Department of Veterans Affairs
Network Contracting Office (NCO) 16
Request For Information (RFI)
Sources Sought (SS) # 36C25626Q1032
In Support of Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center

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1. Title: Barcode Medication Administration (BCMA) Scanners

2. Purpose: The purpose of this RFI/SS is to identify potential sources which will aid in defining the procurement strategy (e.g., set-aside, sole source, unrestricted) for a solicitation the VA intends on issuing shortly for the following:

Model / Part Number	Item /Description of Supplies/Equipment	Qty
CR2702-100-A271-C36-FIPS	BCMA Barcode Scanners	185

The anticipated Small Business Administration (SBA) size standard for the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code 334111 is 1,250 employees.

3. Responses Requested: The following questions must be answered in response to this RFI/SS. Answers that are not provided shall be considered non-responsive to the RFI/SS:

a. Where are the requested items/equipment manufactured?

Vendor must attach documentation of this information to be viewed by the government to be considered as part of the Market Research and responsiveness to this Sources Sought notice

b. Are the requested items/equipment manufactured by a Small or Large business? Is the potential vendor in compliance with the Non-Manufacturer Rule (NMR)?

Vendor must attach documentation of this to be viewed by the government to be considered as part of the Market Research and responsiveness to this Sources Sought notice

c. Is the Vendor an authorized distributor with access to Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) parts which may be required in performance of this requirement?

The VA does not accept grey market items and therefore the Vendor must attach evidence of this access (Authorized Distributor letter) to be viewed by the government to be considered as part of the Market Research and responsiveness to this Sources Sought notice.

d. Name of potential Contractor that possess the capability to fulfill this requirement. Contractors shall also provide the following:

Point(s) of contact name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone number: _____
Email address: _____

Company's business size: _____
Contractor's Unique Entity ID Number (UEI) #: _____

e. Is your company considered a small business concern, SB, SDVOSB, VOSB, HUBZone, or 8A concern, with the requisite 334111 NAICS code?

- Please provide proof of qualifications.

f. Is your company available under any Government Wide Agency Contract (GWAC), General Services Administration (GSA) Schedule, Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ), and/or Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA)?

If so, please identify the contract number for the Government to review as part of this Market Research.

4. Opportunity/Market Pricing: The MEDVAMC is seeking information from potential vendors on their ability to provide the required items/equipment. **THIS IS A SOURCES SOUGHT REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI) ONLY**. Small Business Concerns are encouraged to provide responses to this RFI in order to assist the MEDVAMC in determining potential levels of competition and general market pricing available in the industry. Therefore, vendors are requested to submit estimated market research pricing along with their responses to the above. The estimated pricing will be considered when determining the procurement strategy for the forthcoming solicitation.

RFI/SS responses are due by 4pm (CST), Tuesday, July 14, 2026; size is limited to 8.5 x 11 inches, 12-point font, with 1-inch margins in Microsoft Word format via email to steven.berkeley@va.gov The subject line shall read: Barcode Medication Administration (BCMA) Scanners **NO SOLICITATION EXISTS AT THIS TIME.** There is no page limitation on subparagraphs 3(a) - 3(f).

Please provide the information you deem relevant in order to respond to the specific inquiries of the RFI/SS. Information provided will be used solely by MEDVAMC as **"Market Research"** and will not be released outside of the MEDVAMC Purchasing and Contract Team.

7. Contact Information:

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Your response to this notice is greatly appreciated!