

STATEMENT OF WORK (SOW)

1. **Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).**

Name:	
Section:	Pharmacy Service 03/119
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2. **Contract Title.** VALBHS Sterilization Testing

3. **Background.**

Media Fill and Glove fingertip tests are required to evaluate the aseptic manipulation techniques of all sterile compounding personnel. The United States Pharmacopeia (USP) standards in chapter <797> provide strict requirements for preparing sterile products. USP <797> requires all hazardous drugs (such as chemotherapy) and non-hazardous drugs (IV admixtures such as IV antibiotics, large volume parenteral, TPN's) to be prepared in a biological safety cabinet (BSC) placed in an area that is physically separated with negative pressure to adjacent positive pressure ante areas or in a Compounding Aseptic Containment Isolator (CACI).

4. **Scope.**

The purpose of this statement of work is to determine whether VHA facilities complied with selected requirements for the safe preparation of compounded sterile products (CSP).

5. **Specific Tasks.**

Contractor shall:

- a. Provide an annually Media-fill testing for low and medium risk, as well as, semi-annually for high risk facilities.
- b. Vendor shall also provide Gloved fingertip sampling; no less than three times initially and then annually for low-and-medium risk, and semi-annually for high risk facilities.

- c. Vendor will perform these tasks at VA Long Beach, 5901 East 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90822

6. Deliverables:

Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Compounding personnel will complete the USP 797 medium risk media-fill test using sterile bags for both Inpatient & Oncology staff.
- b. Incubate additional tests for Inpatient & Oncology staff if needed/required

7. Packaging, Packing and Shipping Instructions.

Address for performance is the following: VA Long Beach, 5901 East 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90822

8. Performance Monitoring

Performance shall be monitored by the Inpatient and Oncology Supervisor and will include an oversight of each media-fill test performed.

9. Place of Performance: VA Long Beach, 5901 East 7th Street, Long Beach, CA 90822

10. Estimated Period of Performance: 3/13/17- 03/12/18