

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NO.: 07C-006B - RFP FOR NURSING SERVICES

DATE:	May 1, 2007	DATE ADVERTISED:	March 30, 2007
DATE SOLICITED:	March 28, 2007	DATE OPENED:	April 25, 2007
PRESENTED TO BOARD:	June 27, 2007	DATE POSTED:	May 16, 2007

CONTRACT PERIOD: July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2012
FUNDING SOURCE: IDEA Budget - Health Related Contracts
REQUESTING DEPARTMENT: Exceptional Student Education

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The financial impact to the IDEA Grant budget is estimated at \$6,000,000 for a five year contract period. The source of funds is the Exceptional Student Education budget.

Services to be provided include nursing services to individual students whose medical needs are so severe as to require a nurse during the school day in accordance with state and federal guidelines. Services are provided by Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Visiting Nurses and Certified Nurse Assistants. Services also include training for District staff on procedures such as tube feeding, catheterization, seizure precautions, etc.

<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>MINORITY STATUS</u>	<u>TOTAL POINTS AWARDED</u>
All Metro Home Care Services of Florida, Inc.	---	<u>87</u>
Just For Kids, Inc.	6	<u>99</u>
Maxim Healthcare Services, Inc.	---	<u>80</u>

LEGEND:

_____ = Award

() = Reject

MINORITY - (2-Black, 3-Hispanic, 4-Indian/Alaska, 5-Asian, 6-Women, 7-Disabled, 8-Other)

EXCEPTIONS:

InteliStaf Healthcare, Inc. submitted a non-responsive proposal and therefore was not evaluated.

The Evaluation Committee, consisting of District staff, convened and reviewed all responsive proposals. It was the recommendation of the Committee to award this contract to all responsive, responsible proposers.

RECOMMENDATION: I recommend contract award be made to all responsive, responsible proposers based on the evaluation criteria outlined in the RFP.

Note: Original RFP document is available upon request.

RFP PROTEST

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in §120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and applicable Board rules, regulations and policies. Offers from the vendors listed herein are the only offers received timely as of the above opening date and time. All other offers submitted in response to this solicitation, if any, are hereby rejected as late.

If a proposer wishes to protest a RFP, they must do so in strict accordance with the procedures outlined in FS 120.57(3). Any person who files an action protesting a decision or intended decision pertaining to this RFP pursuant to FS 120.57(3)(b), shall post with the Purchasing Department, at the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond secured by an acceptable surety company in Florida payable to the School District of Palm Beach County in an amount equal to 1 percent (1%) of the total estimated contract value, but not less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000. Bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs that may be adjudged against the protester in the administrative hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, a cashier's check, certified bank check, bank certified company check or money order will be acceptable form of security. If, after completion of the administrative hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, the District prevails, it shall recover all costs and charges included in the final order of judgment, including charges by the Division of Administrative Hearings. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protester, the protest security shall be returned. If the protest prevails, he or she shall recover from the District all costs and charges, which shall be included in the final order of judgment.

DISQUALIFYING CRIMES

The bidder certifies by submission of this bid, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by the State of Florida or Federal Government. Further, bidder certifies that it has divulged, in its bid response, information regarding any of these actions or proposed actions with other governmental agencies.

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Evaluation Criteria	ALL METRO HOME CARE SERVICES OF FLORIDA, INC.	JUST FOR KIDS, INC.	MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC.	
1. Experience and Qualifications of the Firm (Points Available: 35)	35	35	33	
2. Scope of Services (Points available:30)	28	30	26	
3. Cost of Services (Points Available: 25)	24	24	21	
5. Minority/Women Business Participation (Points Available: 10)	-0-	10	-0-	
GRAND TOTAL	87	99	80	