariums, or any other compensation to any employee of DEPARTMENT or for unallowable costs set forth on Exhibit D. VENDOR shall expend Payments made hereunder solely for providing direct services and for reasonable and allowable expenses directly related to the provision of Services.

2.6 <u>Non-Discrimination</u>. In the performance hereof, VENDOR warrants that it shall not discriminate against any employee, subcontractor, or Defendant on account of race, color, handicap, religion, sex, national origin, age, or those who have or are perceived to have a handicap because of AIDS or HIV infection, antibodies to HIV, or infection with any other probable causative agent of AIDS. VENDOR shall include the provisions of this paragraph regarding non-discrimination in each of its contracts with subcontractors so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor.

2.7 <u>Non-Collusion</u>. VENDOR warrants that no Person, other than a bona fide employee, has been employed to solicit or secure this AGREEMENT with DEPARTMENT, and VENDOR has not paid or agreed to pay any Person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, or brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the execution hereof. For breach or violation of this provision, DEPARTMENT shall have the right to terminate this AGREEMENT without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from Payments, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, brokerage fee, gift, or contingency fee.

ARTICLE III GENERAL CONDITIONS

3.1 <u>Duties and Obligations</u>. VENDOR shall provide the Services in compliance with applicable federal and state law, including all constitutional, legal and court ordered requirements, whether now in effect or hereafter effected or implemented.

3.2 <u>Visitation by State Employees</u>. VENDOR shall at all times allow employees/agents of the Governor, members of the Legislature and all other members of the Executive and Judicial branches of the State of Texas, the Contract Monitor, and any other persons designated by the DEPARTMENT and/or the Texas Board of Criminal Justice to monitor the delivery of Services and contract compliance of the VENDOR.

3.3 <u>No Subcontractors</u>. No subcontractor may be utilized by VENDOR unless DEPARTMENT has furnished prior written approval.

3.4 <u>Confidentiality</u>. When applicable, records of identity, diagnosis, prognosis, or treatment of any Defendant through this AGREEMENT shall be confidential and may be disclosed only in accordance with applicable laws. No information may be released without the Defendant's written consent as documented by a signed information release form. VENDOR shall notify department in writing if any legal process requires disclosure of a Defendant's record and shall obtain written acknowledgment of same from DEPARTMENT'S Authorized Representative.

3.5 <u>Termination at Will</u>. Either party may terminate this AGREEMENT for any reason whatsoever, without cause and at any time, by furnishing to the

other party thirty (30) days prior written notice. DEPARTMENT'S only obligation for terminating this AGREEMENT pursuant to this section shall be the payment to VENDOR of Payments earned hereunder up to the date of termination. VENDOR's only obligation for terminating this AGREEMENT pursuant to this section shall be to provide Services until the date of termination. Neither VENDOR nor DEPARTMENT shall thereafter be entitled to any other compensation.

3.6 <u>Record Retention</u>. All records shall be the property of DEPARTMENT. All records (electronic or paper) pertinent to the provisions of Services hereunder shall be retained by the VENDOR for a period of five years with the following qualification: If any audit, litigation or claim is started before the expiration of the five-year period, the records shall be retained until all audits, litigation, claims, or other findings involving the records have been resolved. The retention period for all records begins after DEPARTMENT has made the final Payment in accordance with this AGREEMENT. At the end of the five- year period, VENDOR will request disposition instructions from DEPARTMENT.

ARTICLE IV ADMINISTRATION AND FISCAL SYSTEM

4.1 <u>Administrative Controls</u>. VENDOR shall establish, document and maintain adequate administrative, financial, and internal controls to ensure that only allowable and reasonable costs are expended under this AGREEMENT.

42 <u>Governing Board Responsibility</u>. The appropriate governing board or entity of VENDOR shall bear full responsibility for the integrity of the services provided, including compliance with applicable federal and state laws and regulations. Ignorance of any AGREEMENT provisions or other requirements contained herein shall not constitute a defense or basis for waiving or appealing such provisions or requirements.

4.3 <u>Conflict of Interest</u>. VENDOR shall not refer defendants for additional services without prior written approval of the DEPARTMENT. VENDOR shall develop and implement written internal policies that may be reviewed by the DEPARTMENT to ensure that members of the governing board, contractual personnel, consultants, volunteers, and employees do not use their positions with the VENDOR for a purpose that is, or gives the appearance of being, motivated by a desire for personal gain or gain by a family member.

4.4 <u>Remuneration</u>. Staff of VENDOR shall not pay or receive any commission, consideration, or benefit or any kind related to the referral of a Defendant for treatment or engage in fee-splitting with other professionals.

4.5 <u>Audits</u>. VENDOR agrees to furnish DEPARTMENT and/or TDCJ with such information as may be required relating to the Services rendered hereunder. VENDOR shall permit DEPARTMENT to audit and inspect records

and reports and to evaluate the performance of Services at any time. VENDOR shall provide reasonable access to all the records, books, reports, and other necessary data and information needed to accomplish review of program activities, services, and expenditures, including cooperation with DEPARTMENT in its performance of random or routine audits to determine the accuracy of VENDOR reports.

4.6 <u>Independent Audit</u>. VENDORS whose total funding from DEPARTMENTS (CSCDs) statewide exceeds \$100,000 must provide an independent audit on the funds received for each fiscal year (September 1 – August 31). These audits must be submitted to TDCJ-CJAD by December 31 following the end of the fiscal year.

4.7 <u>Disclosure</u>. VENDOR is required to immediately or timely, as the case may be, disclose to DEPARTMENT and TDCJ-CJAD the following:

- (a) If any Person who is an employee or director of VENDOR is required to register as a lobbyist under Texas Government Code Chapter 305, at any time during the term hereof, VENDOR shall provide to DEPARTMENT and TDCJ-CJAD timely copies of all reports filed with the Texas Ethics Commission as required by Chapter 305;
- (b) If any Person who is an employee, subcontractor, or director of VENDOR is or becomes an elected official (i.e., an elected or appointed state official or member of the judiciary, or a United States congressman or senator), during the term hereof;
- (c) Report any actions or citations by federal, state, or local governmental agencies that may affect VENDOR'S licensure status or its ability to provide Services hereunder.

4.8 <u>Withhold Payments</u>. The DEPARTMENT may withhold Payments for any ineligible claims including inadequate or untimely monthly invoices until such time as the ineligible, inadequate or untimely claim is resubmitted and/or corrected by VENDOR. VENDOR agrees to return any unearned amounts paid by the DEPARTMENT within thirty (30) days following the final date of the contact period, or at the DEPARTMENT'S option, within thirty (30) days following the DEPARTMENT'S delivery to VENDOR a notice that amounts paid are to be returned to DEPARTMENT.

4.9 <u>Payments to VENDOR</u>. VENDOR shall submit Monthly Invoices (in writing or electronically) as required herein and shall receive Payments from DEPARTMENT based thereon, subject to the provisions in this AGREEMENT. VENDOR will provide an itemized list of Services performed during the invoice period, including the names of all Defendants served, the service provided, and the amount of time rendered with each. DEPARTMENT agrees to pay VENDOR within thirty (30) days after receipt of the Monthly Invoice (Exhibit C). 4.10 <u>Specific Measures</u>. All terms of this AGREEMENT are subject to monitoring and verification; however, the VENDOR must have available for the DEPARTMENT'S inspection records to support performance of those measures outlined in Article I herein.

4.11 <u>Misspent Funds</u>. The VENDOR will refund expenditures of the VENDOR that are contrary to this AGREEMENT and deemed inappropriate by the DEPARTMENT or designee.

ARTICLE V DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

5.1 <u>Default by VENDOR</u>. Each of the following shall constitute an Event of Default on the part of VENDOR:

- a. A material failure to keep, observe, perform, meet, or comply with any covenant, term, or provision hereof, which failure continues for a period of twenty (20) days after receipt of VENDOR of written notification thereof;
- b. (1) Admit in writing its inability to pay its debts; (2) make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors; (3) suffer a decree or order appointing a receiver or trustee for it or substantially all of its property, and, if entered without its consent, same is not stayed or discharged within sixty (60) days of such decree or order, (4) suffer filing under any law relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, or the reorganization for relief of debtors by or against it and, if contested by it, not to be dismissed or stayed within sixty (60) days of such filing; or (5) suffer any judgment, writ of attachment or execution, or any similar process issued or levied against a substantial part of its property that is not released, stayed, bonded, or vacated within sixty (60) days after such issuance or levy; and
- c. The discovery by DEPARTMENT that any statement, representation of warranty in this AGREEMENT is false, misleading, or erroneous in any material respect.

5.2 <u>Remedy of DEPARTMENT</u>. Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default by VENDOR, DEPARTMENT shall notify VENDOR of such Event of Default, and subject to the time provisions of Section 5.1 hereof, DEPARTMENT shall have the right to pursue any remedy it may have at law or in equity, including, but not limited to, (a) suspend referral of Defendants; (b) suspend payment; (c) taking action to cure the Event of Default, in which case DEPARTMENT may offset against any Payments owed to VENDOR all reasonable costs incurred by DEPARTMENT in connection with its efforts to cure such Event of Default; and (d) termination and removal of VENDOR as provider of Services. In the event of VENDOR'S removal due to an Event of Default, DEPARTMENT shall have no further obligations to VENDOR after such removal and in such event, VENDOR agrees to cooperate with DEPARTMENT regarding a transition to new provider of Services.

5.3 <u>Default by DEPARTMENT</u>. The following shall constitute an Event of Default on the part of DEPARTMENT: failure by DEPARTMENT to pay within thirty (30) days after Payment is due any Payment required to be paid pursuant to the terms hereof, provided such failure to pay shall not constitute an Event of Default if the Comptroller of the Sate of Texas has withheld any payments pursuant to statutory authority.

5.4 <u>Remedy of VENDOR</u>. Upon an Event of Default by DEPARTMENT, VENDOR'S sole remedy shall be to terminate this AGREEMENT. Upon such termination, VENDOR shall be entitled to receive Payment from DEPARTMENT for all Services satisfactorily furnished hereunder up to and including the date of termination.

5.5 <u>AGREEMENT Subject to Availability of Funds</u>. This AGREEMENT will be subject to the availability of funds as appropriated by the State Legislature and as made available by the Community Justice Assistance Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. If such funds become reduced or unavailable, this AGREEMENT shall be subject to immediate modification, reduction or termination.

ARTICLE VI INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

VENDOR is associated with DEPARTMENT only for the purposes and to the extent set forth herein, and with respect to the performance of Services hereunder, VENDOR is and shall be an independent contractor and shall have the sole right to supervise, manage, operate, control, and direct the performance of the details incident to its duties hereunder. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or construed to create a partnership or joint venture, to create the relationships of an employer-employee or principal-agent, or to otherwise create any liability for DEPARTMENT whatsoever with respect to the indebtedness, liabilities, and obligations of VENDOR or any other party. VENDOR shall be solely responsible for (and DEPARTMENT shall have no obligation with respect to) payment of all Federal Income, F.I.C.A., and other taxes owed or claimed to be owed by VENDOR, arising out of VENDOR's association with DEPARTMENT pursuant hereto, and VENDOR shall indemnify and hold DEPARTMENT harmless from and against any and all liability from all losses, damages, claims, costs, penalties, liabilities, and expenses howsoever arising or incurred because of, incident to, or otherwise with respect to any such taxes.

ARTICLE VII MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

7.1 <u>Inconsistencies</u>. Where there exists any inconsistency between this AGREEMENT and other provisions of collateral contractual Agreements that are made a part hereof by reference or otherwise, the provisions of this Agreement shall control.

72 <u>Severability</u>. Each paragraph and provision hereof is severable from the entire AGREEMENT and if any provision is declared invalid, the remaining provisions shall nevertheless remain in effect.

7.3 <u>Prohibition Against Assignment</u>. There shall be no assignment or transfer of this AGREEMENT without the prior written consent of both parties.

7.4 <u>Law of Texas</u>. This AGREEMENT shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and shall be enforced in the county of the applicable judicial district in which this agreement was entered.

7.5 <u>Notices</u>. All notices called for or contemplated hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when personally delivered or fortyeight (48) hours after mailed to each party by certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid.

7.6 <u>Entire</u>. This AGREEMENT incorporates all the agreements, covenants, and understandings between the parties hereto concerning the subject matter hereof, and all such covenants, agreements, and understandings have been merged into this written AGREEMENT. No other prior agreement or understandings, verbal or otherwise, of the parties or their agents shall be valid or enforceable unless attached hereto and/or embodied herein.

7.7 <u>Amendment</u>. No changes to this AGREEMENT shall be made except upon written agreement of both parties.

7.8 <u>Headings</u>. The headings used herein are for convenience of reference only and shall not constitute a part hereof or affect the construction or interpretation hereof.

7.9 <u>Counterparts</u>. This AGREEMENT may be executed in any number of and by the different parties hereto on separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument. 7.10 <u>Terminology and Definitions</u>. All personal pronouns used herein, whether used in the masculine, feminine, or neutral, shall include all other genders; the singular shall include the plural and the plural shall include the singular.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this AGREEMENT including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference to be executed as of the date first above written.

Executed in Collin County, Texas by

COMMUNITY SUPERVISION AND CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT

BY:			

TITLE: _____

TREATMENT ASSESSMENT SCREENING CENTER

BY:

TITLE: _____

DATE: _____

EXHIBIT A Vendor Services

UA Collection Staff

(VENDOR NAME) will provide UA collection staff specially trained in regards to forensic observed collections and chain-of-custody procedures. Male and female staff will be provided. Currently a male technician is available in the Plano and McKinney office Monday through Friday 9 AM – 6 PM. A female technician is available in the Plano office Monday and Tuesday 9 AM-6 PM and in the McKinney office Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 9 AM-6 PM. Back-up coverage is provided by (VENDOR NAME) staff. Collection staff coverage is managed by (VENDOR NAME).

To obtain these positive statistics in a similar high volume UA collection operation, (VENDOR NAME) utilizes LEAN Processing principles to our laboratory procedures. The utilization of these principles greatly impacts the quality and speed of our processes. Error tracking and corrective action is a crucial part of this management practice.

Contractor provided randomization

(VENDOR NAME) will provide randomization via Test Day IVR randomization program. Participant information will be entered into a database. Each participant will be assigned a unique ID number. A toll-free phone number will be provided for participants to call on a daily basis. Based on the frequency of testing required, a participant will hear a recording as to test requirements (i.e. "you are required to test today"). The Test Day program allows for great flexibility. Randomization requirements can be customized for each individual or groups of individuals. Virtually any random frequency can be assigned to individuals (monthly, weekly, 6 times per year, 5 times per month, etc.). Test Panels can be customized for each individual as well. Changes can be made quickly and easily via secure web base access.

IVR Randomization

(VENDOR NAME) will provide randomization via Test Day IVR randomization program. Offender/participant information will be entered into a database. Each participant will be assigned a unique ID number. A toll-free phone number will be provided for participants to call on a daily basis. Based on the frequency of testing required, a participant will hear a recording as to test requirements (i.e. "you are required to test today"). The Test Day program allows for great flexibility. Randomization requirements can be customized for each individual or groups of individuals. Virtually any random frequency can be assigned to individuals (monthly, weekly, 6 times per year, 5 times per month, etc.). Test Panels can be customized for each individual as well. Changes can be made quickly and easily via secure web base access. The Test Day Randomization program will "record" the ID#'s of the individuals that call in, date and time of call, and phone number from which offender calls. Compliance reports will be maintained for offenders and CCCSCD staff may easily see what offenders are/are not calling the Test Day program as required.

The Test Day program allows for great flexibility. Randomization requirements can be customized for each individual or groups of individuals. Virtually any random frequency can be assigned to individuals (monthly, weekly, 6 times per year, 5 times per month, etc.). Test Panels can be customized for each individual as well. Changes can be made quickly and easily via secure web base access.

Test results are also accessible through the Test Day program. Results will be transferred directly from the laboratory and will be stored in Test Day, so that a drug test report history is easily obtained for each participant. The test day program also generates compliance reports that enable case managers to know whether a participant is calling the system.

CCCSCD staff may log-in to the system on the web using their personalized username and password. Each PO will only have access to the clients that are assigned to them. The system also provides for "Supervisors" to log in and see all clients for all case managers in the system. Once logged on to the system, the case manager may add new referrals, edit existing clients, i.e. switch to another participant, adjust the randomization etc. The process for adding or editing a participant is simple and quick. The system also allows the case manager to schedule a test outside of the randomization should they need to do this.

When each offender is entered into the system, they will be automatically assigned a Donor ID number. This number is the way in which the system ties everything together, randomization, compliance reporting, result reporting. When the offender calls the system, they will be prompted, in either Spanish or English, to enter their unique ID. The system will then tell the client whether or not they need to test that day based on that offender's randomization. The system records that the offender called, at what time, and from what number, for use in reporting compliance.

Electronic Results

(VENDOR NAME) will provide results via fax and/or secure web based access. Results may be sorted by individual, location, date, and most recently by abnormal vs. negative results. The enhanced web access also allows agencies to download data in a CSV file format that may then be directed into internal databases. Chain of custody forms may also be viewed, printed and/or downloaded via this process. (VENDOR NAME) currently provides one of the fastest turnaround times in the industry. The following chart illustrates the standard result report timeline for specimens shipped via next day service:

Specimens Shipped Reported	Specimens Received	Specimens
Monday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Tuesday	Wednesday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Thursday	Thursday
Thursday	Friday	Friday
Friday	Saturday	Saturday

Testing will begin at approximately 7AM. As screens are completed, results will be transmitted every hour via fax and/or web database. Testing and result transmission will continue throughout the day until completion at approximately 4PM Standard Time.

Specimen Transportation

(VENDOR NAME) contracts with Lab Express to provide consolidation (collection), pick-up and transport of drug testing specimens to the laboratory. All couriers that provide services under the scope of this RFP will have completed a recent background check. Specimens will be picked up on a regular basis at both offices (Plano and McKinney) County departments. (VENDOR NAME) currently utilizes DFW Airport and American Airlines for transport of specimens to the testing facility from the Dallas-Ft. Worth Area. Specimens are transported to (VENDOR NAME) the day of pick-up by Lab Express and transported to the laboratory within approximately 16 hours.

Adulteration, Dilution and/or Substitution

(VENDOR NAME) will perform a basic adulteration screen on every specimen submitted for testing. Creatinine will be analyzed and a level will be reported for all specimens.

Routine Adulteration Testing:

(VENDOR NAME) laboratory personnel automatically order and perform an extended adulteration panel on every sample that is suspected of adulteration on the basis of:

- Unusual color
- Unusual smell or
- Unusual test results (Instrument flags)

Each urine sample is tested for creatinine. A low creatinine level ($\leq 20 \text{ mg/dL}$) indicates a dilute sample. A Creatinine value less than 5 mg/dL automatically orders a Specific Gravity test. A specific Gravity ≤ 1.001 or

 \geq 1.02 along with a Creatinine level \leq 5 mg/dL is reported as, NOT CONSISTENT WITH NORMAL URINE.

I. Extended Adulteration Testing:

The extended panel includes the following tests:

TEST	NORMAL	ADULTERANT	POSSIBLE PRODUCT
Creatinine	>20 mg/dL	Flushing	Golden Seal
Ph	4 – 9	Strong Base or Acid	Oven cleaner
Specific Gravity	1.003 - 1.02	Most Additives	Salt, Sugar
Nitrite	<500 ug/mL	Potassium Nitrite	KLEAR
Gluteraldehyde	0	Gluteraldehyde	URINE AID
Oxidizing	0	Sodium hypochlorite	BLEACH
Substance			
Chromate	0	Pyridiniumchlorochromate	URINE LUCK

Court Testimony

(VENDOR NAME) will provide testimony upon request via subpoena. (VENDOR NAME) accepts faxed subpoenas. (VENDOR NAME) must receive adequate notice to arrange in-person appearances. (VENDOR NAME) understands that reimbursement of expenses will be provided through the State of Texas by filling out appropriate witness fee claim form(s). (VENDOR NAME) will only provide testimony for specimens that have been confirmed within its laboratory.

In addition to in-person testimony, (VENDOR NAME) also provides telephonic testimony and/or detailed litigation packets.

Audit

(VENDOR NAME) understands and agrees to audit procedures as required by TDCJ-CJAD. (VENDOR NAME) has experience with such procedures as a vendor for several Texas CSCD Departments.

EXHIBIT B Vendor Operational Plan (Required for Contracts with Each Vendor over \$100,000)

EXHIBIT C Monthly Invoice Form ~Example~

INVOICE

Collin County CSCD Attn: Cindy Powell 2100 Bloomdale Road, #12262 McKinney, TX 75071 Date: _____ Month: _____ Inv. #: _____ Code: TXCLCSC

Type of Service	Date	Units Rate	Total
5 Panel Screen and Confirm ETG – Added to 5 Panel or 6 Panel	874 392	\$ \$	\$
Tot	al Invoic	e	\$

EXHIBIT D Unallowable Costs

Any item unallowable by State or any authorized agency, statute, policy, or procedure including, but not limited to, federal guidelines for operation of forprofit and not-for-profit entities;

Alcoholic beverages;

Bad debts;

Building and Land purchase, rental purchase, lease purchase, renovation;

Cash payments to intended recipients of Services;

Equipment items <u>exceeding \$1,000</u> (CPU, Monitor and Keyboard are one unit) counted as a direct expense toward the program. Such items may be charged to the program only through an approved depreciation methodology.

Expenses or reimbursements to or on behalf of vendor-related entities for allowable indirect costs;

Expenses or costs reimbursed to vendor by other funds with respect to amounts paid by the CSCD for vendor services;

Fines and Penalties;

Firearm, Firearm Components, and Ammunition;

Fundraising; Marketing; and Advertising (advertising is allowable for personnel vacancies and procurement of goods and services only);

Legislative expenses for payment to any elected official from funds received from the CSCD;

Lobbying;

Payments to or on behalf of individuals related to principals of any vendoraffiliated organization(s) or to their employees, unless as allowable indirect costs or unless specific approval is received from the CSCD; and Tobacco Products.

CHAPTER 2270 VERIFICATION

I, _____, the undersigned representative of (PRINT NAME)

(COMPANY)

do hereby verify that the company named-above, under the provisions of Subtitle F, Title 10, Government Code Chapter 2270:

- 1. Does not boycott Israel currently; and
- 2. Will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

Pursuant to Section 2270.001, Texas Government Code:

- "Boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes; and
- 2. "Company" means a for-profit sole proprietorship, organization, association, corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, or any limited liability company, including a wholly owned subsidiary, majority-owned subsidiary, parent company or affiliate of those entities or business associations that exist to make a profit.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

TITLE

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity	FORM CIQ
This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 23, 84th Leg., Regular Session.	OFFICE USE ONLY
This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code, by a vendor who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the vendor meets requirements under Section 176.006(a).	Date Received
By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. <i>See</i> Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code.	
A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor.	
1 Name of vendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.	
2 Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The law re completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th busines you became aware that the originally filed questionnaire was incomplete or inaccurate.)	
3 Name of local government officer about whom the information is being disclosed.	
Name of Officer	
Describe each employment or other business relationship with the local government offi officer, as described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A). Also describe any family relationship wit Complete subparts A and B for each employment or business relationship described. Attac CIQ as necessary.	h the local government officer.
A. Is the local government officer or a family member of the officer receiving or li other than investment income, from the vendor?	kely to receive taxable income,
Yes No	
B. Is the vendor receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment of the local government officer or a family member of the officer AND the taxable local governmental entity?	
Yes No	
5 Describe each employment or business relationship that the vendor named in Section 1 m other business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves as an o ownership interest of one percent or more.	
6 Check this box if the vendor has given the local government officer or a family member as described in Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding gifts described in Section 176.0	
7	
Signature of vendor doing business with the governmental entity	Date

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/ Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a): "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

(A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;

(B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or

(C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

(a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:

(2) the vendor:

(A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that

(i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or

(ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor;

(B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:

- (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
- (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

(a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:

(1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);

(2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or

(3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.

(a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:

(1) the date that the vendor:

(A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or

(B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or

(2) the date the vendor becomes aware:

(A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);

(B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or

(C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

INFORMATION REGARDING CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

During the 79th Legislative Session, House Bill 914 was signed into law effective September 1, 2015, which added Chapter 176 to the Texas Local Government Code. Recent changes have been made to Chapter 176 pursuant to HB23, which passed the 84th Legislative Session. Chapter 176 mandates the <u>public disclosure of certain</u> *information concerning persons doing business or seeking to do business with Collin* <u>County, including family, business, and financial relationships such persons may have</u> *with Collin County officers or employees involved in the planning,* <u>recommending, selecting and contracting of a vendor for this procurement.</u>

For a copy of Form CIQ and CIS:

http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/conflict_forms.htm

The vendor acknowledges by doing business or seeking to do business with Collin County that he/she has been notified of the requirements under Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code and that he/she is solely responsible for complying with the terms and conditions therein. Furthermore, any individual or business entity seeking to do business with Collin County who does not comply with this practice may risk award consideration of any County contract.

For a listing of current Collin County Officers: http://www.collincountytx.gov/government/Pages/officials.aspx

The following County employees will be involved in the planning, recommending, selecting, and contracting for the attached procurement:

Department: Yoon Kim, Director of CSCD Larry Pintar, Assitant Director of CSCD Robbin Gilbert, Unit Supervisor of CSCD

Purchasing: Michalyn Rains, CPPO, CPPB Purchasing Agent Michelle Charnoski, CPPB Assistant Purchasing Agent Geri Osinaike, CPPO, CPPB Senior Buyer

Commissioners' Court: Keith Self – County Judge Susan Fletcher – Commissioner Precinct No. 1 Cheryl Williams – Commissioner Precinct No. 2 John Thomas – Commissioner Precinct No. 3 Duncan Webb – Commissioner Precinct No. 4

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.				
page 2.	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above				
Б	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: Individual/sole proprietor or C Corporation S Corporation Partnership single-member LLC	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):			
ğ ö	Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partners	hip) 🕨	Exempt payee code (if any)		
Print or type Instruction	Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the tax classification of the single-member owner.		Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any)		
E E	□ Other (see instructions) ►		(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)		
Print or type Specific Instructions	 5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) 6 City, state, and ZIP code 	Requester's name a	and address (optional)		
See	7 List account number(s) here (optional)				
Par	t I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)				
Enter	your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to ave	oid Social sec	curity number		
reside entitie	up withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for ent alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other es, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to ge</i>				
TIN o	n page 3.	or			
	If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page lines on whose number to enter.	4 for Employer	identification number		

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- 1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- 3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- 4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign	Signature of		
Here	U.S. person 🕨		

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted. **Future developments**. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at *www.irs.gov/fw9*.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- · Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- · Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

Date 🕨

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)
- Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.
- If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.
- By signing the filled-out form, you:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),

2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or

3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and

 Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See What is FATCA reporting? on page 2 for further information.