



State of West Virginia
 Department of Administration
 Purchasing Division
 2019 Washington Street East
 Post Office Box 50130
 Charleston, WV 25305-0130

Request for Quotation

RFQ NUMBER
 LBS80427

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ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO ATTENTION OF
 ROBERTA WAGNER
 304-558-0067

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VENDOR

SHIP TO

HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES
 BPH - LABORATORY SERVICES

 167-ELEVENTH AVENUE
 SOUTH CHARLESTON, WV
 25303 304-558-3530

DATE PRINTED	TERMS OF SALE	SHIP VIA	F.O.B.	FREIGHT TERMS
09/05/2007				
BID OPENING DATE: 09/20/2007		BID OPENING TIME 01:30PM		

LINE	QUANTITY	UOP	CAT NO	ITEM NUMBER	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
ADDENDUM NO. 1 1. BID OPENING DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED FROM 9/13/2007 TO 9/20/2007. 2. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ARE ATTACHED. 3. ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT IS ATTACHED. THIS DOCUMENT SHOULD BE SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH YOUR BID. FAILURE TO SIGN AND RETURN MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF YOUR BID. END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1						

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS

SIGNATURE	TELEPHONE	DATE
TITLE	FEIN	ADDRESS CHANGES TO BE NOTED ABOVE

WHEN RESPONDING TO RFQ, INSERT NAME AND ADDRESS IN SPACE ABOVE LABELED 'VENDOR'

**GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS
REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)**

1. Awards will be made in the best interest of the State of West Virginia.
2. The State may accept or reject in part, or in whole, any bid.
3. All quotations are governed by the *West Virginia Code* and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division.
4. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125.00 registration fee.
5. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Orders/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contract, contingent upon funds being appropriated by the Legislature or otherwise being made available. In the event funds are not appropriated or otherwise available for these services or goods, this Purchase Order/Contract becomes void and of no effect after June 30.
6. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
7. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
8. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
9. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
10. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
11. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern all rights and duties under the Contract, including without limitation the validity of this Purchase Order/Contract.
12. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
13. **BANKRUPTCY:** In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, this contract is automatically null and void, and is terminated without further order.
14. **HIPAA Business Associate Addendum -** The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, and available online at the Purchasing Division's web site (<http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm>) is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that, the Agency meets the definition of a Covered Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division.
2. **SPECIFICATIONS:** Items offered must be in compliance with the specifications. Any deviation from the specifications must be clearly indicated by the bidder. Alternates offered by the bidder as **EQUAL** to the specifications must be clearly defined. A bidder offering an alternate should attach complete specifications and literature to the bid. The Purchasing Division may waive minor deviations to specifications.
3. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
4. Unit prices shall prevail in cases of discrepancy.
5. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
6. **BID SUBMISSION:** All quotations must be delivered by the bidder to the office listed below prior to the date and time of the bid opening. Failure of the bidder to deliver the quotations on time will result in bid disqualifications.

SIGNED BID TO:

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ADDENDUM #1

IV. Assay specifications for detection of total antibodies to Hepatitis B Core Antigen (Anti-HBc)

Specification: Must use a monoclonal antibody directed to the immunodominant of Hepatitis B Core Antigen as the basis for the enzyme immunoassay.

Response: Either monoclonal antibody or affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody is an acceptable process to capture IgM for the detection of total antibodies to Hepatitis B. Core Antigen (Anti-HBC).

Specification: Must have an analytical sensitivity of 0.4 u/ml using single-point serial dilutions of a standard preparation from the Paul-Ehrlich-Institute (PEI) or better.

Response: Analytical sensitivity ranging from 0.4 - 0.5 PEI is acceptable for this qualitative assay.

Specification: The principle must be direct antibody, sandwich EIA in a solid phase microwell.

Response: Upon review of the principle of the procedure, it is agreed that the term "sandwich" is not the appropriate description of the method. It is an 'antibody-capture, non-competitive EIA in a solid phase microwell'.

Assay specifications for the detection of IgM Antibody to Hepatitis B Core Antigen (IgM anti-HBc).

Specification: Must have an analytical sensitivity of 25u/ml using single-point serial dilutions of a standard preparation from the Paul-Ehrlich-Institute (PEI or better).

Response: Analytical sensitivity of the assay specifications for the detection of IgM Antibody to Hepatitis B Core Antigen of 25-50 u/ml is acceptable.

PURCHASING CONTINUATION SHEET

Buyer: RW-22	Page 3	Req. or P.O. No.: LBS80427
Spending Unit: Office of Laboratory Services		

Vendor:

Requisition No.: LBS80427

ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the following checked addendum(s) and have made the necessary revisions to my proposal, plans and/or specifications, etc.

Addendum No.'s:

No. 1 _____

No. 2 _____

No. 3 _____

No. 4 _____

No. 5 _____

I understand that failure to confirm the receipt of the addendum(s) may be cause for rejection of bids.

Signature

Company

Date