

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

## Washington Health Benefit Exchange (WAHBE) Request for Responses (RFR) 21-007 Executive Search and Recruiting Services July 28, 2021

Washington Health Benefit Exchange (WAHBE) is a public-private partnership that works closely with the Washington State Legislature, the Governor's office, state agency partners, and external stakeholders to make the health insurance marketplace work for Washington consumers. In May 2021, the Legislature enacted Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill (ESSB) 5377 which, among other provisions, directed WAHBE to establish a state premium assistance program (State Subsidy) for Plan Year 2023. The budget includes staffing and contract resources, and \$50 Million in state funding for premium assistance.

WAHBE is seeking a pool of qualified Vendors to search and recruit executive-level positions, on an as-needed basis. WAHBE has one immediate need for a Chief Information Security Officer.

The RFR is available at <a href="https://pr-webs-customer.des.wa.gov/">https://pr-webs-customer.des.wa.gov/</a>. Additional materials or any addenda regarding this RFR, if needed, will be made available to Vendors at the same location.

Key dates and deadlines -

August 3, 3:00pm PT – Deadline to submit responses to the RFR

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