

Request for Information

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State of Alaska
Department of Family and Community Services
Alaska Pioneer Homes

Date Issued: 1/17/23

ATP Medication Packaging Equipment for APH

Introduction:

The Alaska Pioneer Homes (APH) is looking for vendors that sell and maintain the Automated Tablet Dispenser (ATP) medication (tablets and capsules) packaging machine for their pharmacy. Specifically, the ATP Model.

Background Information:

APH initially purchased medication packaging machinery in 2012 but was recently told by that vendor that the software and equipment for their current model would no longer be updated and maintained. The pharmacy fills 87078 prescriptions per year, 44 prescriptions per hour. Packaging needs to be unit dosed and individually labeled with patient name, date, and time to dispense. Packaging equipment needs to accommodate a minimum of 320 different medications at one time. The equipment needs to fill and label at least 12,000 bags in 8 hours. In addition, the packaging software needs to interface specifically with Frameworks LTC software.

Response Information:

How to Participate

Interested applicants/firms who believe they can provide the machinery described above should indicate their interest by submitting an electronic response (.pdf format is preferable) with the following information:

- Quote including company name and contact information – including Delivery, Installation, Training and Annual Maintenance Costs, Software integration with eHR, Billing Software, and the disposal fee of old packaging equipment.

Submission Instructions:

Applicants/firms must submit their response as a PDF file, sent via email, on or before **January 26th, 2023, 2:30PM**. The response should be attached to the email with RFI ATP2 Medication Packaging Equipment for APH included as the subject line of the email to the following:

Dani Olsen

Procurement Specialist III

Alaska Department of Health

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It is the responsibility of the interested party to follow up with the procurement specialist shown above to ensure that response was received prior to the time and date specified at the top of this RFI.

Important Notice:

This RFI does not extend any rights to prospective vendors or obligate the state to conduct a solicitation or purchase any goods or services. Nor will the State be financially responsible for any costs associated with the preparation of any response for the requested information. This RFI is issued for the sole purpose of obtaining information as described in this notice. However, the information obtained from this request may be used to prepare a purchase, contract, or solicitation in the future.