



THE STATE  
of **ALASKA**  
GOVERNOR MIKE DUNLEAVY

**Department of Corrections**  
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
Anchorage Procurement Section

550 W. 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 1800  
Anchorage, AK 99501-3569  
Phone: 907.334-0851  
Fax: 907.269.7345  
Email: [april.akers@alaska.gov](mailto:april.akers@alaska.gov)

March 6, 2020

To: Vendor List

Re: Amendment # ONE (1)  
RFP#200000060  
Statewide Nurse Relief Services  
RFP Due Date: 3/27/20 @ 2:00 PM AST

The following questions have been asked by a vendor and the department's response:

1. **Vendor:** Can you provide the current incumbent vendors providing Nurse Relief Services Statewide?

**Department:** Current contract holders are Maxim Healthcare Services Inc., Worldwide Travel Staffing, Ltd., Cell Staff, LLC.

2. **Vendor:** Can you provide the current incumbent regular and overtime hourly bill rates for RN and LPN service lines?

**Department:** Current contracts state the following: No separate overtime rate is billable. The same 'regular rate per hour' established for each level of service (RN, LPN, CNA) applies for all hours worked.

Maxim Healthcare Services Inc.

RN Rates: \$80.00 per hour

LPN Rates: \$61.00 per hour

Worldwide Travel Staffing, Ltd.

RN Rates: \$77.42 per hour

LPN Rates: \$58.52 per hour

Cell Staff, LLC

RN Rates: \$74.00 per hour

LPN Rates: \$54.00 per hour

3. **Vendor:** What is the total annual expenditure of the current contract in 2018, 2019 and YTD 2020?

**Department:** The department runs on a fiscal year from July 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>.

Fiscal Year 18: \$864,437.53

Fiscal Year 19: \$703,650.94

Fiscal Year 20 (YTD): \$340,944.25

4. **Vendor:** Can you please confirm that the proposals can be submitted through the Alaska VSS Portal? Section 1.08 on page 6 only stated delivery options via mail or email.

**Department:** Proposals cannot be submitted through the Alaska VSS Portal. Please refer to Sec. 1.08 Return Instructions on page 6 for submitting a proposal.

END OF AMENDMENT #1

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "April Akers". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "April" and last name "Akers" clearly distinguishable.

April Akers  
Procurement Specialist