

New York State Required Certifications RFP entitled: "Mental Health and Substance Use (MHSU) Disorder Program"

Offeror Name: ____

NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT IN NORTHERN IRELAND MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES

In accordance with Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992 the Contractor, by submission of this Certification, certifies that it or any individual or legal entity in which the Contractor holds a 10% or greater ownership interest, or any individual or legal entity that holds a 10% or greater ownership interest in the Contractor, either (answer "yes" or "no" to one or both of the following, as applicable):

Have business operations in Northern Ireland. Yes _____ or No _____

If yes:

Shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations they have in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles relating to nondiscrimination in employment and freedom of workplace opportunity regarding such operations in Northern Ireland and shall permit independent monitoring of their compliance with such Principles. Yes _____ or No _____

NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION

By submission of this Certification, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

- 1. The prices in this Agreement have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other competitor;
- 2. Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this Agreement have not been knowingly disclosed by the Contractor and will not knowingly be disclosed by the Contractor prior to contract approval, directly or indirectly, to any other competitor; and
- 3. No attempt has been made or will be made by the Contractor to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a price quote for the purpose of restricting competition.



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 177 CERTIFICATION

The New York State Human Rights Law, Article 15 of the Executive Law, prohibits discrimination and harassment based on age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, pregnancy or pregnancy-related conditions, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, marital status, familial status, domestic violence victim status, prior arrest or conviction record, military status or predisposing genetic characteristics.

The Human Rights Law may also require reasonable accommodation for persons with disabilities and pregnancy-related conditions. A reasonable accommodation is an adjustment to a job or work environment that enables a person with a disability to perform the essential functions of a job in a reasonable manner. The Human Rights Law may also require reasonable accommodation in employment on the basis of Sabbath observance or religious practices.

Generally, the Human Rights Law applies to:

- all employers of four or more people, employment agencies, labor organizations and apprenticeship training programs in all instances of discrimination or harassment;
- employers with fewer than four employees in all cases involving sexual harassment; and,
- any employer of domestic workers in cases involving sexual harassment or harassment based on gender, race, religion or national origin.

In accordance with Executive Order No. 177, the Contractor hereby certifies that it does not have institutional policies or practices that fail to address the harassment and discrimination of individuals on the basis of their age, race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, marital status, military status, or other protected status under the Human Rights Law.

Executive Order No. 177 and this certification do not affect institutional policies or practices that are protected by existing law, including but not limited to the First Amendment of the United States Constitution, Article 1, Section 3 of the New York State Constitution, and Section 296(11) of the New York State Human Rights Law.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT PREVENTION CERTIFICATION

State Finance Law §139-I requires bidders on state procurements to certify that they have a written policy addressing sexual harassment prevention in the workplace and provide annual sexual harassment training (that meets the Department of Labor's model policy and training standards) to all its employees.

By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that the bidder has and has implemented a written policy addressing sexual harassment prevention in the workplace and provides annual sexual harassment prevention training to all of its employees. Such policy shall, at a minimum, meet the requirements of section two hundred one-g of the Labor Law.

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(Note: Bids that do not contain this certification will not be considered for award; provided however, that if the bidder cannot make the certification, the bidder may provide a signed statement with the bid detailing the reasons why the sexual harassment prevention certification cannot be made.)

PUBLIC OFFICER LAW REQUIREMENTS AND CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE

The New York State Public Officers Law ("POL"), particularly POL Sections 73 and 74, as well as all other provisions of New York State law, rules and regulations, and policy establish ethical standards for current and former State employees. In submitting its Proposal, the Offeror must guarantee knowledge and full compliance with such provisions for purposes of this RFP and any other activities including, but not limited to, contracts, bids, offers, and negotiations. Failure to comply with these provisions may result in disqualification from the procurement process, termination, suspension or cancellation of the contract and criminal proceedings as may be required by law.

The Offeror hereby submits its affirmative statement as to the existence of, absence of, or potential for conflict of interest on the part of the Offeror because of prior, current, or proposed contracts, engagements, or affiliations.

Please provide below an affirmative statement as to the existence of, absence of, or potential for conflict of interest on the part of the Offeror because of prior, current, or proposed contracts, engagements, or affiliations. Please attach additional pieces of paper as necessary.



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Certification Under Executive Order No. 16

Prohibiting State Agencies and Authorities from Contracting with Businesses Conducting Business in Russia

Executive Order No. 16 provides that "all Affected State Entities are directed to refrain from entering into any new contract or renewing any existing contract with an entity conducting business operations in Russia." The complete text of Executive Order No. 16 can be found <u>https://www.governor.ny.gov/executive-order/no-16-prohibiting-state-agencies-and-authorities-contracting-businesses-conducting</u>.

The Executive Order remains in effect while sanctions imposed by the federal government are in effect. Accordingly, vendors who may be excluded from award because of current business operations in Russia are nevertheless encouraged to respond to solicitations to preserve their contracting opportunities in case the sanctions are lifted during a solicitation or even after award in the case of some solicitations.

As defined in Executive Order No. 16, an "entity conducting business operations in Russia" means an institution or company, wherever located, conducting any commercial activity in Russia or transacting business with the Russian Government or with commercial entities headquartered in Russia or with their principal place of business in Russia in the form of contracting, sales, purchasing, investment, or any business partnership.

Is Vendor an entity conducting business operations in Russia, as defined above? Please answer by checking one of the following boxes:

1. No, Vendor does not conduct business operations in Russia within the meaning of Executive Order No. 16.	
2.a. Yes, Vendor conducts business operations in Russia within the meaning of Executive Order No. 16 but has taken steps to wind down business operations in Russia or is in the process of winding down business operations in Russia. (Please provide a detailed description of the wind down process and a schedule for completion.)	
2.b. Yes, Vendor conducts business operations in Russia within the meaning of Executive Order No. 16 but only to the extent necessary to provide vital health and safety services within Russia or to comply with federal law, regulations, executive orders, or directives. (Please provide a detailed description of the services being provided or the relevant laws, regulations, etc.)	
3. Yes, Vendor conducts business operations in Russia within the meaning of Executive Order No. 16.	

The undersigned certifies under penalties of perjury that they are knowledgeable about the Vendor's

business and operations and that the answer provided herein is true to the best of their knowledge

and belief.

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Signature:	Title:
PRINT SIGNATORY'S NAME:	Date:
INDIVIDUAL, CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, OR LLC STATE OF }	C ACKNOWLEDGMENT Sworn Statement:
COUNTY OF }	Sworn Statement.
instrument, who, being duly sworn by me did depose and	known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing say that _he maintains an office at
Town of, State of,	: and further that:
Board of Directors of said corporation, _he is authorized to	oration described in said instrument; that, by authority of the o execute the foregoing instrument on behalf of the corporation uthority, _he executed the foregoing instrument in the name of
(If a partnership): _he is the	of
partnership, _he is authorized to execute the foregoing ins	nership described in said instrument; that, by the terms of said strument on behalf of the partnership for purposes set forth the foregoing instrument in the name of and on behalf of said
is authorized to execute the foregoing instrument on behal	e limited liability company described in said instrument; that, _he If of the limited liability company for purposes set forth therein; going instrument in the name of and on behalf of said limited
Notary Public	Date: