



SOLE SOURCE PUBLIC NOTICE

*****This is not a request for bids*****

The Washington State Health Care Authority (HCA) intends to enter into a sole source contract with Advocates for Human Potential for the development of an e-learning, module style training program on the principles of Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP)©. Wellness Action Recovery Plan (WRAP)© is a SAMHSA recognized evidence-based practice which provides a specific tool for people to recognize when they are entering crisis, and thus allows them to divert or reduce the impacts of crisis. Since Washington State has seen a significant increase in people needing to access behavioral health services, providing additional training and tools to Certified Peer Counselors (CPCs) is critical for managing this increase in need, and decreasing the burden on emergency and crisis services. As an evidenced-base practice, WRAP© provides the most effective way of preventing people who are experiencing a behavioral health crisis from entering psychiatric inpatient settings, and otherwise resulting in less cost to the state and less trauma to the person, their families, and their community. By creating an e-learning version of a training which teaches the principles of WRAP ©, HCA will be able to reach more CPCs (who might not be able to travel to a physical location for an in-person training) and allow them the flexibility to take the training when it is convenient to them, further increasing the number of CPCs who would be able to participate and thus support people in a behavioral health crisis.

The contract will be issued for the anticipated period of November 15, 2022, to March 14, 2023, with a projected value of \$70,000.00.

This is not an invitation to bid. However, contractors contemplating the above can submit capability statements demonstrating their ability to meet the state's requirements with a quote for providing the Principles of WRAP© e-learning Training within ten (10) business days of this announcement.

The following information must be included in any capability statements:

1. Knowledge and experience facilitating WRAP© trainings
2. Ability to use WRAP© training content to create a specialized training
3. Experience creating and administering e-learning programs
4. Experience providing virtual trainings for Certified Peer Counselors

Interested contractors will be considered only if they respond with clear and convincing documentation that they can meet the above requirements.

Capability statements must be submitted via email to the Sole Source Coordinator listed below, including the subject line provided, no later than November 9, 2022, at 5 p.m. Pacific Time. The emailed capability statement must be less than 25 Mb. Do not send zipped files.

Sole Source Coordinator Contact Information:

Brette Greenwood-Wing
E-mail: HCAProcurements@hca.wa.gov
Email Subject Line: K6002- Sole Source

Note: This contract requires a ten (10) day public inspection period and approval by the Washington State Department of Enterprise Services (DES). HCA will not finalize the contract unless or until DES approves. The proposed contract is available for public inspection, please reach out to the Sole Source Coordinator shown above to request a copy.