

**Purpose and Objectives:** The intent of this Sources Sought Notice is to identify potential businesses especially any Small Businesses and SDVOSB offerors capable of providing LEICA equipment as listed below in the Statement of Need. These are for the VA Medical Center in Philadelphia, PA 19104. Responses to this Sources Sought Notice should demonstrate the firm's ability, capability, and responsibility to provide the principal components of supplies listed in the attached document. Responses should include the following information: Business name, address, Point of Contact, Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business info and if they are a manufacturer of the items. All information is to be submitted via e-mail at Ronald.Kline@va.gov. Information provided will not be returned. All responses shall be in the English Language. Responses are due by 12:00 pm (EST) on Wednesday, May 2, 2018. No submissions will be accepted after this date and time. Questions can be submitted electronically to at Ronald.Kline@va.gov. This is a Sources Sought Notice and submissions will be used for informational and planning purposes only. This notice does not constitute a formal Request for Quote (RFQ), nor is the government obligated to issue an RFQ. In addition, the Government does not intend to pay for any information provided under this notice. The Government is not obligated to notify respondents of the results of this survey.

## **STATEMENT OF NEED**

We need a Leica M320 surgical microscope with floor stand that is capable of high magnification, has remote control for maintenance of a sterile surgical field, provides fluorescent optics/channels for ease of identification of graft tissue, and is capable of being outfitted with a second set of eyepieces for teaching and observing.

General Criteria we would like to have met:

### **OPTICS PACKAGE**

- 10X/21B Eyepiece, type II
- Binocular tube var.0180°t,type II
- Inclined optics carriage with swing arm
- Objective (f=250mm) manual focus
- Binocular tube (T) with drive knob

### **FLUORESCENCE PACKAGE**

- Kramer Quad Illuminator
- GFP Narrowband cube for Quad Illum 190
- M-cherry/TexasRed cube for Quad Illum 190
- YFP cube for Quad Illum 190

CFP cube for Quad Illum 190

Prior L200 light source

Prior 2 meter light guide

#### GENERAL

Remote Control IVC M320 with battery

Lateral handles with sterilizable cover

Camera capability

#### **Work Tasks and Deliverables**

Deliver all items listed above in the A522, Research Building, at 3900 Woodland Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

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