

The Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital, 5000 South 5th Avenue, Hines, IL is seeking potential sources capable of providing Nitric Oxide Gas for invasive and noninvasive ventilation on an as-needed basis, 24/7, 365 days a year to include federal holidays. All treatments will be performed at the VA hospital. The applicable NAICS code is 325412 with a size standard of 1250 Employees.

No formal solicitation document exists at this time. Responses to this sources sought notice should include the following: name and address of company; business size (large or small); identify whether or not firm falls into any of the following socioeconomic categories – 8(a), HUBZone, Service Disabled Veteran-Owned (SDVOSB); firm's experience in providing the listed service; answers to the below questions, and any other pertinent information that demonstrates the capability to meet the above requirement.

Questions:

Can you provide the following services on a 24/7 basis:

- Nitric Oxide for inhalation portable aluminum cylinders.
- Maintenance and calibration items, accessories, and disposables.
- Training, support, maintenance, pick-up and delivery.
- A delivery device meeting the criteria for the administration of Nitric Oxide set forth in the product label for Nitric Oxide
- Nitric Oxide purified calibration gases for calibrating the delivery device
- Disposables, Adaptors, Parts and Accessories
- Training and In-service
- 24/7 Technical and Customer Support
- Test Gas Program and Monthly System Check-Out kits
- Routine preventative maintenance and updates for delivery devices
- Replacement/Repair of delivery devices on an as needed basis
- Routine scheduled pick-ups and deliveries to provide appropriate levels of cylinders of Nitric Oxide and related supplies and disposable items
- Emergency deliveries on an as needed basis
- Reimbursement support services

All responses shall be submitted in writing no later than 12:00 PM local time, 16 December 2016, to the attention of: Teresa Beers-Wesolowski, Great Lakes Acquisition Center (GLAC), 115 South 84th St, Suite 101, Milwaukee, WI 53214. Email address: teresa.beers-wesolowski@va.gov. If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Teresa via email.

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