# STATE OF ALASKA RFP NUMBER 2013-0200-1396

## AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN



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#### THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

## **DATE AMENDMENT ISSUED: January 18, 2013**

**RFP TITLE:** (1) Medical Claims Administration and Managed Network, (2) Pharmacy Benefit Management Services, (3) Healthcare Management, and (4) Dental Claims Administration and Managed Network RFP

**IMPORTANT NOTE TO OFFERORS:** Only the following items/sections referenced in this amendment are to be changed. All other terms and conditions of the original Request for Proposals remain the same. This amendment is being issued to update the timeline, as well provide responses to Offerors' questions.

#### The updated timeline is as follows:

Offeror Q & A posted
 Deadline for Receipt of Proposals
 January 9 - 18, 2013
 February 8, 2013

• Phone Interviews February 25 – March 1, 2013

• PEC completes evaluation of proposals

March 15, 2013

and Best and Final Offers if required
Notice of Intent to Award a Contract issued
March 22, 2013

State of Alaska issues contract
 Delivery of Implementation/Transition Plan
 April 3, 2013
 April 10, 2013

Transition Period through: TBD

Actual services start:
 TBD (the State will work with the

Offeror(s) selected to identify a mutually agreed upon start date)

#### Additional comments:

- The additional Offeror Questions and Responses have been posted to the eRFP tool.
- Attachments J1 J4 have been posted again to the eRFP tool to provide unique claim numbers.
- Attachment M4 with aggregated vision data has been posted.
- Attachments M8 and M9 with Active and Retiree Utilization and Case Management Activity have been posted.
- Buck Consultants prefers to follow the lead of the State and will not sign Non-Disclosure Agreements (NDAs).
- Please note section 1.12 of the Introduction and Instructions document:
  - Oconfidential material, including trade secrets and proprietary data, contained in proposals may be held confidential if the Offeror requests in writing that the Procurement Officer do so, and if the Procurement Officer agrees in writing to do so. Material considered confidential by the Offeror must be clearly identified and the Offeror must include a brief statement that sets out the reasons for confidentiality. The Buck eRFP system allows Offerors to specify information provided in the Ouestionnaires as confidential.