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SOI NUMBER:	DUE DATE:	DUE TIME:
5-2818	December 3, 2018	5:00 PM EST
SOI TITLE:	SOI - Public Private Partnership	

ADDENDUM NUMBER: 3

DATE ADDENDUM ISSUED: November 1, 2018

FOR: The University of Connecticut Health Center

NOTE: All responses to proposer inquiries shall become part of the Solicitation of Interest

(SOI) & proposer responses. The deadline for submitting questions remains

11/5/18. However, we will review & answer questions on a rolling basis & post

daily updates to this website of questions rec'd & responses thereto.

This addendum is two (2) pages in length, the remainder of pages are included

herein by reference.

This Addendum must be *Signed & Returned* with your submission.

Authorized Signature of Proposer

Company Name

Approved By: _____

Margaret Gilbert
UConn Health Buyer
(Original Signature on Document in Procurement Files)

UConn Health - 5-2818 SOI Public Private Partnership			
Date	UConn Health RFI Section	Supplier Question	UConn Health Response
10/23/2018	Exhibit A 3a	Is a joint submission permitted in light of the language in Exhibit A 3a which requires that responder(s) attest that "[t]he response is not made in connection with any other person or entity submitting a response to this SOI...?"	Yes, joint submissions are indeed permitted, provided that each joint respondent is clearly identified in the response submitted.
10/31/2018	General	Can a party submit more than one option in their proposal?	Yes. Parties are encouraged to include a variety of options in their proposals.
10/31/2018	General	What is the timetable following the December 3 rd deadline?	Following the December 3 rd deadline, UConn Health will evaluate all proposals received and select a limited number of candidates to proceed to the next stage. UConn Health anticipates signing a letter of intent (or letters of intent) with one or more parties in late 2018 or early 2019.
10/31/2018	General	Will there be proposals from non-hospital entities?	The SOI does not limit the types of organizations that may submit proposals, and UConn Health has not preselected a preferred partner or type of partner. Consequently, there may be proposals from a range of organization types, including (but not limited to) hospitals, health systems, physician groups, and other health care entities.
10/31/2018	General	Will a final deal have to go through a legislative process for approval?	It is too soon to tell whether a final deal (or any part of a final deal) will require formal legislative approval. This will largely depend on the nature of the transaction.
10/31/2018	General	Can we use outside consultants?	Yes
11/1/2018	General	Can potentially interested parties review UConn Health's current physician compensation models?	The vast majority of UConn Health's physicians are compensated under either the Faculty Merit Plan or the Alternative Bonus Plan, which are described in Article 13 of UConn Health's Collective Bargaining Agreement with the American Association of University Professors (AAUP), available at https://health.uconn.edu/human-resources/services/employee-labor-relations/collective-bargaining/ .
11/1/2018	General	Several potentially interested parties have asked about the following language in the SOI Process Letter: "Any proposal submitted by you will be treated in a confidential manner and not released publicly while UCH evaluates the proposal. In addition, should your proposal include trade secrets or other commercial or financial information that you deem to be proprietary or highly confidential and which you consistently take measures to protect from disclosure, clearly mark those specific sections" Specifically, interested parties have asked whether UConn Health can assure them that it will not publicly disclose any documents that are marked consistent with the above highlighted language. Several parties have indicated that, absent such assurances, they will not submit a proposal in light of the highly competitive nature of the healthcare market place.	UConn Health will not publicly disclose any documents it receives from interested parties before a final contract is executed or negotiations for the award of a contract have ended (whichever occurs earlier). Moreover, UConn Health will never publicly disclose documents that fall into the above highlighted categories because such documents are not subject to public disclosure under FOIA.