

AMENDMENT #2 FOR ALL RESIDENTIAL SERVICES LISTED BELOW

It is the Department's mission to provide services to children and families that cause the least amount of disruption to their lives as possible. Therefore, due to what would result in a vast number of disruptions to the lives of several hundred children currently placed in the Department's care across multiple programs and options for future placements being great distances from several regions of the state, the Department has determined it to be in the best interest of the children to implement the evaluation process utilized in 2007 for all of the Residential Services to Children. As a result of this decision, technical proposals will be assigned a maximum weight of 900 (90%) possible points and cost proposal will be assigned a maximum weight of 100 (10%) possible points of the total 1000 points to proposals received in response to the following services:

- □ Moderate Residential Services for Children;
- □ Intensive Residential Services for Children;
- □ Mothers and Infants;
- □ Transitional Living Program/Independent Living Program;
- □ Basic Residential Services for Children;
- □ Crisis Intervention Placement Programs (CIPP); and
- □ Services for Youth Exhibiting Predatory Sexual Behaviors.

Due to the aforementioned changes the Department will allow Vendors who submitted proposals to increase or decrease their proposed cost across all proposed services. However, Vendors <u>must not exceed</u> the maximum rates originally established for these services. Utilize the cost proposal forms originally submitted to modify cost. Email modified cost proposals to me at <u>www.starr.stewart@dhr.alabama.gov</u> by the deadline indicated below. Vendors who do not modify their cost must also send and email specifying the RFP title and indicating no change to the cost.

*****VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION/DATES*****

Deadline for Adjustments to Cost Proposals	November 09, 2009 (12:00 p.m. CST)
Intended Date for Notice of Intent to Award Contracts	November 10, 2009 (5:00 p.m. CST)
Deadline for Vendors to Notify the Department of Decisions to Rescind ContractsNovember 13, 2009 (12:00 p.m. CST)	
Intended Date to Email Contracts	November 16, 2009 (5:00 p.m. CST)

Deadline for Receipt of Signed Contracts......November 19, 2009 (12:00 p.m. CST)

Note: No deadlines will be extended. Contracts will be emailed as stated above. Vendors must ensure that their contact persons and email addresses are correct as submitted with their proposals. If not, email the corrected information to www.starr.stewart@dhr.alabama.gov immediately. After receipt of the contracts Vendors must print all pages, sign where indicated and hand deliver or overnight via courier all pages as printed to:

Susan Ward, Office of Resource Development/Utilization Review Alabama Department of Human Resources Gordon Persons Building, Room 2153 50 Ripley Street Montgomery, AL 36130-4000

by12:00 p.m. CST on Thursday, November 19, 2009.