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Subject: Bidder Question Responses (questions received after 2/3/deadline)

Project: Solicitation #VA69D-12-B-0119, Relocate Cardiology Suite at Jesse Brown VAMC

To: Interested Bidders

1. The hardware specs(087100) do not list any manufactures for lock sets, closers and exit devices. I would imagine that the VA facility has set standards for these products. The specs do list interchangeable cores for the lock sets and nothing else.

Answer: VA standard hardware specification was used. Best 7 pin interchangeable cores as well as LCN 4040 closers (or equal) are included in the specification. Otherwise, there is not an established hardware standard for this facility. The architect will do a thorough review of the door and hardware submittal when received and verify that all submitted hardware meets the VA specs and can accept the Best core.

2. Please find attached the two documents that are inconsistent on the Range of the \$\$ amount for the Cardiology/Waiting Area Bid. One indicates 2-5M, the other 3-5M. Please clarify.

Answer: The pre-solicitation document is incorrect. The correct project magnitude range is \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000.