

## ANNOUNCEMENT RFQQ HBE 19-001

## Washington Health Benefit Exchange (WAHBE) Request for Qualifications and Quotations (RFQQ)

## **Enrollment Projections and Standardized Benefit Plan Design Services for WAHBE**

WAHBE is initiating this RFQQ to obtain one (1) qualified actuarial Vendor to provide individual health insurance market enrollment projection services as well as develop initial standardized benefit plan designs. WAHBE may also request the actuarial Vendor perform ad hoc market analysis specified by WAHBE for an agreed upon scope of work and not-to-exceed amount.

The successful Vendor will provide independent actuarial services. The primary purpose of the service is to estimate individual market medical and dental enrollment and per member per month (PMPM) medical premiums estimates based on an understanding of WAHBE historical enrollment and the health insurance environment in Washington as communicated by WAHBE staff, the Office of the Insurance Commissioner, and publicly available information. The projections will be used to help guide the operations of WAHBE, develop revenue projections, and assist with the estimate of the annual carrier assessment. The projections will be shared with the WAHBE Board, elected officials, stakeholders and the general public.

Vendor, in consultation with WAHBE, the Health Care Authority (HCA), and the Office of the Insurance Commissioner (OIC) will also be responsible for developing initial standardized benefit plan designs.

The resulting Contract from this RFQQ will begin on or around June 1, 2019 and will end on June 30, 2022. WAHBE, at its sole discretion, may extend the period of performance through June 30, 2024 in whatever time increments WAHBE deems appropriate.

RFQQ available The is for download on the WAHBE Website at https://www.wahbexchange.org/about-the-exchange/what-is-the-exchange/vendorprocurements/ as well as on the Washington's Electronic Business Solution (WEBS) website at https://fortress.wa.gov/ga/webs/. Additional materials or any addenda regarding this RFQQ, if needed, will be made available for download at these same websites. Vendors are encouraged to check often for addenda and other materials that may be posted.

Responses to this RFQQ are due to the RFQQ Coordinator no later than Wednesday, April 24, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. PT.

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