Question: When will the RFPs be released on the website?

Answer: Please check the website in mid-June 2023.

Question: Is there a separate contract for mental health treatment therapy services that will be separate from urine testing?

Answer: Yes, you can itemize which service(s) you wish to provide.

Question: Do we have to provide all listed services, or may we pick which service(s) we plan to use?

Answer: You can select which service(s) you wish to provide and are not required to provide all the listed services.

Question: Is there a need for mental health/assessment services in Emmet, Charlevoix, Antrim, Otsego, and Cheboygan Counties? If yes, do you have specific forms I will need to use for the submission process?

Answer: Yes, there is a need for services in the listed counties. Please check our website in mid-June where you will find more information and instructions regarding the proposal submission process.

Question: The RFP does not disclose a funding amount for this opportunity. Is there a budget for this project?

Answer: We are unable to disclose our budget for services. You can refer to the RFP process on our website and make a proposal based on your analysis for the services you wish to provide.

Question: Is there a start date for the project?

Answer: The start date for the awarded contract(s) is October 1, 2023.

Question: What are the steps to get the process started?

Answer: Please check our website the next week or so, where you will find our Request for Proposals, frequently asked questions, and instructions. Here is the link: www.miwp.uscourts.gov/solicitations

Question: Where can we go for more information on providing services?

Answer: Please visit the internet page www.miwp.uscourts.gov/solicitations and/or send questions to treatmentservices@miwp.uscourts.gov

Question: When we submit these with our price per session, can we bill their insurance on top of what we are in contract with the USPO for? And what (if you're allowed to disclose) is the standard range the price point is at.

Answer: You would invoice us the services you provided for that month and then we would reimburse you directly the following month, so insurance would not be involved. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide a price point.

Question: Because we are a current provider, am I reading that correctly that we are not required to submit 3 references as part of the proposal process unless we are bidding on something new?

Answer: Correct, offerors who are currently awarded an agreement with the USPO/USPSO are not required to provide references.

Question: I noticed that the Ottawa County SA04 services is requiring group services. As a current provider, our office has historically not received enough referrals to create a viable group. Although we are capable and willing to run a group, will number of referrals be taken into account for not providing a group service if awarded?

Answer: The EMQ's are estimates only and do not bind the government (or treatment provider) to meet the estimates.

Question: In the Kent SA05 RFP (and other counties), I noticed that 2090 (Treatment Readiness Groups) is a service we should provide, but I don't see a place to bid on that services in Section B of those proposals.

Answer: We are not requesting 2090 - Treatment Readiness Group as a service.