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The NCO 12, Great Lakes Acquisition Center, 115 S. 84th Street, Suite 101, Milwaukee, WI 53214, is performing market research to determine if there is a sufficient number of qualified: (1) Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB); (2) Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB); or (3) Small or emerging small business firms, or (4) Large business firms, to provide a Class II Type A2 Biological Safety Cabinet, for the VA Illiana Health Care System (VA IHCS) in Danville, Indiana.

General Specifications:

- Class II A2 type biological Safety cabinet with 3-foot work space.
- Shall have all venting equipment.
- Shall have regular wall outlet 115v power.
- Shall have a stand.
- Shall be on a castor wheel base for easy movement.
- Shall have a negative pressure chamber.
- The base shall have motorized adjustable height for disabled employees and ergonomic ease of use.
- Cabinet exhaust couplings and duct couplings required as the hood shall be capable of coupling to controlled airflow ductwork.
- Shall be constructed of stainless and plexiglass.
- Cleaning equipment accessories are required and shall be matched to the unit.
- Shall be compliant with USP 800 sterile IV compounding requirements with cleaning accessories and venting/exhaust couplings available to vent to exterior spaces.

All interested firms who can meet the requirements stated above should respond, in writing, **INCLUDING ALL THE FOLLOWING:**

1. Company name.
2. Address.
3. Point of contact (name/title/telephone number/e-mail address).
4. FSS / SEWP Contract number, if applicable.
5. DUNS number.
6. Tax ID number.
7. Indication of which business category (SDVOSB, VOSB, Small Business or Large Business) for which the organization qualifies.
8. A capability statement that addresses the organizations qualifications and ability to provide the requirement depicted above.
9. Documentation from manufacturer (i.e. correspondence from manufacturer) of your firm being an authorized distributor for the manufacturer.

Submit responses to the Contracting Officer, Thomas Chesak, at thomas.chesak@va.gov no later than 10:00 a.m. (Central Standard Time), 26 January 2018.

36C252-18-Q-0469 Class II Type A2 Biological Safety Cabinet for VA IHCS shall be referenced on all correspondence regarding this announcement.

TELEPHONIC INQUIRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

The NAICS Code 334516, Analytical Laboratory Instrument Manufacturing, is applicable to this acquisition; the size standard is 1,000 employees. Interested firms are reminded that in accordance with FAR 4.12, prospective contractors shall complete electronic annual representations and certifications in conjunction with FAR 4.11 required registration in the Systems for Award Management (SAM) database prior to award of a contract. The Government will use responses to this notice to make an appropriate acquisition decision. This is the only notice; no other copies of this notice will be provided.