



GUAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER  
Clinical Services Division, Residential Treatment Programs

## **Request for Proposals**

### **GBHWC RFP 02-2020**

Professional Services

Providing Twenty-Four (24) Hour Level II Residential,  
Therapeutic and Operational Services Program for Adults with  
Co-occurring Disabilities of Serious Mental Illness and  
Mild-to-Moderate Intellectual Disabilities

Also known as the *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey)  
Residential Program

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR**  
**Professional Services**  
**Providing Twenty-Four (24) Hour Level II Residential,**  
**Therapeutic and Operational Services Program for Adults**  
**With Co-occurring Disabilities of Serious Mental Illness**  
**and Mild-to-Moderate Intellectual Disabilities**

Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center (GBHWC), formerly Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse, is soliciting proposals from private, public, for-profit or non-profit organizations, companies or individuals interested in providing twenty-four (24) hour Level II residential, therapeutic and operational services program for adults with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild-to-moderate intellectual disabilities.

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Request for Proposal (RFP) is available by calling telephone number (671) 647-5395 or 647-5397 for an appointment for public inspection or to pick up a hard copy at 790 Governor Carlos G. Camacho Road, Tamuning, Guam between 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. during the weekdays except holidays. The proposal can also be downloaded at [www.gbhwc.gum.gov](http://www.gbhwc.gum.gov).

Prospective Offerors are required to register with GBHWC to ensure that they receive notices regarding any changes or updates to the RFP. Official communications, clarifications and amendments to the RFP will be sent to all registered Offerors. A registration form is provided with the RFP as Form A. GBHWC will not be liable for failure to provide notice to any Offeror that does not register current contact information.

Questions regarding this RFP should be written, addressed and sent to the GBHWC Director by U.S. Mail, facsimile (671) 649-6948 or electronic mail at [marilyn.arriola@gbhwc.gum.gov](mailto:marilyn.arriola@gbhwc.gum.gov) by August 7, 2020. All correspondence will be recorded, considered confidential and timely responded to in the form of an answer or amendment, whichever is applicable in accordance with Guam Procurement Regulations.

The DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF PROPOSALS is no later than 4:30 P.M. Chamorro Standard Time, MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 2020. All proposals must be addressed to the GBHWC Director and sent to 790 Governor Carlos Camacho Road, Tamuning, Guam 96913. Because of the COVID-19 Pandemic, please call (671) 647-5395 or 647-5397 for arrangements to accept hand deliveries. Electronic mail (email) will not be accepted.

GBHWC shall have the right to reject all proposals or offers that have been submitted in response to this RFP, and/or may cancel this RFP at any time if the Director determines such to be in the interest of GBHWC or if allowed by law or regulation.

GBHWC is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Provider.

  
THERESA C. ARRIOLA  
Director  
August 3, 2020

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## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

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### A. INTRODUCTION

Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated, Chapter 86, Sub-section 86109.1. Residential Treatment Program established within the GBHWC a program entitled Residential Treatment Program to provide transitional living services for mentally ill and mentally retarded (sic) client to provide adequate and continuing supervision and counseling to client released to the community and to acquaint and assist clients with various support agencies and programs.

On August 1, 2009, as a result of Case No. CV01-00041 CMB, Title: J.C. et al v. Camacho, et al, Docket Entry Order No. 14, the GBHWC complied with the order from U.S. District Court Judge Consuelo B. Marshal to place five (5) individuals from the Wait List at the Independent Group Home.

Subsequently, the GBHWC has determined that the *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey) Residential Program is a Level II residential program that would meet the unique needs of high quality habilitation and multi-disciplinary treatment services for consumers with behavioral health issues, especially those with mental illness, cognitive limitations, intellectual/developmental disabilities, and/or substance use issues, within a supportive living environment integrated in the community.

The *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey) Residential Program is in compliance with the Olmstead Act by ensuring the most integrated setting appropriate to the needs of qualified individuals with disabilities are available.

This procurement is for professional services providing twenty-four (24) hour Level II residential, therapeutic and operational services program for adults with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild-to-moderate intellectual disabilities.

By way of background, there are two homes that provide Level II residential, therapeutic and support services. One home housing five (5) consumers with co-occurring disabilities and the other home housing five (5) consumers without co-occurring disabilities.

### B. APPLICABILITY OF GUAM PROCUREMENT LAW

All agencies of the government of Guam are required to follow the Guam Procurement Law when using public funds for procurement of “supplies or services” pursuant to 5 GCA Chapter 5 and 2 GAR Division 4. The statutes are available online at the <http://www.guamcourts.org/CompilerofLaws/index.html>. This RFP is issued by the GBHWC, a line department of government of Guam, and authorized by the Guam Procurement Law to act as the purchasing agency for the purpose of procuring professional services described in Section II, Scope of Work. Any party who submits a proposal is known as “offeror”.

### **C. ALL PARTIES TO ACT IN GOOD FAITH**

This RFP requires all parties involved in the preparation of the RFP, the evaluation and negotiation of proposals, and the performance or administration of contracts to act in good faith.

### **D. LIABILITY FOR COSTS TO PREPARE PROPOSAL**

The GBHWC is not liable for any costs incurred by any offeror in connection with the preparation of its proposal. By submitting a proposal, the offeror expressly waives any right it may have against the government for any expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of its proposal.

### **E. REGISTRATION OF INTERESTED PARTIES (FORM A)**

All parties who receive an RFP, either via the website or email and who are possibly interested in submitting a proposal must register as an interested party by completing the "Proposal Registration" (GBHWC RFP Form A) and either delivering it to GBHWC in person (by appointment by calling (671) 647-5395/5396/5397), or by U.S. Mail, facsimile or email to [marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov](mailto:marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov). Only potential offerors who have registered with GBHWC are assured of receiving any amendments to the RFP, responses to inquiries and other related matters. **Acknowledgement of receipt to all amendments and responses to inquiries is required as part of any proposals.** GBHWC maintains a procurement registration log as to those potential offerors. In the event the contact information for a potential offeror changes during the procurement process, it shall be the potential offeror's responsibility to update its registration contract information with GBHWC. GBHWC will not be liable for failure to provide notice to any party who did not register accurate and current contact information.

### **F. DESIGNATION OF REPRESENTATIVE (FORM B)**

The offeror shall designate a representative to act on its behalf and who is knowledgeable of the scope of work and the quality of work to be performed or services to be rendered. The representative is authorized to receive all proposal-related communication(s).

### **G. LICENSES (FORM C)**

The offeror shall submit a Guam business license, registration or certificate; a federal employers identification number (EIN) or other valid and current attachments with the proposal. A current Guam business license is not required in order to submit a proposal; however, it is required of the successful offeror before the agreement (contract) is executed by the GBHWC director.

An offeror who has not complied with the Guam Licensing Law is cautioned that the GBHWC will not consider for award any proposal offer submitted. Specific information on licenses may be obtained from the Director of the Department of Revenue and Taxation, by telephone at (671) 475-1815 or by mail at P.O. Box 23607, GMF, Guam 96921 or online at: <http://ns.gov.gu/government> or [www.admin.gov.gu/revtax](http://www.admin.gov.gu/revtax) .

## **H. Non-Resident Tax Withholding**

A non-resident person without a valid Guam business license residing outside of Guam shall be subject to a withholding assessment, the equivalent of the Guam business privilege tax (BPT), which shall be the equal to four percent (4% or current rate) of the total value of a contract awarded by all government of Guam contracts for professional services as a cost of doing business with the government of Guam. See P.L. 33-166 effective June 20, 2017 codified at 11 G.C.A., Chapter 71, Section 7114.

## **I. DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION AND INELIGIBILITY**

All debarment or suspensions of persons are deferred from consideration for award of contracts imposed by the Chief Procurement Officer, the Director of Public Works, or the head of a Purchasing Agency. (5 GCA §9102). Only offerors who are not suspended by local and federal government(s) are qualified to submit proposals.

## **J. MANDATORY LOCAL DISCLOSURES**

The Guam Procurement Law requires each offeror to make a number of disclosures. Some of the disclosures are required for an offeror to qualify to submit a proposal.

1. **Affidavit Re Disclosing Ownership and Commissions (AG Form 002)**  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit and represent its list of names and addresses of any person holding more than ten percent (10%) of the outstanding interest or shares in said partnership, sole proprietorship or corporation at any time during the twelve (12) month period immediately preceding submission of proposal. The affidavit shall contain the number of shares or the percentage of assets of such partnership, sole partnership or corporation which have held by each person during the twelve (12) month period. In addition, the affidavit shall contain the name and address of any person who has received or is entitled to receive a commission, gratuity or other compensation for procuring or assisting in obtaining business related to the bid for the bidder and shall also contain the amounts of any such commission, gratuity or other compensation. The affidavit shall be open and available to the public for inspection and copying. (5 GCA §5233) 2)
2. **Affidavit Re Non-Collusion (AG Form 003)**  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit and represent that it certifies that the price submitted was independently arrived without collusion and has not intentionally committed anti-competitive practices (2 GAR §3126.b).
3. **Affidavit Re Gratuities or Kickbacks (AG Form 004)**  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit that it has not violated, is not violating, and promises that it will not violate the prohibition against gratuities and kickbacks set forth in §11206 Gratuities and Kickbacks of the Guam Procurement Regulations.
4. **Affidavit Re Ethical Standards (AG Form 005)**  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit and represent that it has not knowingly influenced and promises that it will not knowingly influence a government



employee to breach any of the ethical standards set forth in 5 GCA Chapter 5 Article 11 (Ethics in Public Contracting) of the Guam Procurement Regulations.

5. Declaration Re Compliance with U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) Wage Determination (AG Form 006)  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit and represent that it will pay its employees and ensure its subcontractors pay its employees in full compliance with all applicable federal and local wage rules and regulations, 5 GCA §5801 & §5802 Wage Determinations. The most recently issued wage determination at the time a contract is awarded applies to the Agreement.
6. Affidavit Re Contingent Fees (AG Form 007)  
The offeror shall submit an affidavit and represent that it has not retained any person or agency on a percentage, commission, or other contingent arrangement to secure this contract and represents that it is not in violation of Subsection (1) of Section §11108 of the Guam Procurement Regulations as failure to do so constitute a breach of ethical standards.

#### **K. TYPE OF CONTRACT**

The contract that results in this solicitation will be a professional service cost reimbursement contract. The parties will agree to an approved budget, Cost Reimbursement Object Categories and Staffing Levels (See Form F – Annual Costs Proposal). The contract shall contain a ceiling or an estimate that shall not be exceeded without the prior consent to GBHWC. GBHWC personnel will closely monitor the performance of the services. Offeror’s accounting system will be reviewed and approved by GBHWC as part of this procurement. GBHWC is utilizing a cost reimbursement contract because the nature of profession services and GBHWC focus on obtaining the most efficient and lowest cost for the government of Guam.

#### **L. DURATION OF CONTRACT OR TERM OF SERVICE**

1. Initial Term  
The initial term contract shall begin upon the date that the Governor approves the contract, as signified by her execution of the contract (the “Initial Term”). After the Governor has approved the contract, the government will issue a written notice to proceed notifying the vendor services are to begin. The initial term of the contract shall end September 30, 2021, subject to the appropriation, allocation and availability of funds.
2. Renewal Term  
At the option of the government, the contract may be renewed for up to two (2) additional one (1) year periods (each being a “Renewal Term”) subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory performance. Upon expiration of the Renewal Term(s), this contract shall expire, unless sooner terminated.
3. Monthly Extension Periods  
At the option of the government, the contract may be extended after the Renewal Term on a month-to-month basis (each being a “Monthly Extension Period”) or in special circumstances a combination of monthly periods for two or three months, to

begin immediately after the expiration date of the final Renewal Term(s), provided that in no event may the parties agree to more than six (6) Monthly Extension Periods. The Monthly Extension Periods may be agreed to by the parties only if the government is unable to continue the services under a new contract after a new solicitation and procurement is undertaken by the government.

4. **Multiple Term Contract Multiple Certification of Funds.**  
The Initial Term and any subsequent term(s) of this contract are subject to the availability of funds. The funds for the first twelve (12) months (or pro-rated fiscal year if applicable) of the Initial Term of the contract are certified as part of the execution of the contract. In the event that funds are not allocated, appropriated or otherwise made available to support continuation of performance in any period of time after the first twelve (12) months (or pro-rata fiscal year if applicable), the contract shall be cancelled; however, this does not affect either the GBHWC's rights or the contractor's rights under any termination clause of the contract. The GBHWC shall notify the contractor on a timely basis in writing that funds are, or are not, available for the continuation of the contract for each succeeding period. In the event of cancellation of this multi-term contract as provided above, the contractor will be reimbursed its unamortized, reasonably incurred, nonrecurring costs.  
There may be multiple certifications of funds by the GBHWC during any term of the contract.

## **M. COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES**

The offeror and the GBHWC will negotiate an annual not to exceed budget, inclusive of object categories and staffing levels, which shall remain firm and place for all years of the contract, including any special monthly extension (on a pro-rata, monthly basis) for the professional services provided in keeping with this RFP.

The contractor shall be compensated monthly upon the clearance of monthly invoices by the GBHWC.

1. **Invoices**  
All compensation is subject to appropriation, allocation, and availability of funds, upon completion of the services and receipt of any deliverables and a monthly invoice in the form agreed by the parties. If less than a month of service is provided, the GBHWC shall pro-rate the payment based on the number of days of service provided. Payment shall be based on actual costs, as defined in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101(1), submitted less disallowed costs and penalties, as applicable. Compensation based upon the aggregate of actual cost submitted may be less than the agreed upon compensation, but in no event shall it exceed the agreed upon compensation.

The invoice should reflect only those service fees incurred for the current billing period. Each invoice should also include the total amount billed from the inception of the current contract year. All invoices are subject to review and approval by the GBHWC. The acceptance and payment of any invoice shall not be deemed a waiver of any of the GBHWC's rights under the agreement.

In any reporting month there exists a discrepancy in the statistical, narrative or financial reports submitted by the contractor to the GBHWC, ten percent (10%) of the invoice amount after applying any penalties or disallowed costs, shall be withheld until the discrepancy has been resolved to the satisfaction of the GBHWC.

2. Final Payment and Release of Claims

The final payment shall be made upon satisfactory delivery and acceptance of all services herein specified and performed. Prior to final payment and as a condition precedent thereto, the contractor shall execute and deliver to the GBHWC a release, in the form provided by the GBHWC of claims against the GBHWC and the government of Guam arising under and by virtue of the contract.

## N. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS

The offeror understands that its relationship with the GBHWC is as an independent contractor and not as an employee of the GBHWC. No employee benefits such as insurance coverage, participation in the government retirement system, or accumulation of vacation or sick leave shall accrue to the offeror or its individual employees, if any. No type of tax will be withheld from payments made to the awarded offeror.

## O. CONFIDENTIAL/PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

Any restrictions of the use or inspection of material within the proposal shall be clearly stated in the proposal itself. The offeror must state specifically which elements of the proposal are to be considered confidential/proprietary. The confidential/proprietary information must be readily identifiable, marked and separately packaged from the rest of the proposal. Co-mingling of confidential/proprietary and other information is NOT acceptable. Neither a proposal in its entirety, nor proposal price information will be considered confidential/proprietary. If a proposal contains confidential information, a redacted copy of the proposal must also be submitted. **Any proposal copyrighted or marked as confidential and proprietary in its entirety shall be deemed materially non-responsive to the RFP, and may be rejected by the GBHWC as being non-compliant/non-responsive with the RFP.** Any information that will be included in any resulting contract cannot be considered confidential. The GBHWC will make a written determination as to the apparent validity of any request for confidentiality. In the event the GBHWC does not concur with the offeror's request for confidentiality, the written determination will be sent to the offeror.

## P. OWNERSHIP OF PROPOSAL

The GBHWC has the right to retain the original proposal and other RFP response materials for our files. As such, the GBHWC may retain or dispose of copies as is lawfully deems appropriate. The GBHWC has the right to use any or all information/material presented in reply to the RFP, subject to the limitation outlined in the clause, Proprietary/Confidential Information. The offeror expressly agrees that the GBHWC may use the materials, and any and all ideas and adaptations of ideas contained in any proposal received in response to this solicitation for all lawful Government of Guam purposes, including but not limited to the right to reproduce copies of the material submitted for purposes of evaluation, and to make the information available to the

public in accordance to the provisions of Guam laws and regulations. Selection or rejection of the offer will not affect this right.

**Q. EXPLANATION TO OFFERORS**

No oral explanation in regard to the meaning of the specification will be made and no oral instructions will be given before the award of the proposal. Discrepancies, omissions, or doubts as to the meaning of the specification should be communicated in writing to the named contact individual of the requesting agency/department for interpretation. Offerors should act promptly and allow sufficient time for a reply to reach them before the submission of their proposals. Interpretation, if required, shall be made in the form of an amendment to the specification, which will be forwarded to all prospective offerors, and its receipt by the offeror should be acknowledged on the proposal form.

**R. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY - Nondiscrimination**

Offeror who is awarded the contract, warrants that no person in its employment has been convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 of the Guam Code Annotated, or of an offense defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28 of Title 9 of the Guam Code Annotated, or who has been convicted of an offense with the same elements as heretofore defined in any other jurisdiction, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, shall provide services on behalf of the Offeror while on government of Guam property, with the exception of public highways. If any employee of the Offeror is providing services on government property and is convicted subsequent to an award of a contract, then the Offeror warrants that it will notify the government of the conviction within twenty-four hours of the conviction, and will immediately cease convicted persons from providing services on government property. If the Offeror is found to be in violation of any of the provisions of this paragraph, then the government will give notice to the Offeror to take corrective action. The Offeror shall take corrective action within twenty-four hours of notice from the government, and the Offeror shall notify the government when action has been taken. If the Offeror fails to take corrective steps within twenty-four hours of notice from the government, then the government in its sole discretion may temporarily suspend any contract for services until corrective action has been taken.

GBHWC is an equal opportunity provider and employer and strictly adheres to a policy on nondiscrimination activities in compliance with all applicable Federal and Guam laws in its labor practices and carries out all government programs in such a manner that no person shall on the grounds of race, religion, color, sex, including sexual harassment and orientation, national original, age, physical or mental disability, marital status or political affiliation and retaliation be excluded from participating , be denied the benefits of, or be subject to discrimination with respect to any program or activities. See Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, and Presidential Executive Order 11246, as amended and other relevant Federal and Territorial requirements, and Governor Guam Executive Order 2006-16.

Service Provider shall assure that no person shall on the grounds of race, religion, color, sex including sexual harassment and orientation, national original, age, physical or mental disability, marital status or political affiliation and retaliation be excluded from participation in,

be denied benefit of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity under this Agreement.

Additionally, in keeping with Section II (4) of Governor of Guam E.O. 2006-16, Service Provider shall meet the following contractual requirements:

1. In the event it is receiving ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) or have more than fifty (50) or more employees, it shall develop an equal opportunity affirmative action plan, using standard guidelines established by the Guam Department of Labor, within sixty (60) days after the Effective Date of this contract. Furthermore, within ninety (90) days of the award and annually thereafter for the duration of the contract, Service Provider under this section shall submit affirmative action reports to the Guam Department of Labor.
2. In the event it is receiving less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) or has less than fifty (50) employees, it shall not be required to develop an equal opportunity affirmative action plan, except, however, Service Provider shall be strictly prohibited from discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, including sexual harassment and orientation, national origin, age, physical or mental disability, marital status or political affiliation and retaliation.
3. Service Provider shall flow through the requirement in this Section V Equal Opportunity Nondiscrimination to its subcontractors.
4. Service Provider shall comply with all Federal and Guam laws and regulations including the Guam Department of Labor laws and regulations and (new) P.L. 33-64 Guam Employment Nondiscrimination in Employment Act of 2015 codified as 22 GCA Chapter 5 Article 2, which additionally includes as unlawful employment practice or unlawful discrimination grounds race, sex (including gender identity or expression), age, religion, color, honorably discharged veteran and military status, sexual orientation, or ancestry. The definitions for “sexual orientation”, “gender identity or expression” and “veteran and military status” as set forth in 22 GCA §5202(h), (i) and (j). A Service Provider that is a “religious employer” in keeping with P.L. 33-64 §5(a) is exempt from the religious discrimination provisions of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as set forth in §5 in more detail. In the event Service Provider is part of Government of Guam (new) P.L. 33-64 is codified at 4 GCA Chapter 4, §4101(a) as amended.
5. If Service Provider is found not to be in compliance with the requirements in this Section V Equal Opportunity Nondiscrimination during the life of this Agreement, the Service Provider agrees to make appropriate steps to correct these deficiencies.

## **S. MULTI OR ALTERNATE PROPOSALS**

Multiple or alternate proposals are not allowed and will be considered non-responsive and proposal(s) will be returned.

## T. ASSIGNMENT

Any assignment, pledge, joint venture, hypothecation of right or responsibility to any person, firm or corporation should be fully explained and detailed in the proposal. Information as to the experience and qualifications of proposed subcontractors or joint ventures should be included in the proposal. In addition, written commitments from any subcontractors or joint ventures should be included as part of the proposal.

The assignment will not be accepted without prior approval from the GBHWC. The request for approval or assignment must be made with submission of proposal. No assignment will be accepted if the request is not made with the proposal.

## U. AMENDMENTS TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The right is reserved as the interest of the GBHWC may require revising or amending the specifications prior to the date set for opening proposals. Such revisions and amendments, if any, will be announced by an amendment or amendments to this RFP and shall be identified as such and shall require that firms acknowledge receipt of all amendments issued. The amendment shall refer to the portions of the RFP it amends. The amendments shall be sent to all prospective offerors known to have received an RFP. The amendments shall be distributed within a reasonable time to allow prospective firms to consider in preparing their proposals. If the time and date set for receipt of proposals will not permit such preparation, such time shall be increased to the extent possible in the amendment or, if necessary, by or telephone or email to [marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov](mailto:marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov) and confirmed in the amendment. **The amendment(s) must be attached to the proposal.**

## V. PROPOSAL SELECTION

GBHWC will be responsible for final selection of an acceptable proposal. The GBHWC will endeavor to notify all respondents on or about 30 days after the deadline for receipt of proposals, that the GBHWC has selected a consultant to negotiate a contract. The written notice of award will be public information and made a part of the contract file.

After conclusion of validation of qualifications, evaluation, and discussion as provided in the section "Amendments To Request For Proposal", the GBHWC will select in the order of their respective qualification and evaluation ranking, no fewer than three (3) acceptable proposals (or such lesser number if less than three acceptable proposals were received) deemed to be the best qualified to provide the required services, and must receive a minimum of 70% total rating.

## W. ERRORS AND OMISSIONS

The GBHWC reserves the right to make corrections due to minor errors of the offeror identified in proposals by the GBHWC or the offeror. The GBHWC, at its option, has the right to request clarification or additional information from offeror.

----- End of Section I, General Information -----

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## II. SCOPE OF WORK

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The scope of work is written by Reina R. Sanchez, Administrator of the Clinical Services Division and approved by Theresa C. Arriola, Director. The following scope of work utilizes the Residential Recovery Program developed by the U.S. District Court-appointed Federal Management Team (FMT) in close collaboration with GBHWC clinicians, consultants and staff. The current Residential Recovery Program manual can be viewed on-line at [www.gbhwc.guam.gov](http://www.gbhwc.guam.gov) and is incorporated herein as fully re-written, and is currently under review for update and revision.

**A. Level II Criteria.** *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey) Residential Program is a Level II residential program with the following criteria:

1. Consumers have a primary diagnosis of a severe mental illness (e.g., Schizophrenia, Schizoaffective Disorder, Bipolar Disorder, Major Depressive Disorder) and have mild-to-moderate intellectual disability.
2. Consumers require a moderately-structured environment, limited personal care and/or regular supervision, moderate assistance with activities of daily living.
3. Consumers have minimal or moderate behavioral concerns.

**B. Scope of Work.** Potential offerors are required to submit a written plan that describes how they will lead in efforts to develop and implement the following scope of work:

1. To oversee the residential, therapeutic, and operational services to the GBHWC's *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey) Residential Program providing best efforts to the performance of professional services as outlined below in accordance with laws, rules, regulations, and policies of the Government.
2. To provide services for five individuals with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild to moderate intellectual disability.
  - a. The residential management and operations of *Hinanao-Ta* shall be in a safe and secure house that shall adequately accommodate the clients and located within walking distance to public recreation facilities, educational facilities, public health center, convenience stores and food establishments; all within a community/residential setting and accessible to public transportation.
3. To provide operational services but shall not limited to:
  - a. Purchase of supplies and other amenities needed for the operational services.
  - b. Direct payment for all utilities to include power, water, telephone, cable, and internet services.
4. To provide care worker services shall include assistance to the residents to achieve great self-determination utilizing a recovery-oriented model and providing the following supportive services:
  - a. Personal Management: Perform appropriate individual grooming/hygiene activities (bathing, dressing up in appropriate and clean clothes) with minimal supervision.

- b. Nutritional Management: Able to identify, purchase and prepare nutritional food items with moderate supervision.
  - c. Money Management: Able to develop and maintain a personal budget with moderate supervision.
  - d. Home Management: Able to clean their bedroom as well as the communal rooms with minimal supervision. Able to appropriately perform household chores, yard maintenance and laundry with minimal supervision.
  - e. Medication Management: Able to identify prescribed medication(s) and understand the purpose and importance of its use as well as side effects. Able to identify and know the time of medication intake as well as the prescribed dosage.
  - f. Daily Time Management: Able to wake up at an appropriate time. Able to participate in the scheduling of their day with program staff. Able to utilize and maintain their day's schedule with minimal supervision.
  - g. Problem Solving: Able to identify and discuss problems in a timely and appropriate manner.
  - h. Personal Safety Awareness: Able to recognize the proper use and storage of kitchen utensils, electrical appliances and household cleaners. Able to recite emergency numbers and recognize the report personal dangerous situations.
  - i. Participation in Community-based and home-based activities.
  - j. Vocational Skills: Participate in vocational programs (e.g. Vocational Rehabilitation, Department of Labor-Adult Program, etc.) and/or GBHWC Day Treatment Program.
  - k. Activities in Daily Living (ADL) Program: Daily activities (personal, nutritional, money, home, medication, time management, problem solving and personal safety).
  - l. Supportive Counseling: Learn appropriate and acceptable behaviors.
5. To provide adequate living and sleeping accommodations meeting reasonable accessibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), as amended, and ensure the facility is secure and safe from any potential hazards.
  6. To provide a safe and humane environment for each consumer and shall commit to zero tolerance for abuse or neglect of each consumer.
  7. To ensure program staff complete required Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and Non-violent Crisis Intervention (NCI) training, and Health Information Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Awareness in-service on a regular basis.
  8. To ensure the custody, care, control and storage of consumer records, reports and support plans are maintained with strict confidentiality and made accessible to the GBHWC and its authorized representatives and must be subject to audit, monitoring and evaluation. Program staff must maintain a service record in each consumer file, charting progress, program updates and other concerns.
  9. To ensure any and all medications prescribed or non-prescribed are secured in a safe and locked cabinet. Provision of care over any controlled substance must also be maintained.
  10. To provide transportation and supervision of all consumers activities and appointments including but not limited to psychiatric, medical, dental and vocational when necessary and/or indicated in consumer's service/behavioral plans.



11. To provide services to the aforementioned site 24 hours a day, seven days a week, Monday through Sunday, including holidays.
12. To include the administrative activities associated with *Hinanao-Ta* (Our Journey) Residential Program.
13. To collaborate with the GBHWC program supervisor on rules and regulations of the home including utilization of established forms for reporting.
  - a. To document daily consumer activities and services in daily logs, and to make available upon request to the GBHWC Director or his designee.
  - b. To develop and to post bulletin of calendaring quarterly events;
  - c. To provide monthly detailed programmatic and financial reports on program activities on the 10<sup>th</sup> day preceding the month the activities were performed.
  - d. To submit invoices monthly on the 10<sup>th</sup> day proceeding the month costs were incurred.
14. To use program policies and procedures when responding to emergency/crisis intervention or to any related emergency that arises. These policies and procedures shall incorporate the GBHWC policies and procedures when applicable. To utilize emergency assistance from public service providers, as it deems necessary.
15. To provide complete monthly reports of home activities for the daily operations of services that are provided including all incident reports documenting patterns and trends of incidents and injuries and provide recommendations for reducing incidents and injuries in the future. The GBHWC's program manager will collaborate with the Contractor on the reporting requirement format and make available the format for information to the contract and receive monthly-completed information.
16. To ensure that all activities adhere to standards set by the Government and the departmental policies and procedures or will approximate these as much as possible in the event of personnel shortage or resource unavailability.
17. To ensure that the environment is adequately hazard free, is clean and in good repair. The GBHWC's safety officer and/or staff will have access to the facility at any time. Violations cited by the GBHWC's safety officer and/or staff will be corrected within the time frame set for compliance. The GBHWC has the option to reduce the monthly payment to the service provider by 10% until compliance is verified. Contractor will be provided a copy of the Housing Safety Inspection Checklist (HSIC) that will be used by the safety officer and/or staff to be familiar with the requirements of the safety inspection.
18. To be subjected to placement, treatment and discharge decisions made by the GBHWC.
19. To discuss and advise the GBHWC Director or his designee on areas or issues of concern that is directly related to the services, operations, resources, and facilities of the GBHWC. The GBHWC Director or his designee will respond to these concerns in writing within ten (10) days from being notified by the Contractor and shall make every effort to expediently resolve such concerns with the Contractor.
20. To ensure that treatment staff consists of
  - a. At least one lead treatment specialist or clinical supervisor with a master's degree in psychology, social work, counseling, or related fields.
  - b. Care workers with a high school grade degree and a valid driver's license.

21. To adhere to the Grievance and Appeals Policy and Procedures as stipulated in the court decision in Civil Case 01-00041 and 04-00005. Notice of the right to file a complaint as well as the right to appeal decisions on services rendered will be given to the consumer or official representative.
22. To report and be responsible to GBHWC Director or designee.

----- End of Section II, Scope of Work -----

### III. PROPOSED CONTENTS, REQUIREMENTS, AND INSTRUCTIONS

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#### A. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

The offeror's response to the items mentioned in Section II for scope of services shall be considered the offeror's proposal. Proposals should be prepared simply and economically, providing a straightforward, concise description of the offeror's ability to fulfill the requirements of the proposal. **In order to ensure a uniform review process and to obtain the maximum degree of comparability, at a minimum, each proposal shall be prepared as follows:**

1. **Written Proposals**  
All proposals must be type-written using a 12-point font preferably but no smaller than 10-point font with all pages numbered consecutively. The GBHWC will not accept handwritten proposals.
2. **Title Page**  
The title page must have the name of the offeror, the location of the offeror's principal place of business, telephone and facsimile numbers, and email address.
3. **Table of Contents.**  
The proposal must be organized with headings/titles, references or subjects and page numbers listed in the table of contents.
4. **Designations of Contact Person.**  
A responsible official must be identified by name, title and contact information if different from the offeror's. The designated official must be able to answer any questions regarding the offeror's proposal and must be able to negotiate the fee and other contract terms. (FORM B)
5. **Licenses, certifications, financial statements.**  
A business license, the offeror's federal employer identification number (EIN), or tax identification number (TIN), if any. Current financial statement or audit of the past five years of operation. (FORM C)
6. **Statement of understanding.**  
A statement of understanding and willingness expressing the offeror's understanding of the work to be accomplished as specified in Section II scope of services, and a statement of positive commitment and willingness to perform the services.
7. **Background Summary.**
  - a. **Description of organization.**

- b. History of the organization (the number of years the offeror has been in business and the average number of its employees (if any) over the past year).
  - c. Organizational philosophy.
  - d. Unique characteristics.
  - e. Organizational chart.
  
- 8. Skills and Experience.
  - a. Proposed services (what the offeror will undertake to accomplish the objectives of this project and the work described in the scope of work).
  - b. Target population.
  
- 9. Project Personnel and Community Partners.
  - a. Project leader's academic background (education and specialized training), skills (abilities and qualifications) and community development work experience with similar projects. RESUMES, LICENSES, CERTIFICATIONS MUST BE CURRENT.
  - b. Staff position titles/description of work responsibilities.
  - c. Community partners – organization/volunteers.
  
- 10. Service Delivery.
  - a. Proposed services (a discussion of the program that the service providers will undertake to accomplish the objectives of this project and the work described in the scope of work), expected outcomes and products.
  - b. Timeline for delivery of services to program; meeting of project timelines while managing current workload of the offeror.
  
- 11. A list of other contracts or work performed for services similar in scope, size, and discipline for the required services, which the offeror, consultants and/or project members substantially performed or accomplished over the previous two to five years. The contracts or work performed described should only pertain to those services contained in Section II.
  
- 12. Letters, awards, or other forms of recognition that demonstrate confidence in the work performed by the offeror.
  
- 13. Reporting System
  - a. Regular progress reporting mechanism.
  - b. Tracking of financial activity.
  - c. Tracking system to report project progress.
  - d. performance measures on completion of services contained in Section IV.
  
- 14. Mandatory Forms
  - a. Proposal Registration (Form A).
  - b. Proposal Signature (Form B).
  - c. Submitting Licenses (Form C).
  - d. Affidavit re Disclosing Ownership – AG Form 002.
  - e. Affidavit re Non-Collusion – AG Form 003.
  - f. No Gratuities or Kickbacks Affidavit – AG Form 004.

- g. Ethical Standards Affidavit – AG Form 005.
- h. Wage Determination and Benefit – AG Form 006.
- i. Contingent Fees – AG Form 007.
- j. Acknowledgment of Sample Business Associate Agreement Form D.
- k. Cost Proposal (Annual Budget) – Form F.

Note: Form E is part of this proposal, but only a sample contract that does not have to be submitted with the proposal offer.

## B. REQUIREMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

1. All proposals shall be submitted in writing. It should include a listing of current and former business clients and a description of the type of work performed or being performed. If the offeror is a firm, the proposal should include a resume of the firm's principal(s).
2. The offeror is required to read each page of the proposal and by the act of submitting a proposal shall be deemed to have accepted all conditions contained therein except as noted elsewhere. In no case will failure to inspect constitute grounds for a claim or for the withdrawal of a proposal after opening. The proposals shall be filled out in ink or typewritten and signed in ink. The erasures or other changes in a proposal must be explained or noted over the signature of the offeror. The erasures, strikeouts, or other types of changes that are evident on their face made to a proposal must be explained or noted over the signature of the offeror. The proposals containing any conditions, omissions, unexplained erasures or alterations or items not called for in the proposal or irregularities of any kind shall be rejected by GBHWC as being incomplete.
3. The GBHWC also requires respondents to present satisfactory evidence that the consultancy and personnel have sufficient experience and are qualified to provide these services. Entities submitting proposal must be able to demonstrate in detail their stability in the community to provide level II residential, therapeutic, and operational services to adults with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild-to-moderate intellectual disabilities. The proposal must include **current** resumes of treatment staff with experience and expertise in treatment, certification as substance treatment counselors, and **must identify a lead current treatment specialist or clinical supervisor** that would be responsible for treatment outcomes and contractual performance. The following lists the minimum qualifications for treatment staff with at least one member as the Lead Treatment Specialist.
  - a. Lead treatment specialist or clinical supervisor must have a master's degree in any psychology, social work, counseling, or related fields.
  - b. Care worker staff must have high school diploma (or GED), valid driver's license and training in recovery models, behavioral health, etc. (will commence upon hire).

-End of Section III, Proposed Contents, Requirement, and Instructions -

## IV. GENERAL PROCEDURES

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### A. QUESTIONS

On or before 5:00 P.M. on August 7, 2020, questions concerning this request for proposal may be asked in writing and written answers will be given as soon as possible or before the deadline. Hard or electronic copies of the question(s) and answer(s) will be sent only to interested parties who have registered.

Questions regarding this RFP should be written and addressed to GBHWC Director through U.S. Mail, hand delivery, facsimile telephone (671) 649-6948 or email to [marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov](mailto:marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov).

**If the question(s) requires an interpretation of the request for proposal or is relevant to all the offerors, then an amendment will be issued and notice posted on GBHWC website and a fax or email sent to interested parties who have registered.**

### B. PROPOSALS

1. All proposals and modifications will be time-stamped upon receipt and held in a secure place until the established due date below. Proposals and modifications received after the due date and time will not be considered. It is the sole responsibility of each offeror to assure that its proposal is delivered at the specified location prior to the deadline. Proposals which, for any reason, are not so delivered will not be considered. The deadline for **receipt** of proposals by the GBHWC is **no later than 4:30 P.M. Chamorro Standard Time, August 17, 2020.**
2. All proposals must be submitted via U.S. mail, courier, or hand delivery to the attention of the Director, GBHWC. Proposals will not be accepted via facsimile (fax) or electronic mail (e-mail) as these two mediums do not allow proposals to be sealed or submitted in an original form with multiple copies.

Mailing & Delivery Address:

Theresa C. Arriola, Director  
Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center  
790 Governor Carlos G. Camacho Road  
Tamuning, Guam 96913

Offeror shall submit together in sealed, separate envelopes:

- a. One (1) original, one (1) electronic copy (flash drive) and four (4) hard copies of the **technical part** of the proposal and

- b. One (1) original and four (4) hard copies of the **cost/budget** proposal.
3. Envelopes **must be sealed** and marked on the face with the name and address of the offeror, the proposal number and the time and date of submission.
4. No facsimile (fax) or electronic mail (e-mail) proposals will be accepted as these two mediums do not allow proposals to be sealed or submitted in an original form with multiple copies.
5. Proposals may be hand-carried and received at the GBHWC on or before the deadline date and time listed above.
6. Proposals received through the mail will not be accepted if such mail is received at the address showing a postmark after the submission date and time.
7. Under no circumstances will the GBHWC accept a late proposal, except for emergency shutout/lockdown of GBHWC facility, or man-made or natural disasters or declarations.
8. Proposals will be considered only from such offerors who, in the opinion of the GBHWC, can show evidence of their ability, experience, equipment and facilities to render satisfactory service, and are not currently debarred by federal or local government.

### **C. OPENING OF PROPOSALS**

Proposals shall not be opened publicly nor disclosed to unauthorized persons but shall be opened in the presence of two or more procurement officials (Director, deputy director, administrative services officer, administrative officer or procurement designee).

A Register of Proposals shall be established which shall include for all proposals, the name of each offeror, the number of modifications received, if any, and a description sufficient to identify the services offered. The Register of Proposals shall be opened to public inspection only after award of the contract. Proposals of offerors who are not awarded the contract shall not be opened to public inspection. (2 GAR 3114(h)(2))

### **D. PROPOSAL EVALUATION AND ASSIGNED WEIGHTS**

In determining the most qualified offeror, the following criteria will be used to evaluate proposals: the GBHWC shall be guided by the following.

1. The plan for performing the required services.
2. Ability to perform the services as reflected by technical training and education, general experience, specific experience in providing the required services, and the qualifications and abilities of personnel proposed to be assigned to perform the services.

3. The financial resources, personnel, equipment, and facilities to perform the services currently available or demonstrated to be made available at the time of contracting.
4. A record of past performance of similar work.
5. Evaluations will be conducted by a Proposal Review Panel.
6. Scoring will be based on a possible total of 100 points and the proposal with the highest total score will be recommended for award.
7. Evaluation Criteria and Assigned Weights:

EVALUATION CRITERIA	ASSIGNED WEIGHTS
<b>Introduction/Understanding of RFP:</b> – The organization’s familiarity with the needs of the consumers and knowledge of overall services and support required.	10
<b>Work Plan/Project Execution:</b> The organization’s description of how they will provide services detailed in Section II, Scope of Work.	35
<b>Corporate Experience:</b> Experience in successfully managing projects, inclusive of similar projects accomplished or underway. Demonstrated ability to meet schedules, deadlines or reporting requirements or a history of work with the GBHWC to include cooperativeness, openness, and collegial relationship.	15
<b>Qualification of Personnel:</b> The qualifications and abilities of key personnel proposed to be assigned to perform the services as reflected by technical training and education, developmental disabilities experience, and other specific experience.	20
<b>Financial Information:</b> Current Financial Statement(s) or audit within the last five years that demonstrates offeror’s financial ability to sustain first year’s operations without the revenue from this proposal’s contract.	10



<b>Equipment, Facilities and Software:</b> The equipment, computer systems; accounting software, and facilities to perform the required services that are available or will be made readily available at the time of contracting.	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

**E. NEGOTIATION AND AWARD OF CONTRACT**

The GBHWC will negotiate a contract with the highest best-qualified responsive offeror for the required services at compensation determined in writing to be fair and reasonable. The contract negotiations will be directed toward:

1. Making certain that the offeror has a clear understanding of the scope of work, specifically, the essential requirements involved in providing the required services.
2. Determining that the offeror will make available the necessary personnel to perform the services within the required time.
3. Agreeing upon compensation which is fair and reasonable within the local market, taking into account the estimated value of the required services, and the scope, complexity, and nature of such services.

**F. RIGHT TO REJECT OFFERS AND CANCEL THE PROCUREMENT**

The GBHWC shall have the right to reject all offers, and or individual offerors in whole or in part, and/or cancel this RFP, if it is determined to be in the best interest of the GBHWC.

**G. FAILURE TO NEGOTIATE CONTRACT WITH OFFERORS INITIALLY SELECTED AS BEST QUALIFIED:**

If compensation, contract requirements, and contract documents cannot be agreed upon with the best qualified, responsive offeror, a written record stating the reasons therefore shall be placed in the file; and, the GBHWC will advise such offeror of the termination of negotiations which shall be confirmed by written notice within three days. Upon failure to negotiate a contract with the best qualified responsive offeror, the GBHWC will enter into negotiations with the next most qualified responsive offeror. If negotiations again fail, negotiations will be terminated as provided in this section and commence with the next qualified responsive offeror.

Should the GBHWC be unable to negotiate a contract with any of the offerors initially selected as the best qualified responsive offerors, offers may be resolicited or additional offerors may be selected based on original, acceptable submissions in the order of their respective qualification ranking, and negotiations may continue in accordance with the procedures and process herein specified.

--End of Section IV General Procedures--

## V. CONTRACTUAL TERMS

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### A. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

This procurement is subject to all applicable federal and Guam laws and regulations. Guam laws and regulations are available at the Guam Supreme Court, Office of Complier's website <http://www.guamcourts.org/CompilerofLaws/index.html>. The Guam Procurement Laws are available at the Office of Complier's website as part of the 5 GCA Ch. 5. The Guam Procurement Regulations are available at the Office of Complier's website as part of 2 GAR Division 4. Additionally, the Guam Office of Public Accountability <http://www.opaguam.org/>, the Guam Office of Attorney General <http://www.guamag.org/> and the Department of Administration General Service Agency [www.gsa.doa.guam.gov](http://www.gsa.doa.guam.gov) all have useful procurement information and forms.

### B. SAMPLE CONTRACT

A proposed contract is attached to this RFP as Sample Contract (Form E). Potential offerors are advised that the Sample Contract is the general form of contract that the GBHWC will enter into with the awarded service provider. In the event that potential offerors have any issues or questions as to the Sample Contract Clause in Form E, they must raise them in the RFP process similar to any issues or inquires they may have as to clauses in the RFP. The GBHWC reserves the right to amend or revise the Sample Contract form as may be deemed necessary to serve the government of Guam's best interest. If changes are made to the Sample Contract in Form E prior to the conclusion of all evaluations, the GBHWC will issue an amendment to this RFP. However, if changes are made to the Sample Contract during negotiations, then such changes are considered negotiated and no amendment to this RFP will be issued.

---End of Section V, Contractual Terms---

## PROPOSAL FORMS CHECKLIST

Form No.	Forms to Be Completed and Submitted (except E)	Page No.
A	Proposal Registration	28
B	Proposal Signature Form	29
C	Form for Submitting All Licenses	30
002	Affidavit Disclosing Ownership and Commissions	31
003	Affidavit Re Non-Collusion	32
004	Affidavit Re Gratuities or Kickbacks	33
005	Affidavit Re Ethical Standards	34
006	Declaration Re Compliance with U.S. DOL Wage Determination	35
007	Affidavit RE Contingent Fees	36
D	Sample of Business Associate Agreement Provisions (must acknowledge last page)	37-44
E	Sample Contract (Sample only; do not submit)	45-67
F	Cost/Budget Proposal (Must be in separate, sealed envelope)	68-69
	Wage Determination No. 2015-5694, Rev. 11)	70-84

Note: Forms 002 to 007 can be found at: [http://www.guamag.org/procurement\\_forms.html](http://www.guamag.org/procurement_forms.html)



**GUAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER**

**GBHWC RFP 02-2020**

24-Hour Level II Residential, Therapeutic and Operational Services Program  
For Adults with Co-occurring Disabilities of Serious Mental Illness and  
Mild-to-Moderate Intellectual Disabilities

**PROPOSAL REGISTRATION (FORM A)**

The individual, firm, entity or organization identified below is an interested party and/or “Offeror” to GBHWC RFP 02-2020 and will receive changes, amendments, inquiries and/or related correspondence in accordance with the Guam Procurement Regulations. However, GBHWC will not be liable for failure to provide notice to any party who did not register accurate and current contact information.

<b>Name of Organization or Individual</b>	
<b>Office or Home Address</b>	
<b>Mailing Address</b>	
<b>Contact Number(s)</b>	
<b>Facsimile Number(s)</b>	
<b>Point of Contact (POC) or Official representative</b>	
<b>POC Contact Number(s)</b>	
<b>POC Facsimile Number(s)</b>	
<b>Email address(es)</b>	
<b>Special Comment or Request(s)</b>	

For those reviewing this proposal from the website, this registration form can be delivered to GBHWC, 790 Governor Carlos Camacho Road, Tamuning, Guam during weekdays, except holidays; faxed to (671) 649-6948 or emailed to [marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov](mailto:marilyn.aflague@gbhwc.guam.gov)

**PROPOSAL SIGNATURE FORM (FORM B)**

**For GBHWC RFP 02-2020**

By submitting this proposal, the Offeror certifies that its authorized representative has fully read and understands the proposal method and has full knowledge of the scope, nature, and quality of work to be performed or the services to be rendered.

**OFFICIAL CONTACT.** GBHWC requests that the Offeror designate one person below to receive all documents and the method in which the documents are best delivered. GBHWC is thereby granted permission to contact the official contact named below for all communications. By its submission of this proposal and authorized signature below, proposer certifies that:

1. The information in the proposal is accurate;
2. Offeror accepts the procedures, evaluation criteria, mandatory contract terms and conditions, and all other administrative requirements set forth in this RFP.
3. Offeror certifies, by signing and submitting a proposal for \$25,000 or more, that their company, any subcontractors, or principals are not suspended or debarred by the Chief Procurement Officer or the Director of Public Works pursuant to Guam Procurement Law.

In compliance with this RFP and with all the conditions imposed herein, the undersigned offers and agrees to provide services in accordance with the attached signed proposal, or as mutually agreed upon by subsequent negotiation. This completed Proposal Signature Form shall be submitted with the Offeror's written proposal and will become a part of any agreement that may be awarded. This Proposal Signature Form must be signed by an authorized representative.

**NOTE: The Offeror shall inform GBHWC immediately in writing of a change in the designated authorized representative.**

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF OFFEROR:** By my signature, I acknowledge that I have read the instructions and accept all the terms and conditions in the Request for Proposals, and that I am authorized to sign on behalf of the Offeror:

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Authorized Representative  
Type or Print Name and Title

Name of Offeror: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Organization: [ ] Individual [ ] Non-Profit [ ] Partnership  
[ ] Corporation [ ] Joint Venture  
[ ] Other(Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**FORM FOR SUBMITTING ALL LICENSES (FORM C)  
For GBHWC RFP 02-2020**

*Please attach copies of all business licenses, permits, fictitious name certificates, certificates of good standing, or any other license, permit or certificate issued to the individual or company, which is applicable to this Request for Proposals. Please indicate the attached documents by checking the applicable boxes:*

**Business License**

- from the Department of Revenue and Taxation, Government of Guam
- from a jurisdiction other than Guam:\_\_\_\_\_

**Fictitious Name Registration**

- from the Department of Revenue and Taxation, Government of Guam
- from a jurisdiction other than Guam:\_\_\_\_\_

**Certificate of Incorporation**

- from the Department of Revenue and Taxation, Government of Guam
- from a jurisdiction other than Guam:\_\_\_\_\_

**Federal I.D.#**\_\_\_\_\_

**Other Attachments. Please indicate:**\_\_\_\_\_

**Please check here if there are no attachments to this form.**

Authorized Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_

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# AFFIDAVIT DISCLOSING OWNERSHIP AND COMMISSIONS

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) SS.  
ISLAND OF GUAM )

A. I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am an authorized representative of the offeror and that *[please check only one]*:

- The offeror is an individual or sole proprietor and owns the entire (100%) interest in the offering business.
- The offeror is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, or association known as \_\_\_\_\_ *[please state name of offeror company]*, and the persons, companies, partners, or joint venturers who have held more than 10% of the shares or interest in the offering business during the 365 days immediately preceding the submission date of the proposal are as follows *[if none, please so state]*:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>% of Interest</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

B. Further, I say that the persons who have received or are entitled to receive a commission, gratuity or other compensation for procuring or assisting in obtaining business related to the bid or proposal for which this affidavit is submitted are as follows *[if none, please so state]*:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Compensation</u>
_____	_____	_____

C. If the ownership of the offering business should change between the time this affidavit is made and the time an award is made or a contract is entered into, then I promise personally to update the disclosure required by 5 GCA §5233 by delivering another affidavit to the government.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of one of the following:

Offeror, if the offeror is an individual;  
Partner, if the offeror is a partnership;  
Officer, if the offeror is a corporation.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**AFFIDAVIT RE NON-COLLUSION**

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
) ss.  
ISLAND OF GUAM )

\_\_\_\_\_ [state name of affiant signing below], being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. The name of the offering company or individual is [state name of company] \_\_\_\_\_.

2. The proposal for the solicitation identified above is genuine and not collusive or a sham. The offeror has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any other offeror or person, to put in a sham proposal or to refrain from making an offer. The offeror has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by an agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person to fix the proposal price of offeror or of any other offeror, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said proposal price, or of that of any other offeror, or to secure any advantage against the government of Guam or any other offeror, or to secure any advantage against the government of Guam or any person interested in the proposed contract. All statements in this affidavit and in the proposal are true to the best of the knowledge of the undersigned. This statement is made pursuant to 2 GAR Division 4 § 3126(b).

3. I make this statement on behalf of myself as a representative of the offeror, and on behalf of the offeror’s officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors, and employees.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of one of the following:

- Offeror, if the offeror is an individual;
- Partner, if the offeror is a partnership;
- Officer, if the offeror is a corporation.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

AG Procurement Form 003 (Jul. 12, 2010)



**AFFIDAVIT RE GRATUITIES OR KICKBACKS**

**CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )**  
**ISLAND OF GUAM ) ss.**  
**)**

\_\_\_\_\_ [state name of affiant signing below], being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. The name of the offering firm or individual is [state name of offeror company] \_\_\_\_\_. Affiant is \_\_\_\_\_ [state one of the following: the offeror, a partner of the offeror, an officer of the offeror] making the foregoing identified bid or proposal.

2. To the best of affiant’s knowledge, neither affiant, nor any of the offeror’s officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors, or employees have violated, are violating the prohibition against gratuities and kickbacks set forth in 2 GAR Division 4 § 11107(e). Further, affiant promises, on behalf of offeror, not to violate the prohibition against gratuities and kickbacks as set forth in 2 GAR Division 4 § 11107(e).

3. To the best of affiant’s knowledge, neither affiant, nor any of the offeror’s officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors, or employees have offered, given or agreed to give, any government of Guam employee or former government employee, any payment, gift, kickback, gratuity or offer of employment in connection with the offeror’s proposal.

4. I make these statements on behalf of myself as a representative of the offeror, and on behalf of the offeror’s officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors, and employees.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of one of the following:  
Offeror, if the offeror is an individual;  
Partner, if the offeror is a partnership;  
Officer, if the offeror is a corporation.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

AG Procurement Form 004 (Jul. 12, 2010)

**AFFIDAVIT RE ETHICAL STANDARDS**

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
  ) ss.  
ISLAND OF GUAM                 )

\_\_\_\_\_ [state name of affiant signing below], being first  
duly sworn, deposes and says that:

The affiant is \_\_\_\_\_ [state one of the following: the offeror, a partner of the offeror, an officer of the offeror] making the foregoing identified bid or proposal. To the best of affiant’s knowledge, neither affiant nor any officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors or employees of offeror have knowingly influenced any government of Guam employee to breach any of the ethical standards set forth in 5 GCA Chapter 5, Article 11. Further, affiant promises that neither he or she, nor any officer, representative, agent, subcontractor, or employee of offeror will knowingly influence any government of Guam employee to breach any ethical standards set forth in 5 GCA Chapter 5, Article 11. These statements are made pursuant to 2 GAR Division 4 § 11103(b).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of one of the following:  
Offeror, if the offeror is an individual;  
Partner, if the offeror is a partnershhip;  
Officer, if the offeror is a corporation.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

**DECLARATION RE COMPLIANCE WITH U.S. DOL WAGE DETERMINATION**

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
 ISLAND OF GUAM )

Procurement No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Offeror Company: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby **certify under penalty of perjury**:

- (1) That I am \_\_\_\_\_ [*please select one: the offeror, a partner of the offeror, an officer of the offeror*] making the bid or proposal in the foregoing identified procurement;  
 (2) That I have read and understand the provisions of 5 GCA § 5801 and § 5802 which read:

**§ 5801. Wage Determination Established.**

In such cases where the government of Guam enters into contractual arrangements with a sole proprietorship, a partnership or a corporation ("contractor") for the provision of a service to the government of Guam, and in such cases where the contractor employs a person(s) whose purpose, in whole or in part, is the direct delivery of service contracted by the government of Guam, then the contractor shall pay such employee(s) in accordance with the Wage Determination for Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor for such labor as is employed in the direct delivery of contract deliverables to the government of Guam.

The Wage Determination most recently issued by the U.S. Department of Labor at the time a contract is awarded to a contractor by the government of Guam shall be used to determine wages, which shall be paid to employees pursuant to this Article. Should any contract contain a renewal clause, then at the time of renewal adjustments, there shall be made stipulations contained in that contract for applying the Wage Determination, as required by this Article, so that the Wage Determination promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor on a date most recent to the renewal date shall apply.

**§ 5802. Benefits.**

In addition to the Wage Determination detailed in this Article, any contract to which this Article applies shall also contain provisions mandating health and similar benefits for employees covered by this Article, such benefits having a minimum value as detailed in the Wage Determination issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor, and shall contain provisions guaranteeing a minimum of ten (10) paid holidays per annum per employee.

- (3) That the offeror is in full compliance with 5 GCA § 5801 and § 5802, as may be applicable to the procurement referenced herein;  
 (4) That I have attached the most recent wage determination applicable to Guam issued by the U.S. Department of Labor. [*INSTRUCTIONS - Please attach!*]

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature

**AFFIDAVIT RE CONTINGENT FEES**

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
) SS.  
ISLAND OF GUAM )

\_\_\_\_\_ [state name of affiant signing below], being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. The name of the offering company or individual is [state name of company] \_\_\_\_\_.

2. As a part of the offering company’s bid or proposal, to the best of my knowledge, the offering company has not retained any person or agency on a percentage, commission, or other contingent arrangement to secure this contract. This statement is made pursuant to 2 GAR Division 4 11108(f).

3. As a part of the offering company’s bid or proposal, to the best of my knowledge, the offering company has not retained a person to solicit or secure a contract with the government of Guam upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, except for retention of bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial selling agencies for the purpose of securing business. This statement is made pursuant to 2 GAR Division 4 11108(h).

4. I make these statements on behalf of myself as a representative of the offeror, and on behalf of the offeror’s officers, representatives, agents, subcontractors, and employees.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of one of the following:

Offeror, if the offeror is an individual;  
Partner, if the offeror is a partnership;  
Officer, if the offeror is a corporation.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

AG Procurement Form 007 (Jul. 15, 2010)

## **Business Associate Contracts (FORM D)**

### **SAMPLE BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT PROVISIONS**

(Published January 25, 2013 by US Dept. of Health and Human Services)

#### **Introduction**

A “business associate” is a person or entity, other than a member of the workforce of a covered entity, who performs functions or activities on behalf of, or provides certain services to, a covered entity that involve access by the business associate to protected health information. A “business associate” also is a subcontractor that creates, receives, maintains, or transmits protected health information on behalf of another business associate. The HIPAA Rules generally require that covered entities and business associates enter into contracts with their business associates to ensure that the business associates will appropriately safeguard protected health information. The business associate contract also serves to clarify and limit, as appropriate, the permissible uses and disclosures of protected health information by the business associate, based on the relationship between the parties and the activities or services being performed by the business associate. A business associate may use or disclose protected health information only as permitted or required by its business associate contract or as required by law. A business associate is directly liable under the HIPAA Rules and subject to civil and, in some cases, criminal penalties for making uses and disclosures of protected health information that are not authorized by its contract or required by law. A business associate also is directly liable and subject to civil penalties for failing to safeguard electronic protected health information in accordance with the HIPAA Security Rule.

A written contract between a covered entity and a business associate must: (1) establish the permitted and required uses and disclosures of protected health information by the business associate; (2) provide that the business associate will not use or further disclose the information other than as permitted or required by the contract or as required by law; (3) require the business associate to implement appropriate safeguards to prevent unauthorized use or disclosure of the information, including implementing requirements of the HIPAA Security Rule with regard to electronic protected health information; (4) require the business associate to report to the covered entity any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by its contract, including incidents that constitute breaches of unsecured protected health information; (5) require the business associate to disclose protected health information as specified in its contract to satisfy a covered entity’s obligation with respect to individuals’ requests for copies of their protected health information, as well as make available protected health information for amendments (and incorporate any amendments, if required) and accountings; (6) to the extent the business associate is to carry out a covered entity’s obligation under the Privacy Rule, require the business associate to comply with the requirements applicable to the obligation; (7) require the business associate to make available to HHS its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the business associate on behalf of, the covered entity for purposes of HHS determining the covered entity’s compliance

with the HIPAA Privacy Rule; (8) at termination of the contract, if feasible, require the business associate to return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the business associate on behalf of, the covered entity; (9) require the business associate to ensure that any subcontractors it may engage on its behalf that will have access to protected health information agree to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the business associate with respect to such information; and (10) authorize termination of the contract by the covered entity if the business associate violates a material term of the contract. Contracts between business associates and business associates that are subcontractors are subject to these same requirements.

This document includes sample business associate agreement provisions to help covered entities and business associates more easily comply with the business associate contract requirements. While these sample provisions are written for the purposes of the contract between a covered entity and its business associate, the language may be adapted for purposes of the contract between a business associate and subcontractor.

This is only sample language and use of these sample provisions is not required for compliance with the HIPAA Rules. The language may be changed to more accurately reflect business arrangements between a covered entity and business associate or business associate and subcontractor. In addition, these or similar provisions may be incorporated into an agreement for the provision of services between a covered entity and business associate or business associate and subcontractor, or they may be incorporated into a separate business associate agreement. These provisions address only concepts and requirements set forth in the HIPAA Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules, and alone may not be sufficient to result in a binding contract under State law. They do not include many formalities and substantive provisions that may be required or typically included in a valid contract. Reliance on this sample may not be sufficient for compliance with State law, and does not replace consultation with a lawyer or negotiations between the parties to the contract.

### **Sample Business Associate Agreement Provisions**

Words or phrases contained in brackets are intended as either optional language or as instructions to the users of these sample provisions.

#### **Definitions**

##### **Catch-all definition:**

The following terms used in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as those terms in the HIPAA Rules: Breach, Data Aggregation, Designated Record Set, Disclosure, Health Care Operations, Individual, Minimum Necessary, Notice of Privacy Practices, Protected Health Information, Required By Law, Secretary, Security Incident, Subcontractor, Unsecured Protected Health Information, and Use.

Specific definitions:

(a) Business Associate. “Business Associate” shall generally have the same meaning as the term “business associate” at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean [Insert Name of Business Associate].

(b) Covered Entity. “Covered Entity” shall generally have the same meaning as the term “covered entity” at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean [Insert Name of Covered Entity].

(c) HIPAA Rules. “HIPAA Rules” shall mean the Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules at 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

**Obligations and Activities of Business Associate**

Business Associate agrees to:

(a) Not use or disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by the Agreement or as required by law;

(b) Use appropriate safeguards, and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 with respect to electronic protected health information, to prevent use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for by the Agreement;

(c) Report to covered entity any use or disclosure of protected health information not provided for by the Agreement of which it becomes aware, including breaches of unsecured protected health information as required at 45 CFR 164.410, and any security incident of which it becomes aware;

[The parties may wish to add additional specificity regarding the breach notification obligations of the business associate, such as a stricter timeframe for the business associate to report a potential breach to the covered entity and/or whether the business associate will handle breach notifications to individuals, the HHS Office for Civil Rights (OCR), and potentially the media, on behalf of the covered entity.]

(d) In accordance with 45 CFR 164.502(e)(1)(ii) and 164.308(b)(2), if applicable, ensure that any subcontractors that create, receive, maintain, or transmit protected health information on behalf of the business associate agree to the same restrictions, conditions, and requirements that apply to the business associate with respect to such information;

(e) Make available protected health information in a designated record set to the [Choose either “covered entity” or “individual or the individual’s designee”] as necessary to satisfy covered entity’s obligations under 45 CFR 164.524;

[The parties may wish to add additional specificity regarding how the business associate will respond to a request for access that the business associate receives directly from the individual (such as whether and in what time and manner a business associate is to provide the requested access or whether the business associate will forward the individual's request to the covered entity to fulfill) and the timeframe for the business associate to provide the information to the covered entity.]

(f) Make any amendment(s) to protected health information in a designated record set as directed or agreed to by the covered entity pursuant to 45 CFR 164.526, or take other measures as necessary to satisfy covered entity's obligations under 45 CFR 164.526;

[The parties may wish to add additional specificity regarding how the business associate will respond to a request for amendment that the business associate receives directly from the individual (such as whether and in what time and manner a business associate is to act on the request for amendment or whether the business associate will forward the individual's request to the covered entity) and the timeframe for the business associate to incorporate any amendments to the information in the designated record set.]

(g) Maintain and make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to the [Choose either "covered entity" or "individual"] as necessary to satisfy covered entity's obligations under 45 CFR 164.528;

[The parties may wish to add additional specificity regarding how the business associate will respond to a request for an accounting of disclosures that the business associate receives directly from the individual (such as whether and in what time and manner the business associate is to provide the accounting of disclosures to the individual or whether the business associate will forward the request to the covered entity) and the timeframe for the business associate to provide information to the covered entity.]

(h) To the extent the business associate is to carry out one or more of covered entity's obligation(s) under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164, comply with the requirements of Subpart E that apply to the covered entity in the performance of such obligation(s); and

(i) Make its internal practices, books, and records available to the Secretary for purposes of determining compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

### **Permitted Uses and Disclosures by Business Associate**

(a) Business associate may only use or disclose protected health information

[Option 1 – Provide a specific list of permissible purposes.]

[Option 2 – Reference an underlying service agreement, such as "as necessary to perform the services set forth in Service Agreement."]



[In addition to other permissible purposes, the parties should specify whether the business associate is authorized to use protected health information to de-identify the information in accordance with 45 CFR 164.514(a)-(c). The parties also may wish to specify the manner in which the business associate will de-identify the information and the permitted uses and disclosures by the business associate of the de-identified information.]

(b) Business associate may use or disclose protected health information as required by law.

(c) Business associate agrees to make uses and disclosures and requests for protected health information

[Option 1] consistent with covered entity's minimum necessary policies and procedures.

[Option 2] subject to the following minimum necessary requirements: [Include specific minimum necessary provisions that are consistent with the covered entity's minimum necessary policies and procedures.]

(d) Business associate may not use or disclose protected health information in a manner that would violate Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 if done by covered entity [if the Agreement permits the business associate to use or disclose protected health information for its own management and administration and legal responsibilities or for data aggregation services as set forth in optional provisions (e), (f), or (g) below, then add “, except for the specific uses and disclosures set forth below.”]

(e) [Optional] Business associate may use protected health information for the proper management and administration of the business associate or to carry out the legal responsibilities of the business associate.

(f) [Optional] Business associate may disclose protected health information for the proper management and administration of business associate or to carry out the legal responsibilities of the business associate, provided the disclosures are required by law, or business associate obtains reasonable assurances from the person to whom the information is disclosed that the information will remain confidential and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purposes for which it was disclosed to the person, and the person notifies business associate of any instances of which it is aware in which the confidentiality of the information has been breached.

(g) [Optional] Business associate may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the covered entity.

## **Provisions for Covered Entity to Inform Business Associate of Privacy Practices and Restrictions**

(a) [Optional] Covered entity shall notify business associate of any limitation(s) in the notice of privacy practices of covered entity under 45 CFR 164.520, to the extent that such limitation may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.

(b) [Optional] Covered entity shall notify business associate of any changes in, or revocation of, the permission by an individual to use or disclose his or her protected health information, to the extent that such changes may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.

(c) [Optional] Covered entity shall notify business associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of protected health information that covered entity has agreed to or is required to abide by under 45 CFR 164.522, to the extent that such restriction may affect business associate's use or disclosure of protected health information.

### **Permissible Requests by Covered Entity**

[Optional] Covered entity shall not request business associate to use or disclose protected health information in any manner that would not be permissible under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 if done by covered entity. [Include an exception if the business associate will use or disclose protected health information for, and the agreement includes provisions for, data aggregation or management and administration and legal responsibilities of the business associate.]

### **Term and Termination**

(a) Term. The Term of this Agreement shall be effective as of [Insert effective date], and shall terminate on [Insert termination date or event] or on the date covered entity terminates for cause as authorized in paragraph (b) of this Section, whichever is sooner.

(b) Termination for Cause. Business associate authorizes termination of this Agreement by covered entity, if covered entity determines business associate has violated a material term of the Agreement [and business associate has not cured the breach or ended the violation within the time specified by covered entity]. [Bracketed language may be added if the covered entity wishes to provide the business associate with an opportunity to cure a violation or breach of the contract before termination for cause.]

(c) Obligations of Business Associate Upon Termination.

[Option 1 – if the business associate is to return or destroy all protected health information upon termination of the agreement]

Upon termination of this Agreement for any reason, business associate shall return to covered entity [or, if agreed to by covered entity, destroy] all protected health information received from covered entity, or created, maintained, or received by business associate on behalf of

covered entity, that the business associate still maintains in any form. Business associate shall retain no copies of the protected health information.

[Option 2—if the agreement authorizes the business associate to use or disclose protected health information for its own management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities and the business associate needs to retain protected health information for such purposes after termination of the agreement]

Upon termination of this Agreement for any reason, business associate, with respect to protected health information received from covered entity, or created, maintained, or received by business associate on behalf of covered entity, shall:

1. Retain only that protected health information which is necessary for business associate to continue its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities;
2. Return to covered entity [or, if agreed to by covered entity, destroy] the remaining protected health information that the business associate still maintains in any form;
3. Continue to use appropriate safeguards and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 with respect to electronic protected health information to prevent use or disclosure of the protected health information, other than as provided for in this Section, for as long as business associate retains the protected health information;
4. Not use or disclose the protected health information retained by business associate other than for the purposes for which such protected health information was retained and subject to the same conditions set out at [Insert section number related to paragraphs (e) and (f) above under “Permitted Uses and Disclosures By Business Associate”] which applied prior to termination; and
5. Return to covered entity [or, if agreed to by covered entity, destroy] the protected health information retained by business associate when it is no longer needed by business associate for its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities.

[The agreement also could provide that the business associate will transmit the protected health information to another business associate of the covered entity at termination, and/or could add terms regarding a business associate’s obligations to obtain or ensure the destruction of protected health information created, received, or maintained by subcontractors.]

(d) Survival. The obligations of business associate under this Section shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

### **Miscellaneous [Optional]**

(a) [Optional] Regulatory References. A reference in this Agreement to a section in the HIPAA Rules means the section as in effect or as amended.

(b) [Optional] Amendment. The Parties agree to take such action as is necessary to amend this Agreement from time to time as is necessary for compliance with the requirements of the HIPAA Rules and any other applicable law.

(c) [Optional] Interpretation. Any ambiguity in this Agreement shall be interpreted to permit compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

**Acknowledgement of Receipt of Sample Business Associates Agreement Provisions  
(Published January 25, 2013 by Department of Health and Human Services).**

The undersigned certifies it has received a copy and agrees to its terms if applicable to the offeror or 3<sup>rd</sup> party engagement(s).

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Printed Name and Title of Official

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Signature of Official Authorized Date\_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT SAMPLE (FORM E)

CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
GUAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER  
CLINICAL SUPPORT DIVISION  
RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAM

AND  
SERVICE PROVIDER

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GBHWC RFP 02- 2020

This AGREEMENT is made between the GUAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER, Clinical Services Division, Residential Treatment Program, an agency of the government of Guam, (hereinafter called the GBHWC), whose office address is 790 Governor Carlos G. Camacho Road, Tamuning, Guam 96913, and \_\_\_\_\_, a licensed Guam \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter called the Service Provider) whose office address is \_\_\_\_\_.

WHEREAS; the GBHWC requested proposals from qualified Guam non-profit organizations to provide 24-hour Level II residential, therapeutic and operational services program for adults with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild-to-moderate intellectual disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the GBHWC has provided adequate public announcement of the need for such service through a request for proposal (GBHWC RFP 02 -2020) describing the type of services required and specifying the type of information and data required of each offer and the relative importance of particular qualifications; and

WHEREAS, the Service Provider has submitted its proposal and interest in providing such services; and

WHEREAS, the award of this contract to the Service Provider has been made pursuant to a written finding by the GBHWC that the Service Provider is qualified based on the evaluation factors set forth in the request for proposal, and that negotiations of compensation have been determined to be fair and reasonable;

NOW THEREFORE, the GBHWC and the Service Provider, in consideration of mutual covenants hereinafter set forth, agree as follows:

SECTION I.  
PURPOSE

To provide 24-hour Level II residential, therapeutic and operational services program for adults with co-occurring disabilities of serious mental illness and mild-to-moderate intellectual disabilities.

SECTION II.  
SCOPE OF WORK

SECTION II. SCOPE OF WORK

Service Provider shall provide the services set forth in GBHWC RFP 02-2020. A copy of GBHWC RFP 02-2020 Section II Scope of Work is attached to this agreement as Attachment A for easy reference purposes.

SECTION III.  
CONTRACT TERM

- A. Initial Term  
The initial term contract shall begin upon the date that the Governor approves the contract, as signified by her execution of the contract (the "Initial Term"). After the Governor has approved the contract, the government will issue a written notice to proceed notifying the vendor services are to begin. The initial term of the contract shall end September 30, 2021, subject to the appropriation, allocation and availability of funds.
- B. Renewal Term  
At the option of the government, the contract may be renewed for up to two (2) additional one (1) year periods (each being a "Renewal Term") subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory performance. Upon expiration of the Renewal Term(s), this contract shall expire, unless sooner terminated.
- C. Monthly Extension Periods  
At the option of the government, the contract may be extended after the Renewal Term on a month-to-month basis (each being a "Monthly Extension Period") or in special circumstances a combination of monthly periods for two or three months, to begin immediately after the expiration date of the final Renewal Term(s), provided that in no event may the parties agree to more than six (6) Monthly Extension Periods. The Monthly Extension Periods may be agreed to by the parties only if the government is unable to continue the services under a new contract after a new solicitation and procurement is undertaken by the government.
- D. Multiple Term Contract Multiple Certification of Funds.

The Initial Term and any subsequent term(s) of this contract are subject to the availability of funds. The funds for the first twelve (12) months (or pro-rated fiscal year if applicable) of the Initial Term of the contract are certified as part of the execution of the contract. In the event that funds are not allocated, appropriated or otherwise made available to support continuation of performance in any period of time after the first twelve (12) months (or pro-rata fiscal year if applicable), the contract shall be cancelled; however, this does not affect either the GBHWC's rights or the contractor's rights under any termination clause of the contract. The GBHWC shall notify the contractor on a timely basis in writing that funds are, or are not, available for the continuation of the contract for each succeeding period. In the event of cancellation of this multi-term contract as provided above, the contractor will be reimbursed its unamortized, reasonably incurred, nonrecurring costs.

There may be multiple certifications of funds by the GBHWC during any term of the contract.

#### SECTION IV.

#### SERVICE PROVIDER'S COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES

A. Compensation.

(Intentionally Left Blank-To Be Completed At A Future Date)

B. Invoicing and Payments.

All compensation is to the appropriation, allocation and availability of funds, upon completion of the services and receipt of any deliverables and a monthly invoice in the form agreed to by the parties. Payment shall be based upon actual costs, as defined in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101 (1), submitted less disallowed costs and penalties, as applicable. Compensation based upon the aggregate of actual cost submitted may be less than the agreed upon compensation, but in no event shall it exceed the agreed upon compensation. The invoice should reflect only those service fees incurred for the current billing period. Each invoice should also include the total amount billed from the inception of the current year contract. All invoices are subject to review and approval by the GBHWC. The acceptance and payment of any invoice shall not be deemed a waiver of any of the GBHWC's rights under this Agreement.

C. Final Payment.

The GBHWC shall make final payment delivery and acceptance of all services mentioned herein specified and performed. Prior to final payment and as a condition precedent thereto, the Service Provider shall execute and deliver to the GBHWC a release, in a form provided by the GBHWC, of claims against the GBHWC and the government of Guam arising under and by virtue of the contract. Additionally, prior to

final payment and as condition precedent thereto, the Service Provider shall ensure a smooth program transition back to GBHWC or to the new service provider identified by GBHWC; and shall immediately provide the GBHWC with all program related information, files, equipment, service contributions/program income (contributions, donations, and gifts) remaining balances and all other operational and administrative and service documents and/or tangible assets.

D. Allowable Costs. (Cost Reimbursement)

The Service Provider agrees to comply with the following standards of financial management:

1. Financial Records

The Service Provider shall provide complete, accurate, and current financial disclosures of the project or program in accordance with any financial reporting requirements, as set forth in the financial provisions.

2. Accounting Records

The Service Provider shall continuously maintain and update records identifying the source and use of funds. The records shall contain information pertaining to the contract, authorizations, obligations, unobligated balances, assets, outlays, and income.

3. Internal Control.

The Service Provider shall maintain effective control over and accountability for all funds and assets. The Service Provider shall keep effective internal controls to ensure that all the GBHWC funds received are separately and properly allocated to the activities described in this Agreement. The Service Provider shall adequately safeguard all such property and shall ensure that it is used solely for authorized purposes.

4. Source Documentation.

The Service Provider shall support all accounting records with source documentation. These documentations include, but are not limited to, cancelled checks, paid bills, payrolls, contract and sub-grant (as applicable) contract documents, and so forth. All costs invoiced by contract in this Agreement shall be reasonable, lawful, allocable, and accounted for in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles set forth in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101 or in any federal assistance instrument applicable to this Agreement.

5. Reimbursable Cost Principles.

The Service Provider shall support all accounting records with source documentation. These documentations include, but are not limited to, cancelled checks, paid bills, payrolls, contract and sub-grant and/or contract documents and so forth.

6. Allowable Cost.



Total allowable cost of the contract is the sum of allowable direct costs actually incurred in the performance of the contract in accordance with the terms of the contract, plus the properly allowable indirect costs, less any applicable credits. Costs shall be allowed to the extent they are: reasonable as defined in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101 (d); and allocable, as defined in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101 (e) and lawful under any applicable law; and not unallowable under 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101(f). In the case of costs invoiced for reimbursement, they shall be actually incurred or accrued and accounted for in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

7. Applicable Credits.

Applicable credits are receipts or price reductions which reduce expenditures allocable to contracts as direct or indirect costs, as defined in 2 GAR Division 4 § 7101 (h). In the event the Service Provider receives discounts, rebates and or other applicable credits accruing to or received by the Service Provider or any subcontractor under the contract, to the extent those credits are allocable to the allowable portion of the cost billed to the GBHWC; allowable costs shall be paid to the Contactor, net of all discounts, rebates and other such applicable credits. The Service Provider shall separately identify for each cost submitted for payment to the GBHWC the amount of cost that is allowable; shall identify all unallowable costs; or the Service Provider shall exclude all unallowable costs from its billing documents and certify that only allowable costs are submitted for payment and records have been established that maintain the visibility of unallowable costs, including directly associated costs in a manner suitable for contract cost determination and verification.

The Service Provider shall identify the amount of each discount, rebate and other applicable credit on bills and invoices presented to the GBHWC for payment and individually identify the amount as a discount, rebate or in case of other applicable credits, the nature of the credit. The GBHWC may permit the Service Provider to report this information on a less frequent basis than monthly, but no less frequently than annually. The Service Provider shall identify the method by which it shall report discounts, rebates and other applicable credits allocable to the contract that are not reported prior to conclusion of the contract.

SECTION V.

THE GOVERNMENT IS NOT LIABLE

- A. The GBHWC assumes no liability for any accident or injury that may occur to the Service Provider, his or her agents, dependents, or personal property while in route to or from worksite or during any travel mandated by the terms of this Agreement.
- B. The GBHWC shall not be liable to the Service Provider for any work performed by the Service Provider prior to the approval of this Agreement by the Governor of Guam and

the Service Provider hereby expressly waives any and all claims for services performed in expectation of this Agreement prior to its approval by the Governor of Guam.

## SECTION VI.

### SPECIAL REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

- A. In the event that the Service Provider is a non-profit organization, the Service Provider shall comply with the reporting requirements set forth in P.L. 35-36 Chapter XIII Section 6 and this clause, or any subsequent public report requirement law(s). In the event one of the Service Provider's subcontractors is a non-profit organization, the provisions of this clause shall also be deemed to apply to the Service Provider's subcontractor, and the Service Provider is obligated to submit its non-profit subcontractor's information in the same manner and time periods.
- B. The Service Provider shall maintain accurate financial records of all monies paid to it under this Agreement. The Service Provider shall provide to the GBHWC a budgetary breakdown by object category as to all services under this Agreement. An initial proposed budgetary breakdown is part of the request for proposal, and the agreed cost proposal, budget, staffing request and are incorporated into the scope of services of this Agreement as part of Attachment A.
- C. The Service Provider shall provide to the GBHWC a quarterly report describing its activities during the reporting period and the results it achieved no later than twenty (20) days after the end of each Quarter of the fiscal year.
- D. The Service Provider shall provide prior written notification to the GBHWC of all procurement of equipment and services of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or more as to its services related to this Agreement, or with regard to items to be invoices as part of the contract.
- E. The Service Provider shall provide access to duly authorized representative of the GBHWC, the Guam Public Auditor, or their authorized representatives, to any and all appropriate records for the purpose of audit and examination of books, documents, papers, and records of funds expended as part of the contract. The Service Provider shall upon written request by the GBHWC, the Guam Public Auditor or their authorized representatives provide source documentation, including but not limited to copies of checks or receipts, employee pay statement, inventory receipt, attendance records, utility bills.
- F. The Service Provider is subject to the Single Audit Rules and shall provide annually (as applicable) to GBHWC copies of its Audit Reports for all time periods covered as part of this Agreement.

- G. The Service Provider shall provide certified detailed inventory listing of each Fiscal Year's purchases under the contract to the GBHWC as well as a Fiscal Year-end report of all expenditures of funds under the contract no later than November 15, the initial year, and November 15, of the each subsequent year.
- H. In the event the Service Provider fails to timely provide any reports or items set forth in this section to the GBHWC after prior written reasonable notice by the GBHWC to the Service Provider and the Service Provider's failure to cure the contract default, the GBHWC in addition to other contractual rights and remedies under this contract, may withhold payment of Ten Percent (10%) of any amounts that are invoiced under this Agreement by the Service Provider.

SECTION VII.  
GBHWC AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING

- A. To Maintain oversight of the Service Provider's performance in administering the GBHWC residential rehabilitation and social detoxification substance treatment services for adult males.
- B. The use of selected equipment as negotiated with the Service Provider when providing direct therapeutic intervention and/or activities to consumers.

SECTION VIII.  
RESPONSIBILITY OF SERVICE PROVIDER

- A. The Service Provider shall be responsible for the professional and technical accuracy of all work and materials furnished under this Agreement. The Service Provider shall, without additional cost to the GBHWC, re-do services, correct or revise all errors or deficiencies in its services, work and material identified during the term of the contract, and any applicable warranty period.
- B. The Service Provider shall devote its best efforts to the duties and responsibilities under the contract in accordance with the laws, rules, regulations and policies of the government of Guam.
- C. The GBHWC's review, approval, acceptance of, and payment of fees for services required under the contract, shall not be construed to operate as a waiver of any rights under the contract or of any cause of action arising out of the Service Provider's failure of performance, except as provided herein, and the Service Provider shall be, and remain liable, to the GBHWC for all direct costs which may be incurred by the GBHWC as result of the Service Provider's negligent performance of any of the services or work which are performed under the contract.

SECTION IX.  
ACCESS TO RECORDS AND OTHER REVIEW

- A. The Service Provider, including its subcontractors, if any, shall maintain all books, documents, papers, accounting records and other evidence pertaining to costs incurred and to make such materials available at their respective offices at all reasonable times during the contract period and for three (3) years from the date of the final payment under the contract, for inspection by the GBHWC, the Public Auditor, and any applicable Federal Granting Agency, Inspector General or its delegate. Each subcontract by the Service Provider pursuant to this Agreement shall include a provision containing the conditions of this Section.
  
- B. If any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit, or other action involving the records has been started before the end of the three (3) year period, the records shall be kept until all issues are resolved, or until the end of the regular three (3) year period, whichever is later.
  
- C. Records for non-expendable property acquired in whole or in part, with funds from this contract funds shall be retained for three (3) years after its final disposition.
  
- D. The Service Provider shall provide access to any project site(s) to the GBHWC, Guam Public Auditor and in the event there are federal funds, the Federal Granting Agency or its designated Inspector General or their authorized representative. The rights of access in this section shall not be limited to the required retention period but shall last as long as the records are kept.

SECTION X.  
OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

All briefs, memoranda and incidental to the Service Provider's work or materials furnished hereunder shall be and remain the property of the GBHWC including all publication rights and copyright interests, and may be used by the GBHWC without any additional cost to the GBHWC.

SECTION XI.  
INDEMNITY

The Service Provider agrees to save and hold harmless the GBHWC, its officers, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, and other governmental agencies from any and all actions, proceedings, claims, demands, costs, damage, attorney fees and all other liabilities and expense of any kind or any source which may arise out of the performance of this Agreement, caused by the negligent act or failure of the Service Provider, its officers, employees, servants, or agents, or if caused by the actions of any client of the Service Provider resulting in injury or

damage to persons or property during the time when the Service Provider or any of officer, agent, employee, servant or subcontractor thereof has or is performing services pursuant to this Agreement. In the event that any action, suit or proceeding related to the services performed by the Service Provider or any officer, agent, employee, servant or subcontractor under this Agreement is brought against the Service Provider, the Service Provider shall as soon as practicable but no later than two (2) days after it receives notice thereof, notify the Director of the GBHWC by certified mail.

## SECTION XII. CHANGES

The GBHWC may at any time, by written order make any change in the services to be performed hereunder. If such changes cause an increase or decrease in the costs of doing the work under this Agreement, or in the time required for this performance, an equitable adjustment shall be made and this Agreement shall be modified in writing accordingly.

## SECTION XIII. INSURANCE

The Service Provider shall procure and maintain in effect Workers Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Comprehensive General Liability Insurance coverage for the operation of the services set forth in this Agreement. The Service Provider shall provide certificates of such insurance to the GBHWC when required and shall immediately report in writing to the GBHWC any insurance claims filed.

## SECTION XIV. TERMINATION

### A. Termination for Defaults: 1. Default.

If the Service Provider refuses or fails to perform any of the provisions of this Agreement with such diligence as shall ensure its completion within the time specified in this Agreement, or any extension thereof, otherwise fails to timely satisfy the contract provisions, or commits any other substantial breach of this Agreement, the GBHWC may notify the Service Provider in writing of the delay or non-performance and if not cured in ten (10) days or any longer time specified in writing by the GBHWC, the GBHWC may terminate the Service Provider's right to proceed with the Agreement or such part of the Agreement as to which there has been delay or a failure to properly perform. In the event of termination in whole or in part, the GBHWC may procure similar professional services in a manner and upon terms deemed appropriate by the GBHWC. The Service Provider shall continue performance of this Agreement to the extent it is not terminated and shall

be liable for excess costs incurred in procuring similar professional services, goods or services.

2. The Service Provider's Duties.

Notwithstanding termination of the Agreement and subject to any directions from the GBHWC, the Service Provider shall take timely, reasonable, and necessary action to protect and preserve property in possession of the Service Provider in which the GBHWC has an interest.

3. Compensation.

Payment for completed professional services delivered and accepted by the GBHWC shall be per Section IV Compensation for the Service Provider's services. The GBHWC may withhold from amounts due the Service Provider such sums as the GBHWC deems to be necessary to protect the GBHWC against loss because of outstanding liens or claims of former lien holders and to reimburse the GBHWC for the excess costs incurred in procuring similar professional services. The Service Provider may pursue its rights under Section XVI Mandatory Disputes clause of this Agreement, and the Guam Procurement Laws and Regulations if it disagrees with the GBHWC's decision with regard to compensation.

4. Erroneous Termination for Default.

If, after notice of termination of the Service Provider's right to proceed under the provisions of this clause, it is determined for any reason that the Service Provider was not in default under the provisions of this clause, or that the delay was excusable under the provisions of Section XXII Force Majeure of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to such clause.

5. Additional Rights and Remedies.

The rights and remedies provided in this clause are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.

6. Non-Profit Organization Special Reporting Requirements.

The Service Provider, if a non-profit organization subject to Section VI Special Reporting Requirements of Non-Profit Organizations (P.L. 33-66 Chapter XIII Section 6) or current fiscal year related mandate; and if the Service Provider fails to timely provide any reports or items set forth in Section VI Special Reporting Requirements for Non Profit Organizations of this Agreement; then the GBHWC pursuant to that section may after prior written reasonable notice to the Service Provider and the Service Provider's failure to cure the contract default, the GBHWC in addition to other contractual rights and remedies under this

Agreement, may withhold payment of Ten Percent (10%) of any amounts that are invoiced under this Agreement by the Service Provider.

B. Termination for Convenience.

1. Termination.

The Director of the GBHWC may, when the interest of the GBHWC so requires, terminate this Agreement in whole or in part, for the convenience of the GBHWC. The Director of the GBHWC shall give thirty (30) days prior written notice of the termination to the Service Provider specifying the part of the contract terminated and when termination becomes effective.

2. The Service Provider's Obligations.

The Service Provider shall incur no further obligations in connection with the terminated professional services and on the date set in the notice of termination, the Service Provider shall stop work to the extent specified. The Service Provider shall also terminate outstanding orders and subcontracts as they relate to the terminated professional services. The Service Provider shall settle the liabilities and claims arising out of the termination of subcontracts and orders connected with the terminated professional services. The Service Provider must still complete the professional services not terminated by the notice of termination and may incur obligations as are necessary to do so.

In the event there is any deliverables and/or reports due per this Agreement, the Service Provider and the GBHWC shall meet and set up the delivery dates for those items not set forth in the written notice of termination.

3. Compensation.

The Service Provider shall invoice the GBHWC in keeping Section IV Compensation for Service Provider's Services for professional services performed up to the date of termination.

4. Program Transition.

In the event of the termination under this Section XIV. Termination, the Service Provider shall take all steps necessary to ensure a smooth and professional transition of the program to prevent any interruption of the services to the clients and to preserve the integrity of the program. The Service Provider shall immediately prepare to relinquish all program related information, files, major equipment items, service contributions, and program income (contributions, donations, and gifts) remaining balances and all other operational and administrative and service documents and/or other tangible assets or items to the GBHWC.

SECTION XV.  
PRODUCT OF SERVICE-COPYRIGHT

All materials developed or acquired by the Service Provider under this Agreement shall become the property of the GHWC and shall be delivered to the GBHWC no later than the termination date of this Agreement. Nothing developed or produced, in whole or in part, by the Service Provider under this Agreement shall be subject of an application for copyright or other claim of ownership by or on behalf of the Service Provider.

SECTION XVI.  
MANDATORY DISPUTE RESOLUTION CLAUSE

In the event of a conflict between this “Mandatory Disputes Resolution Clause” and any other terms in this Agreement, it is the intent of the GBHWC and the Service Provider that the terms of this clause are to be given precedence.

- A. Disputes - Contractual Controversies.  
The GBHWC and the Service Provider agree to attempt resolution of all controversies which arise under, or are by virtue of, this Agreement through mutual agreement. If the controversy is not resolved by mutual agreement, then the Service Provider shall request the Director of GBHWC or his designee, in writing to issue a final decision within sixty days after receipt of the written request in keeping with 5 GCA § 5427 (c). The Director of GBHWC or their designee shall immediately furnish a copy of the decision to the Service Provider, by certified mail with a return receipt requested, or by any other method that provides evidence of receipt.
- B. Absence of a Written Decision within Sixty Days.  
If the Director of GBHWC, or his designee does not issue a written decision within sixty days after written request for a final decision, or within such longer period as may be agreed upon by the parties, then the Service Provider may proceed as though the Director of the GBHWC, or his designee had issued a decision adverse to the Service Provider.
- C. Appeals to the Office of Public Accountability.  
The Director of the GBHWC, or his designee’s decision shall be final and conclusive, unless fraudulent or unless the Service Provider appeals the decision administratively to the Public Auditor in accordance with 5 GCA § 5706.
- D. Disputes – Money Owed To or By the Government of Guam.  
This subsection applies to appeals of the GBHWC’s decision on a dispute. For money owed by or to the government of under this Agreement, the Service Provider shall appeal



the decision in accordance with the “Government Claims Act”, 5 GCA § 6101 et. seq., by initially filing a claim with the Office of the Attorney General no later than eighteen (18) months after the decision is rendered by the government of Guam or from the date when a decision should have been rendered. For all other claims by or against the GBHWC under this Agreement, the Office of the Public Auditor has jurisdiction over the appeal from the decision of the GBHWC. Appeals to the Office of the Public Auditor shall be made within sixty (60) days of the GBHWC’s decision or from the date the decision should have been made.

E. Exhaustion of Administrative Remedies.

The Service Provider shall exhaust all administrative remedies before filing an action in the Superior Court of Guam in accordance with applicable laws.

F. Performance of Contract Pending Final Resolution by the Court.

The Service Provider shall comply with the GBHWC’s decision and proceed diligently with performance of this Agreement pending final resolution by the Superior Court of Guam of any controversy arising under, or by virtue of, this Agreement, except where the Service Provider claims a material breach of this contract by the GBHWC. However, if the Director of the GBHWC determines in writing that continuation of services under this Agreement is essential to the public’s health or safety, then the Service Provider shall proceed diligently with performance of the contract notwithstanding any claim of material breach by the GBHWC.

## SECTION XVII.

### MANDATORY REPRESENTATIONS BY SERVICE PROVIDER

A. Ethical Standards.

With respect to this procurement and any other contract that the Service Provider may have, or wish to enter into, with the GBHWC, the Service Provider represents that it has not knowingly influenced, and promises that it shall not knowingly influence, any government employee to breach any of the ethical standards set forth in the Guam Procurement Law and in any of the Guam Procurement Regulations.

B. Prohibition Against Gratuities and Kickbacks.

With respect to this procurement and any other contract that the Service Provider may have or wish to enter into with the GBHWC, the Service Provider represents that he/she/it has not violated, is not violating, and promises that he/she/it shall not violate the prohibition against gratuities and kickbacks set forth in the Guam Procurement Regulations.

C. Prohibition Against Contingent Fees.

The Service Provider represents that he has not retained any person or agency upon an agreement or understanding for a percentage, commission, brokerage, or other contingent arrangement, except for retention of bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial selling agencies, to solicit or secure this contract or any other contract with the government of Guam.

D. Prohibition of Employment of Sex Offenders.

Pursuant to 5 G.C.A. § 5253: No person convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of 9 GCA Chapter 25, or an offense as defined in GCA Chapter 28 Article 28, on Guam, or an offense in any jurisdiction which includes, at a minimum, all of the elements of said offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, and who is employed by a business contracted to perform services for an agency or instrumentality of the government of Guam, shall work for his employer on the property of the government of Guam other than a public highway;

The Service Provider warrants (1) that no person providing services on behalf of the Service Provider has been convicted of a sex offense as set forth in the preceding subsection; and (2) that if any person providing services on behalf of the Service Provider is convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of 9 GCA Chapter 25 or 9 GCA Chapter 28 Article 2, or an offense in another jurisdiction with, at a minimum, the same elements as such offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, that such person shall be immediately removed from working at said agency and that the administrator of said agency be informed of such within twenty-four (24) hours of such conviction.

For the purposes of this “Prohibition of Employment of Sex Offenders Clause” in the event the Service Provider is providing services that involve direct contact with the GBHWC consumers, customers or potential eligible receivers of the GBHWC community behavioral health wellness services all locations where there is contact with those individuals is considered for purposes of this clause in this contract “property of the government of Guam”.

E. Wage and Benefit Compliance – Service Providers Providing Services.

The Service Provider shall comply with 5 GCA § 5801 et. seq., and with regard to all persons it employs whose purpose in whole or in part is the direct delivery of services contracted for with the GBHWC in this procurement, shall pay such employees in accordance with the Wage Determination for Guam and the Northern Marianas Islands issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor for such labor as is employed in the direct deliverance of deliverables to the government of Guam. The Service Provider shall be responsible for flowing down this obligation to its subcontractors.

The Wage Determination most recently issued by the U.S. Department of Labor at the time this contract is awarded to the Service Provider shall be used to determine wages and

benefits which shall be paid to employees pursuant to this clause.

The Wage Determination promulgated by the U.S Department of Labor on a date most recent to the renewal date shall apply to any renewal terms of this agreement.

The Service Provider agrees that in addition to the Wage Determination detailed above, health and similar benefits for employees having a minimum value as detailed in the Wage Determination issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor shall apply. The Service Provider shall pay a minimum of ten (10) paid holidays per annum per employee.

The Service Provider shall flow the Wage and Benefit Compliance clauses above through to any of its subcontractor under this agreement.

The Service Provider agrees that any violation of the Service Provider's obligations or its subcontractors obligations as set forth in this Section "Wage and Benefit Compliance Service Providers Providing Service's Clause" shall be investigated by the Guam Department of Labor and may include a monetary penalty assessment by the Guam Department of Labor of no less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per day, and no more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per day, until such time as a violation has been corrected, as well as the payment of all back wages and benefits due.

In addition to any and all other breach of contract actions the GBHWC may have under this procurement, in the event there is a violation in the process set forth in the preceding subsection, the Service Provider may be placed on probationary status by the Director of GBHWC, for a period of one (1) year. During the probationary status, the Service Provider shall not be awarded any contract by any instrumentality of the government of Guam. The Service Provider if it is placed on probationary status, or has been assessed a monetary penalty pursuant to this "Wage and Benefit Compliance Service Providers Providing Services Clause" may appeal such penalty or probationary status to the Superior Court of Guam as set forth in 5 GCA § 5804.

The Service Provider's Declaration of Compliance with Wage Determination with the attached most recent Wage Determination for Guam and the Northern Marianas Islands issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor is applicable to this contract.

The Service Provider agrees to provide upon written request by the GBHWC written certification of its compliance with its obligations under this "Wage and Benefit Compliance Service Providers Providing Services Clause" as part of each invoice, along with the names of any employees, their positions, and detailed wage and benefits paid in keeping with this section. Additionally, upon request by the GBHWC, the Service Provider shall submit source documents as to those individuals that provide direct services in part or

whole under this contract and its payments to them of such wages and benefits.

F. Privacy Rights.

The Service Provider will comply with all Federal and Guam laws and regulations as to the privacy rights of individuals and as to any records and information of individuals providing services under this contract, including but not limited to the following:

1. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability (HIPAA)  
The Service Provider will comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA of 1996, P.L. 104-1991) and the Federal “Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable “Health Information” promulgated under 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164, Subparts A and E.
2. Client Confidentiality. The Service Provider will ensure information obtained directly or indirectly from a recipient client under this contract will be kept confidential and not released in a form that identifies the person without informed consent of the person, or of his or her legal representative, unless the disclosure is required by court order or for program monitoring by authorized Federal, or Guam monitoring agencies. (Ref. 45 CFR 1321.51 and 42 CFR Part II). Privacy Rule Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information, Ref. 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164, Subparts A and E.

G. Technology Access For Blind or Visually Impaired.

The Service Provider acknowledges that no government funds may be expended for the purchase of information technology equipment and software for use by employees, program participants, or members of the public unless it provides blind or visually impaired individuals with access, including interactive use of equipment and services, that is equivalent to that provided to individuals who are not blind or visually impaired.

H. Equal Opportunity Compliance.

The Service Provider agrees to abide by all Federal and Guam laws and rules and regulations, and Executive Orders of the Governor of Guam, pertaining to equal employment opportunity. In accordance with such laws of Guam, the Service Provider assures that no person shall on the grounds of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation or gender identity be excluded from employment with or participation in, be denied benefit of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity under this Agreement. If the Service Provider is found not to be in compliance with these requirements during the life of this Agreement, the Service Provider agrees to take appropriate steps to correct these deficiencies.

I. Records Discrimination Against Status Offenders Prohibited.

The Service Provider acknowledges that no private entity that receives government of Guam funding, either local or federal funds, for any of its programs may, solely on the basis of conviction of a status offense, discriminate against any person who would otherwise be eligible. P.L. 30-168 (effective 7/16/10) codified at § 20120 of Article 1, Chapter 20 of Title 19, Guam Code Annotated.

- J. Restricting the Use of Mobile Phones While Driving a Vehicle, and Providing for the Public Education Requirements Regarding Such Restrictions.

The Service Provider shall ensure compliance with relative to the restrictions on the use of mobile phones while driving. P.L. 31-194

- K. Drug and Smoke-Free Workplace.

The Service Provider shall ensure compliance with Federal and local drug and smoke-free workplace laws and requirements. [Federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, the Governor's Circular No. 89-26 (Governor's Policy Statement Establishing a Drug-Free Workplace) and Clean Indoor Air Act of 1992, P.L. 21-139, Title 10 GCA, Chapter 90].

- L. Social Security Number Confidentiality Act.

The Service Provider shall ensure compliance relative to preventing the inappropriate disclosure and misappropriation of social security numbers. P.L. 28-95, Article 7, Chapter 32, Title 5, Guam Code Annotated.

- M. Employment of Individuals with Severe Disabilities; P.L. 26-109 Section 2, §41210(b), Article 2, Chapter 41, Division 5, Title 17 of the Guam Code Annotated.

The Service Provider shall comply with the provision of this mandate with emphasis on the employment of two percent (2%) of its workforce with severe disabilities in coordination with the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Administrator, Department of Integrated Services for Individuals with a Disability (DISID) for placement. In the event the Service Provider is unable to employ due to the lack of individuals with disabilities who are able to work, the Service Provider shall utilize funds for the purchase of supplies produced by non-profit organizations employing individuals with disabilities. Efforts to comply with this specification shall be documented by the Service Provider and is subject to review and inspection by the GBHWC.

## SECTION XVIII.

### ASSIGNMENT, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer this Agreement or any of the rights that it grants without the prior written consent of the party. Any purported assignment in violation of the preceding sentence shall be void and of no effect. This contract shall be binding upon the parties' respective successors and permitted assigns.

SECTION XIX.  
SUBCONTRACTING

The Service Provider shall not subcontract any portion of the services to be performed under this Agreement without the prior written approval of the GBHWC.

SECTION XX.  
STATUS OF SERVICE PROVIDER

The Service Provider and its agents and employees are independent contractors performing professional services for the GBHWC and are not employees of the GBHWC. The Service Provider and its agents and employees shall not accrue leave, retirement, insurance, bonding, use of the GBHWC vehicles, or any other benefit afforded to employees of the GBHWC as a result of this Agreement. The Service Provider acknowledges that all sums received hereunder are reportable by the Service Provider for tax purposes, including without limitation, self-employment and business income tax. The Service Provider agrees not to purport to bind the GBHWC unless the Service Provider has express written authority to do so, and then only within the strict limits of that authority.

SECTION XXI.  
GENERAL COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

The professional services, deliverables and materials under this Agreement shall comply with all applicable Federal and Guam laws and regulations. The Service Provider shall maintain all licenses and permits during all times pertinent to this Agreement. The Service Provider is responsible for payment of all taxes under this Agreement. In the event the contract sets forth key personnel positions of stated experiences and training, the Service Provider agrees to maintain those individuals and or positions at all times pertinent to the contract.

A non-resident person without a valid Guam business license residing outside of Guam shall be subject to a withholding assessment, the equivalent of the Guam business privilege tax (BPT), which shall be the equal to four percent (4% or current rate) of the total value of a contract awarded by all government of Guam contracts for professional services as a cost of doing business with the government of Guam. See P.L. 33-166 effective June 20, 2017 codified at 11 G.C.A., Chapter 71, Section 7114.

SECTION XXII.

## FORCE MAJEURE

The Service Provider and/or the GBHWC (other than its payment obligation) shall be excused from performance under this Agreement for any period that the Service Provider or the GBHWC is prevented from performing any services in whole or in part as a result of acts of God, typhoons, earthquakes, floods, epidemics, fire, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, unusually severe weather, or any other event, matter or thing, wherever occurring, which shall not be within the reasonable control of the party invoking the section (each of the foregoing deemed a "Force Majeure"), provided that the Service Provider or the GBHWC have prudently and promptly acted to take any and all reasonably necessary preventive and/or corrective steps that are within the Service Provider's or the GBHWC's control to ensure that the Service Provider or the GBHWC can promptly perform. Such non-performance (collectively, a Force Majeure Event) shall not be deemed a breach of the Agreement. This clause shall not relieve the Service Provider of responsibility for developing and implementing all prudent contingency and disaster recovery measures. Subcontractor interruptions shall not be considered a Force Majeure Event unless agreed upon by both parties. The party delayed by a Force Majeure Event shall immediately notify the other party by telephone (to be confirmed in writing, via hand delivery return receipt, within FIVE (5) days of the inception of such delay) of the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event and describe in reasonable detail the nature of the Force Majeure Event, all preventive and corrective steps taken, how it affects performance, and the anticipated duration of the inability to perform, and shall resume performance of its obligations as soon as possible after the Force Majeure condition no longer exists. The parties shall meet to discuss and determine a revised timetable for completion of any Services delayed by a Force Majeure Event under this Agreement.

## SECTION XXIII.

### SEVERABILITY

The provisions of the contract shall be deemed severable, and the unenforceability of any one or more provisions shall not affect the enforceability of any other provisions. In addition, if any provision of this contract is declared unenforceable, the parties shall substitute an enforceable provision that to the maximum extent possible in accordance with applicable law, preserves the original intentions and economic positions of the parties.

## SECTION XXIV.

### ENFORCEMENT OF AGREEMENT

A party's failure to require strict performance of any provision of this Agreement shall not waive or diminish that party's right thereafter to demand strict compliance with that or any other provision. No waiver by a party of any of that party's rights under this Agreement shall be effective to waive any other rights.

SECTION XXV.  
NO WAIVER

No failure or delay by either party in exercising any right, power or remedy shall operate at a waiver of such right, power or remedy, and no waiver shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by the waiving party. If either party waives any right, power or remedy, such waiver shall not waive any successive or other right, power or remedy the party may have under this contract.

SECTION XXVI.  
APPLICABLE LAW

The laws of Guam shall govern this Agreement, without giving effect to its choice of laws provisions. Venue shall be proper only in a Guam court of competent jurisdiction. By execution of this Agreement, the Service Provider acknowledges and agrees to the jurisdiction of the courts of Guam over any and all lawsuits arising under or out of any term of this Agreement.

SECTION XXVII.  
AMENDMENT

This Agreement shall not be altered, changed or amended except by instrument in writing executed by the parties.

SECTION XXVIII.  
MERGER

This Agreement incorporates all the agreements, covenants and understandings between the parties hereto concerning the subject matter hereof, and all such covenants, agreements and understandings have been merged into this written agreement. No prior agreement or understanding, oral or otherwise, of the parties, or their agents shall be valid or enforceable unless embodied in this Agreement.

SECTION XXIX.  
INCORPORATION AND ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

The request for proposal and the Service Provider's proposal are incorporated by reference into this Agreement and are made part of this Agreement. In the event of any conflict among these documents, the following order or precedence shall apply:

1. Any contract amendment(s), in reverse chronological order; then



2. this Agreement itself; then
3. the Request for Proposal; then
4. the Service Provider's Best and Final Offer(s), in reverse chronological order; then
5. the Service Provider's proposal.

#### SECTION XXX.

#### PATENT, COPYRIGHT, TRADEMARK AND TRADE SECRET INDEMNIFICATION

- A. The Service Provider shall defend at its own expense, the government of Guam and its agencies against any claim that any product or service provided under this Agreement infringes any patent, copyright or trademark in the United States or Guam, and shall pay all costs, damages and attorneys' fees that a court finally awards as a result of any such claim. In addition, if any third party obtains a judgment against a procuring agency based upon the Service Provider's trade secret infringement relating to any product or service provide under this Agreement, the Service Provider agrees to reimburse the government of Guam for all costs, attorneys' fees and the amount of the judgment. To qualify for such a defense and/or payment, the government of Guam shall:
1. Give the Service Provider prompt written notice of any claim;
  2. allow the Service Provider to control the defense or the settlement of the claim; and
  3. cooperate with the Service Provider in a reasonable way to facilitate the defense or settlement of the claim.
- B. If any product or service becomes, or in the Service Provider's opinion is likely to become the subject of a claim of infringement, the Service Provider shall at its option and expense:
1. Provide a procuring agency the right to continue to using the product or service;
  2. replace or modify the product or service so that it becomes non-infringing; or
  3. accept the return of the product or service, less the unpaid portion of the purchase price any other amounts due the Service Provider. The Service Provider's obligations shall be void as to any product or service modified by the procuring agency to the extent such modification is the cause of the claim.

#### SECTION XXXI.

#### APPROVAL OF SERVICE PROVIDER PERSONNEL

Personnel proposed in the Service Provider's written proposal to the GBHWC are considered material to any services or work performed under this Agreement. No changes in personnel shall be made by the Service Provider without the prior written consent of the GBHWC. Replacement of any of the Service Provider's personnel, if approved shall be with equal ability, experience and qualifications. The Service Provider shall be responsible for any expenses

incurred in familiarizing the replacement personnel to insure their being productive to the project or program immediately upon receiving assignments. Approval of replacement personnel shall not be unreasonably withheld. The GBHWC shall retain the right to request the removal of any of the Service Provider's personnel at any time. A penalty of ten percent (10%) of the monthly invoice amount shall be imposed for every month the Service Provider does not have the staff.

#### SECTION XXXII.

##### SURVIVAL

The sections titled Indemnification and Patent, Copyright, Trademark and Trade Secret Indemnification shall survive the expiration of this Agreement. Software licenses, leases, maintenance and other unexpired agreements that were entered into under the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall survive this Agreement.

#### SECTION XXXII.

##### PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

Proprietary information for the purpose of this Agreement is information relating to a party's research, development, trade secrets, business affairs, internal operations and management procedures and those of its customers, clients or affiliates, but does not include information lawfully obtained by third parties, which is in the public domain, or which is developed independently.

Neither party shall use or disclose directly or indirectly without prior written authorization any proprietary information concerning the other party obtained as a result of this contract. Any proprietary information removed from GBHWC's site by Service Provider in the course of providing services under this Agreement will be accorded at least the same precautions as are employed by Service Provider for similar information in the course of its own business.

#### SECTION XXXIII.

##### CONFLICT OF INTEREST

In keeping with 2 CFR §200.112 Service Provider agrees as follows:

During the term of this Agreement, Service Provider will not engage in any business or personal activities or practices or maintain any relationships which conflict in any way with Service Provider fully performing its obligations under this Agreement.

Additionally, Service Provider acknowledges that, in governmental contracting, even the appearance of a conflict of interest is harmful to the interests of GBHWC.

Thus, Service Provider agrees to refrain from any practices, activities or relationships which could reasonably be considered to be in conflict with Service Provider's fully performing its

obligations to GBHWC under the terms of this Agreement, without the prior written approval of GBHWC.

In the event that Service Provider is uncertain whether the appearance of a conflict of interest may reasonably exist, Service Provider shall submit to GBHWC a full disclosure statement setting forth the relevant details for GBHWC's consideration and direction. Failure to promptly submit a disclosure statement or to follow GBHWC's direction in regard to the apparent conflict will be grounds for termination of the contract.

Further, Service Provider will maintain a written code of standards governing the performance of its agent(s) engaged in the award and administration of contracts.

Neither Service Provider nor its agent(s) shall participate in the selection, or in the award or administration of a contract or subcontract supported by Federal or Local funds under this Agreement, if a conflict of interest, real or apparent, would be involved. Such a conflict would arise when:

The employee, officer or agent: Any member of the employee's immediate family (which includes a spouse, children, parents, brothers and sisters, grandparents and grandchildren, mothers-in-law and fathers-in-law, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, daughters-in-law and sons-in-law. Stepsiblings, stepchildren and stepparents shall also be regarded as immediate family.

5 GCA Ch 5 Article 11 Section 5610 (g) Immediate Family (P.L. 31-016)].

The employee's partner, or an organization which employs, or is about to employ, any of the above, has a financial or other interest in the firm selected for award.

Neither Service Provider nor its agent(s) will solicit nor accept gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from Service Provider's potential subcontractor's, or parties to sub-agreements.

Service Provider will comply with Ethics in Public Contracting 5 GCA Chapter 5 Article 11 Ethics in Public Contracting and 2 GAR Division 4 Chapter 11.

#### SECTION XXXIV. TERMINATION FOR FINANCIAL EXIGENCY

The government of Guam shall have the right to terminate this contract for financial exigency by giving the Service Provider at least thirty (30) days prior written notice. For the purpose of this provision, a financial exigency shall be a determination made by the head of the purchasing agency based on the Guam legislature failure to fund this contract or in the event of Federal funds, the Federal government fails to fund the government of Guam for this program. If notice of such termination is so given, this contract shall terminate on the expiration of the time period specified in the notice, and the liability of the parties hereunder for further performance of the terms of this contract shall hereupon cease, but the parties shall not be released from the duty to perform their obligations up to the date of termination. The Service Provider may submit a claim in the same manner as is set forth for the termination for convenience claim.

# ANNUAL COST PROPOSAL RFP 02-2020 (FORM F)

Offeror: \_\_\_\_\_

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The cost/budget amount is the same for each year of the contract.

Category	Hourly Rate (for A & B)	Year One	Year Two	Year Three
<b>A. Personnel</b>				
(Attach Staffing Pattern)		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
<b>Total Personnel</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>B. Benefits</b>		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
<b>Total Benefits</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>C. Travel</b>				
		\$	\$	
<b>Total Travel</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>D. Supplies, Equipment, and Other</b>				
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
<b>Total Supplies, Equipment, and Other</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>E. Contractual</b>				
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
<b>Total Contractual</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	
<b>TOTAL PROPOSED BUDGET</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	

Cost Proposal Submitted by:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Offer Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

(Same Amount for each contract year)

Cost Proposal  Declined \_\_\_\_\_  
(Reason)

Cost Proposal  Accepted

Comments/Counter offer/Negotiation:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Accepted and agreed as negotiated by:

**GBHWC:**

**Offeror:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ By: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature & Date) (Signature & Date)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**GBHWC DIRECTOR'S APPROVAL**

Offer is accepted and terms negotiated approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Date

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

"REGISTER OF WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER  
THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT  
By direction of the Secretary of Labor

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION  
WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION  
WASHINGTON D.C. 20210

Daniel W. Simms                      Division of  
Director                                  Wage Determinations

Wage Determination No.: 2015-5694  
Revision No.: 11  
Date Of Last Revision: 12/23/2019

Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658 an hourly minimum

wage of \$10.80 for calendar year 2020 applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1 2015. If this contract is covered by the EO the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.80 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in calendar year 2020. The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at [www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts](http://www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts).

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States: Guam Northern Marianas Wake Island

Area: Guam Statewide

Northern Marianas Statewide

Wake Island Statewide

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**\*\*Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing\*\***

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	FOOTNOTE	RATE
01000 - Administrative Support And Clerical Occupations		
01011 - Accounting Clerk I		13.57
01012 - Accounting Clerk II		15.23
01013 - Accounting Clerk III		17.04
01020 - Administrative Assistant		19.48
01035 - Court Reporter		17.40
01041 - Customer Service Representative I		10.89
01042 - Customer Service Representative II		12.25
01043 - Customer Service Representative III		13.37

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01051 - Data Entry Operator I	12.15
01052 - Data Entry Operator II	13.25
01060 - Dispatcher Motor Vehicle	14.37
01070 - Document Preparation Clerk	13.85
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator	13.85
01111 - General Clerk I	10.35
01112 - General Clerk II	11.29
01113 - General Clerk III	12.68
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant	19.39
01141 - Messenger Courier	11.37
01191 - Order Clerk I	12.57
01192 - Order Clerk II	13.71
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I	15.95
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II	17.85
01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III	19.89
01270 - Production Control Clerk	21.78
01290 - Rental Clerk	11.10
01300 - Scheduler Maintenance	15.55
01311 - Secretary I	15.55
01312 - Secretary II	17.40
01313 - Secretary III	19.39
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher	12.73
01410 - Supply Technician	19.48
01420 - Survey Worker	15.26
01460 - Switchboard Operator/Receptionist	9.67
01531 - Travel Clerk I	12.77
01532 - Travel Clerk II	13.83
01533 - Travel Clerk III	14.78
01611 - Word Processor I	14.53
01612 - Word Processor II	16.31
01613 - Word Processor III	18.26
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automobile Body Repairer Fiberglass	13.58
05010 - Automotive Electrician	13.06
05040 - Automotive Glass Installer	12.10
05070 - Automotive Worker	12.10
05110 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	10.27
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	13.71
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	12.10
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	13.71
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	10.12
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	12.10
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	12.10
05310 - Painter Automotive	12.87
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	12.10
05370 - Tire Repairer	11.44
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	13.61
07000 - Food Preparation And Service Occupations	
07010 - Baker	10.47
07041 - Cook I	11.45

07042 - Cook II	13.33
07070 - Dishwasher	9.12
07130 - Food Service Worker	9.34
07210 - Meat Cutter	11.86
07260 - Waiter/Waitress	9.19
09000 - Furniture Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	16.40
09040 - Furniture Handler	9.95
09080 - Furniture Refinisher	16.40
09090 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	12.06
09110 - Furniture Repairer Minor	14.27
09130 - Upholsterer	16.40
11000 - General Services And Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner Vehicles	9.35
11060 - Elevator Operator	9.29
11090 - Gardener	12.90
11122 - Housekeeping Aide	9.29
11150 - Janitor	9.29
11210 - Laborer Grounds Maintenance	9.74
11240 - Maid or Houseman	9.22
11260 - Pruner	8.72
11270 - Tractor Operator	11.80
11330 - Trail Maintenance Worker	9.74
11360 - Window Cleaner	10.37
12000 - Health Occupations	
12010 - Ambulance Driver	17.77
12011 - Breath Alcohol Technician	17.77
12012 - Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	24.38
12015 - Certified Physical Therapist Assistant	24.38
12020 - Dental Assistant	14.21
12025 - Dental Hygienist	32.84
12030 - EKG Technician	25.10
12035 - Electroneurodiagnostic Technologist	25.10
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician	17.77
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I	15.88
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	17.77
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	19.81
12100 - Medical Assistant	12.26
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	18.82
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	13.61
12190 - Medical Record Technician	17.77
12195 - Medical Transcriptionist	15.88
12210 - Nuclear Medicine Technologist	39.04
12221 - Nursing Assistant I	11.03
12222 - Nursing Assistant II	12.43
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	13.54
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV	15.22
12235 - Optical Dispenser	17.77
12236 - Optical Technician	15.88
12250 - Pharmacy Technician	15.49



12280 - Phlebotomist	15.22
12305 - Radiologic Technologist	22.69
12311 - Registered Nurse I	22.53
12312 - Registered Nurse II	27.56
12313 - Registered Nurse II Specialist	27.56
12314 - Registered Nurse III	33.34
12315 - Registered Nurse III Anesthetist	33.34
12316 - Registered Nurse IV	39.96
12317 - Scheduler (Drug and Alcohol Testing)	22.01
12320 - Substance Abuse Treatment Counselor	22.01
13000 - Information And Arts Occupations	
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I	19.45
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	24.09
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	29.47
13041 - Illustrator I	19.45
13042 - Illustrator II	24.09
13043 - Illustrator III	29.47
13047 - Librarian	26.68
13050 - Library Aide/Clerk	15.48
13054 - Library Information Technology Systems Administrator	24.09
13058 - Library Technician	16.64
13061 - Media Specialist I	17.38
13062 - Media Specialist II	19.45
13063 - Media Specialist III	21.67
13071 - Photographer I	17.38
13072 - Photographer II	19.45
13073 - Photographer III	24.09
13074 - Photographer IV	29.47
13075 - Photographer V	35.65
13090 - Technical Order Library Clerk	18.74
13110 - Video Teleconference Technician	17.38
14000 - Information Technology Occupations	
14041 - Computer Operator I	15.71
14042 - Computer Operator II	17.22
14043 - Computer Operator III	19.19
14044 - Computer Operator IV	21.33
14045 - Computer Operator V	23.62
14071 - Computer Programmer I	(see 1) 15.73
14072 - Computer Programmer II	(see 1) 19.50
14073 - Computer Programmer III	(see 1) 23.84
14074 - Computer Programmer IV	(see 1)
14101 - Computer Systems Analyst I	(see 1) 24.23
14102 - Computer Systems Analyst II	(see 1)
14103 - Computer Systems Analyst III	(see 1)
14150 - Peripheral Equipment Operator	15.71
14160 - Personal Computer Support Technician	21.33
14170 - System Support Specialist	21.24
15000 - Instructional Occupations	
15010 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Non-Rated)	24.23

15020 - Aircrew Training Devices Instructor (Rated)	29.32
15030 - Air Crew Training Devices Instructor (Pilot)	34.91
15050 - Computer Based Training Specialist / Instructor	24.23
15060 - Educational Technologist	27.61
15070 - Flight Instructor (Pilot)	34.91
15080 - Graphic Artist	20.47
15085 - Maintenance Test Pilot Fixed Jet/Prop	34.91
15086 - Maintenance Test Pilot Rotary Wing	34.91
15088 - Non-Maintenance Test/Co-Pilot	34.91
15090 - Technical Instructor	17.65
15095 - Technical Instructor/Course Developer	21.58
15110 - Test Proctor	13.87
15120 - Tutor	13.87
16000 - Laundry Dry-Cleaning Pressing And Related Occupations	
16010 - Assembler	9.78
16030 - Counter Attendant	9.78
16040 - Dry Cleaner	11.30
16070 - Finisher Flatwork Machine	9.78
16090 - Presser Hand	9.78
16110 - Presser Machine Drycleaning	9.78
16130 - Presser Machine Shirts	9.78
16160 - Presser Machine Wearing Apparel Laundry	9.78
16190 - Sewing Machine Operator	11.94
16220 - Tailor	12.44
16250 - Washer Machine	10.24
19000 - Machine Tool Operation And Repair Occupations	
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Tool Room)	16.40
19040 - Tool And Die Maker	20.61
21000 - Materials Handling And Packing Occupations	
21020 - Forklift Operator	13.96
21030 - Material Coordinator	21.78
21040 - Material Expediter	21.78
21050 - Material Handling Laborer	11.37
21071 - Order Filler	9.66
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)	13.96
21110 - Shipping Packer	14.47
21130 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk	14.47
21140 - Store Worker I	14.48
21150 - Stock Clerk	20.34
21210 - Tools And Parts Attendant	13.96
21410 - Warehouse Specialist	13.96
23000 - Mechanics And Maintenance And Repair Occupations	
23010 - Aerospace Structural Welder	20.69
23019 - Aircraft Logs and Records Technician	16.09
23021 - Aircraft Mechanic I	19.70
23022 - Aircraft Mechanic II	20.69
23023 - Aircraft Mechanic III	21.74
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper	13.70
23050 - Aircraft Painter	18.50
23060 - Aircraft Servicer	16.09

23070 - Aircraft Survival Flight Equipment Technician	18.50
23080 - Aircraft Worker	17.38
23091 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic I	17.38
23092 - Aircrew Life Support Equipment (ALSE) Mechanic II	19.70
23110 - Appliance Mechanic	16.40
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	13.17
23125 - Cable Splicer	19.59
23130 - Carpenter Maintenance	15.10
23140 - Carpet Layer	15.33
23160 - Electrician Maintenance	18.05
23181 - Electronics Technician Maintenance I	15.33
23182 - Electronics Technician Maintenance II	16.40
23183 - Electronics Technician Maintenance III	18.31
23260 - Fabric Worker	14.27
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	15.43
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	13.17
23311 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	17.46
23312 - Fuel Distribution System Operator	13.17
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	11.96
23380 - Ground Support Equipment Mechanic	19.70
23381 - Ground Support Equipment Servicer	16.09
23382 - Ground Support Equipment Worker	17.38
23391 - Gunsmith I	13.17
23392 - Gunsmith II	15.33
23393 - Gunsmith III	17.46
23410 - Heating Ventilation And Air-Conditioning Mechanic	17.16
23411 - Heating Ventilation And Air Contidioning Mechanic (Research Facility)	18.25
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic	17.64
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	16.26
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	17.46
23465 - Laboratory/Shelter Mechanic	16.40
23470 - Laborer	11.37
23510 - Locksmith	16.40
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	23.13
23550 - Machinist Maintenance	17.46
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	10.67
23591 - Metrology Technician I	17.46
23592 - Metrology Technician II	18.56
23593 - Metrology Technician III	19.66
23640 - Millwright	17.46
23710 - Office Appliance Repairer	16.40
23760 - Painter Maintenance	13.95
23790 - Pipefitter Maintenance	17.64
23810 - Plumber Maintenance	16.57
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	17.46
23850 - Rigger	17.46

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23870 - Scale Mechanic	15.33
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker Maintenance	16.09
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	15.33
23931 - Telecommunications Mechanic I	19.01
23932 - Telecommunications Mechanic II	19.76
23950 - Telephone Lineman	18.24
23960 - Welder Combination Maintenance	17.92
23965 - Well Driller	17.46
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	17.46
23980 - Woodworker	13.17
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24550 - Case Manager	14.54
24570 - Child Care Attendant	10.09
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	12.58
24610 - Chore Aide	10.56
24620 - Family Readiness And Support Services Coordinator	14.54
24630 - Homemaker	16.12
25000 - Plant And System Operations Occupations	
25010 - Boiler Tender	17.46
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	19.63
25070 - Stationary Engineer	17.46
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	12.06
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator	19.63
27000 - Protective Service Occupations	
27004 - Alarm Monitor	10.90
27007 - Baggage Inspector	9.40
27008 - Corrections Officer	12.05
27010 - Court Security Officer	12.05
27030 - Detection Dog Handler	10.90
27040 - Detention Officer	12.05
27070 - Firefighter	12.05
27101 - Guard I	9.40
27102 - Guard II	10.90
27131 - Police Officer I	12.05
27132 - Police Officer II	13.40
28000 - Recreation Occupations	
28041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	12.79
28042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	13.97
28043 - Carnival Worker	9.45
28210 - Gate Attendant/Gate Tender	13.18
28310 - Lifeguard	11.01
28350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	14.74
28510 - Recreation Aide/Health Facility Attendant	11.84
28515 - Recreation Specialist	18.26
28630 - Sports Official	11.74
28690 - Swimming Pool Operator	17.71
29000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupational Services	
29010 - Blocker And Bracer	21.47
29020 - Hatch Tender	21.47

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29030 - Line Handler	21.47
29041 - Stevedore I	19.98
29042 - Stevedore II	22.96
30000 - Technical Occupations	
30010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Center (HFO) (see 2)	38.78
30011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Station (HFO) (see 2)	26.74
30012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist Terminal (HFO) (see 2)	29.45
30021 - Archeological Technician I	17.49
30022 - Archeological Technician II	19.56
30023 - Archeological Technician III	24.21
30030 - Cartographic Technician	23.18
30040 - Civil Engineering Technician	23.08
30051 - Cryogenic Technician I	25.57
30052 - Cryogenic Technician II	28.24
30061 - Drafter/CAD Operator I	17.49
30062 - Drafter/CAD Operator II	19.56
30063 - Drafter/CAD Operator III	20.77
30064 - Drafter/CAD Operator IV	25.57
30081 - Engineering Technician I	14.84
30082 - Engineering Technician II	16.66
30083 - Engineering Technician III	18.64
30084 - Engineering Technician IV	23.08
30085 - Engineering Technician V	28.24
30086 - Engineering Technician VI	34.16
30090 - Environmental Technician	23.08
30095 - Evidence Control Specialist	23.08
30210 - Laboratory Technician	20.77
30221 - Latent Fingerprint Technician I	25.57
30222 - Latent Fingerprint Technician II	28.24
30240 - Mathematical Technician	23.34
30361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	19.44
30362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	23.68
30363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	28.99
30364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	33.88
30375 - Petroleum Supply Specialist	28.24
30390 - Photo-Optics Technician	21.93
30395 - Radiation Control Technician	28.24
30461 - Technical Writer I	23.08
30462 - Technical Writer II	28.24
30463 - Technical Writer III	34.16
30491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I	24.65
30492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II	29.82
30493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III	35.74
30494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	24.65
30495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	24.65
30501 - Weather Forecaster I	25.57
30502 - Weather Forecaster II	31.09
30620 - Weather Observer Combined Upper Air Or Surface Programs	(see 2) 20.77
30621 - Weather Observer Senior	(see 2) 23.08

31000 - Transportation/Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations	
31010 - Airplane Pilot	29.82
31020 - Bus Aide	8.15
31030 - Bus Driver	9.69
31043 - Driver Courier	9.69
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	9.55
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	10.59
31310 - Taxi Driver	9.43
31361 - Truckdriver Light	10.59
31362 - Truckdriver Medium	11.61
31363 - Truckdriver Heavy	13.92
31364 - Truckdriver Tractor-Trailer	13.92
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations	
99020 - Cabin Safety Specialist	14.54
99030 - Cashier	9.33
99050 - Desk Clerk	9.70
99095 - Embalmer	24.65
99130 - Flight Follower	24.65
99251 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker I	22.25
99252 - Laboratory Animal Caretaker II	24.31
99260 - Marketing Analyst	21.54
99310 - Mortician	24.65
99410 - Pest Controller	14.61
99510 - Photofinishing Worker	12.95
99710 - Recycling Laborer	14.32
99711 - Recycling Specialist	21.66
99730 - Refuse Collector	13.63
99810 - Sales Clerk	9.66
99820 - School Crossing Guard	16.44
99830 - Survey Party Chief	22.02
99831 - Surveying Aide	12.52
99832 - Surveying Technician	16.27
99840 - Vending Machine Attendant	22.25
99841 - Vending Machine Repairer	28.30
99842 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	22.25

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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706 Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Service Contract Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work up to 56 hours of paid

sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness injury or other health-related needs including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill injured or has other health-related needs including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is the victim of domestic violence sexual assault or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at [www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts](http://www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts).

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: Life accident and health insurance plans sick leave pension plans civic and personal leave severance pay and savings and thrift plans. Minimum employer contributions costing an average of \$4.54 per hour computed on the basis of all hours worked by service employees employed on the contract.

HEALTH & WELFARE EO 13706: Minimum employer contributions costing an average of \$4.22 per hour computed on the basis of all hours worked by service employees employed on the covered contracts. \*

\*This rate is to be used only when compensating employees for performance on an SCA-covered contract also covered by EO 13706 Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors. A contractor may not receive credit toward its SCA obligations for any paid sick leave provided pursuant to EO 13706.

VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; and 4 weeks after 3 years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor wherever employed and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year: New Year's Day Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday Washington's Birthday Memorial Day Independence Day Labor Day Columbus Day Veterans' Day Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. (A contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay in accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR 4.174)

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THE OCCUPATIONS WHICH HAVE NUMBERED FOOTNOTES IN PARENTHESES RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING:

1) COMPUTER EMPLOYEES: Under the SCA at section 8(b) this wage determination does not apply to any employee who individually qualifies as a bona fide executive administrative or professional employee as defined in 29 C.F.R. Part 541. Because most Computer System Analysts and Computer Programmers who are compensated at a rate not less than \$27.63 (or on a salary or fee basis at a rate not less than \$455 per week) an hour would likely qualify as exempt computer professionals (29 C.F.R. 541.400) wage rates may not be listed on this wage determination for all occupations within those job families. In addition because this wage determination may not list a wage rate for some or all occupations within those job families if the survey data indicates that the prevailing wage rate for the occupation equals or exceeds \$27.63 per hour conformances may be necessary for certain nonexempt employees. For example if an individual employee is nonexempt but nevertheless performs duties within the scope of one of the Computer Systems Analyst or Computer Programmer occupations for which this wage determination does not specify an SCA wage rate then the wage rate for that employee must be conformed in accordance with the conformance procedures described in the conformance note included on this wage determination.

Additionally because job titles vary widely and change quickly in the computer industry job titles are not determinative of the application of the computer professional exemption. Therefore the exemption applies only to computer employees who satisfy the compensation requirements and whose primary duty consists of:

(1) The application of systems analysis techniques and procedures including consulting with users to determine hardware software or system functional specifications;

(2) The design development documentation analysis creation testing or modification of computer systems or programs including prototypes based on and related to user or system design specifications;

(3) The design documentation testing creation or modification of computer programs related to machine operating systems; or

(4) A combination of the aforementioned duties the performance of which requires the same level of skills. (29 C.F.R. 541.400).

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2) AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS AND WEATHER OBSERVERS - NIGHT PAY & SUNDAY PAY: If you work at night as part of a regular tour of duty you will earn a night differential and receive an additional 10% of basic pay for any hours worked between 6pm and 6am.

If you are a full-time employed (40 hours a week) and Sunday is part of your regularly scheduled workweek you are paid at your rate of basic pay plus a Sunday premium of 25% of your basic rate for each hour of Sunday work which is not overtime

(i.e. occasional work on Sunday outside the normal tour of duty is considered overtime work).

**\*\* HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL \*\***

An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordnance explosives and incendiary materials. This includes work such as screening blending dying mixing and pressing of sensitive ordnance explosives and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide black powder and photoflash powder. All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives. Demilitarization modification renovation demolition and maintenance operations on sensitive ordnance explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving re-grading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordnance (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands face or arms of the employee engaged in the operation irritation of the skin minor burns and the like; minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. All operations involving unloading storage and hauling of ordnance explosive and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordnance explosives and incendiary material differential pay.

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**\*\* UNIFORM ALLOWANCE \*\***

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract by the employer by the state or local law etc.) the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost) reimburse all employees for such cleaning and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear" materials may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning daily washing or commercial laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms

of the Government contract by the contractor by law or by the nature of the work there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.

\*\* SERVICE CONTRACT ACT DIRECTORY OF OCCUPATIONS \*\*

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" Fifth Edition (Revision 1) dated September 2015 unless otherwise indicated.

\*\* REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE Standard Form 1444 (SF-1444) \*\*

Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e. the work to

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be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination) be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e. appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination (See 29 CFR

4.6(b)(2)(i)). Such conforming procedures shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)). The Wage and Hour Division shall make a final determination of conformed classification wage rate and/or fringe benefits which shall be paid to all employees performing in the classification from the first day of work on which contract work is performed by them in the classification. Failure to pay such unlisted employees the compensation agreed upon by the interested parties and/or fully determined by the Wage and Hour Division retroactive to the date such class of employees commenced contract work shall be a violation of the Act

and this contract. (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(v)). When multiple wage determinations are

included in a contract a separate SF-1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

1) When preparing the bid the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation(s) and computes a proposed rate(s).

2) After contract award the contractor prepares a written report listing in order the proposed classification title(s) a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification(s) job description(s) and rationale for proposed wage rate(s) including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved or where there is no authorized representative the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees performs any contract work.

3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report of the action together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees to the U.S. Department of Labor Wage and Hour Division for review (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(ii)).

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4) Within 30 days of receipt the Wage and Hour Division approves modifies or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.

5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour Division's decision to the contractor.

6) Each affected employee shall be furnished by the contractor with a written copy of such determination or it shall be posted as a part of the wage determination (See 29 CFR 4.6(b)(2)(iii)).

Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF-1444 or bond paper.

When preparing a conformance request the ""Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations"" should be used to compare job definitions to ensure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember it is not the job title but the required tasks that determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split combine or subdivide classifications listed in the wage determination (See 29 CFR 4.152(c)(1))."