

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

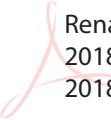
**Justification for Single Source Awards IAW [FAR 13.106-1](#)
For
Over Micro-Purchase Threshold but Not Exceeding the SAT (\$250K)**

Acquisition Plan Action ID: 629-18-3-106-0174

1. **Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 16, Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System, 629-18-3-106-0174
2. **Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:** To provide and install the eVideon Interactive Patient Television (IPTV) system at Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System (SLVHCS) Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOCs) in Southeast Louisiana. SLVHCS already owns the system at the main campus and is expanding it to outlying clinics. The estimated price is [REDACTED]
3. **Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:** SLVHCS has already invested almost \$2,573,429.00 into this technology at the main campus in New Orleans. The medical center is now looking to expand this system to the CBOCs. Utilizing the same system will allow for the same standard of care in patient education at the CBOCs as in the main hospital. Since SLVHCS already owns the system and the backbone, we will just be purchasing monitors and local cache devices to be used in the CBOC's. The manufacturer of this product does not sell through other companies and is registered in SAM as a Small Business concern.
4. **Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:** A sources sought was published to FBO, on 20 June 18 where only one vendor (Optimal Solutions) responded offering to equip, install, implement, program and train an IPTV expansion system expansion to the ten (10) CBOC sites with new IPTV Edge Boxes, 43" LED TVs and Wall Mount TV Brackets. This equipment must be compatible with each other, it is proprietary software, and the a significant cost savings from the purchase & implementation of a new system; it has been determined to Sole Source this requirement to Optimal Solutions.

5. **Contracting Officer's Certification:** *Purchase is approved in accordance with FAR13.106-1(b). I certify that the foregoing justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. **Note: COs are required to make a determination of price reasonableness IAW FAR 13.106-3. See the [S19 Open Market \(FAR13\) Award Documentation Form with Abstract](#) to document price reasonableness.***

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