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Subject: NCI Bid Board Posting – Laboratory Testing Service

At the National Cancer Institute (NCI), The Laboratory of Pathology (LP) is an integral component of the research and clinical community. Our goal is to be a globally recognized center of excellence in disease research, clinical diagnostics, and pathology education. The mission of the Laboratory of Pathology is to achieve the highest level of quality in research, diagnostics, and education. We support the research mission of the NCI by investigating the biology and genetics of cancer and other diseases, developing and applying leading edge technology to diagnostic pathology, providing collaborative support for clinical research protocols In this endeavor, we value scientific originality, integrity, and productivity while maintaining the highest level of ethical principles.

The National Cancer Institute plans to purchase Laboratory Testing Services from Interpflow, Dunbarton, NH. This is not a request for competitive quotation. However, if any interested party believes it can meet the attached requirements, it may submit a statement of capabilities. The capability statement must be in writing and must contain information and material in sufficient detail to allow NCI to determine is the party can fully meet this requirement. The capability statement must be received in the contracting office by 11:30 AM on March 7, 2021 ET. A determination by the Government not to compete this requirement based upon responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government. Information received will be considered solely for the purpose of determining whether to conduct a competitive procurement.

Sole Source Justification:

InterpFlow is unique in that it is a small company in which all work is performed by highly experienced flow cytometrists and under the supervision of a pathologist. Furthermore, analysis is performed after the Flow Cytometry Unit has completed processing and acquisition of all specimens and the actual data analysis file is available for review by the Flow Cytometry Unit hematopathologists at the start of the next day's duty rotation. In order to maintain scientific consistency the LP must continue to work with this vendor. InterpFlow also provides emergency analysis of cases anytime during the day or evening with a 2-hour turnaround time.

Attached Documents:
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Statement of Work
FAR Clause 52.213-4 Simplified Acquisitions Terms and Conditions (JAN 2014) is applicable and available in full text upon request