

Notice of Intent to Award

29 January 2019

Procurement Type and Number	IFB #19-17
Procurement Title	Part Time Clinical Director - Psychiatrist
Opening Date and Time	29 January 2019, 1:00 P.M. CST

The following vendors submitted responses to the above solicitation:

- Weisser Psychiatric Services, LLC
90 Oak Brook Drive
Columbia, SC 29223

Responses were evaluated according to the criteria stated in the solicitation. We announce our intent to award a contract to the following vendor upon approval by the Public Procurement Review Board:

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We would like to thank each vendor for your time and efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation.

We invite you to contact Mr. Shannon Griffin, Director of Resource Management if you would like to request a post-award vendor debriefing where we can share with you any applicable information about **your response** including significant weaknesses or deficiencies, technical ratings, and overall ranking specific to **your company's response**. This debriefing is a meeting and not a hearing; therefore, legal representation is not required. However, if you prefer to have legal representation present, you must provide notification prior to the scheduled meeting so that we can also have legal representation present. Your request for debriefing must be received within three (3) business days after the issuance of this notice or **no later than 5:00 P.M. CST on 1 February 2019**.

Vendors are reminded that any protests of this decision must be submitted to Shannon Griffin, Director of Resource Management within seven (7) calendar days after the issuance of this notice or **no later than 5:00 P.M. CST on 5 February 2019**. The protest must be in writing, identify the name and address of the protestor, provide appropriate identification of the procurement and resulting contract number (if known), and detail the nature of the protest, including available supporting exhibits, evidence, or documents to substantiate any claims.

The successful vendor is instructed not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the project or services until execution of the contract.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the State of Mississippi.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shannon Griffin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Shannon" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Griffin".

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