

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
OFFICE OF HEALTH STRATEGY**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)
FOR
HEALTH CARE COST GROWTH AND QUALITY BENCHMARKS AND PRIMARY
CARE SPEND TARGET CONSULTING SERVICES**

FIRST Addendum

RELEASE DATE 2/11/2020

The OHS's official responses to questions submitted as of noon, February 11, 2020 are as follows:

1. Do you anticipate extending the bid due date?

Response: No

2. What additional details are you willing to provide, if any, beyond what is stated in bid documents concerning how you will identify the winning bid?

Response: We will review the experience, qualifications, scope and specifics of each proposal based upon how responsive each is to each element of the Scope of Work:

1. Project planning, coordination and implementation
 - a. Health policy project management
 - b. Development of, or assistance developing, required reports and other documentation related to the Project
 2. Data analytic services, including but not limited to:
 - a. Data gap analysis,
 - b. Health care cost growth modelling:
 - i. By public and private payers and providers across all populations by health care sector, accounting for underlying contributors to cost, such as pharmaceutical, device manufacturer and administrative costs,
 - ii. Development, with evidentiary justification, of cost growth benchmarks and primary care spending targets,
 - iii. Development of a methodology for data collection to support the monitoring of entities against the benchmarks and targets
 3. Stakeholder engagement and meeting facilitation
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3. Was this bid posted to the nationwide free bid notification website at www.mygovwatch.com?

Response: No

4. Other than your own website, where was this bid posted?

Response: This was posted, pursuant to Connecticut Procurement rules, to the State Contracting Portal, at

https://biznet.ct.gov/SCP_Search/BidDetail.aspx?CID=52383