# Washington State Health Care Authority

## Technical Assistance, Training and Policy Support for Foundational Community Supports (FCS)

RFP No. 2023HCA28

Amendment No. 2

**Date Issued:** 2/27/2024

To: RFP Bidders

From: Heidi Jones, RFP Coordinator

#### Purpose: Interested Subcontractor List, HCA Response to Bidder Questions

This amendment hereby modifies and is attached to RFP No. 2023HCA28. All other terms, conditions, and specifications remain unchanged.

The above referenced solicitation is amended as follows:

1. Interested Subcontractor List: Per section 2.3, Interested Subcontractor List,

Interested Subcontractor Name	Contact Name	Contact Address, Phone & Email
Resurgence Northwest, LLC	Kevin Bergeron	1703 Douglas Ct, Milton, WA 98354 360.888.7087 <u>Kevin.resurgencenw@gmail.com</u>

Summary of capabilities as it relates to the Scope of Work

5 years of training in this field both for clients who need help directly and for managers and administrators who work with clients in need. I have worked in both the Mental Health field with Western State Hospital and Telecare as well as within the SUD/Co-Occurring field with ABHS, Prosperity Wellness, and Royal Life Centers. I am a licensed Substance Use Disorder Professional, certified in Mental Health First Aid, CPR, First Aid, and an Agency Affiliated Counselor.

I can provide training through in-person or virtual training and consultation, webinars, conferences, and workshops. Topics of expertise include but are not limited to:

1. Housing First and Harm

Reduction

2. Serving the Chronically Homeless

3. Oxford Housing

Program

4. Servicing Individuals with Justice System Involvement

5. Serving Individuals with behavioral Health, SUD, and/or co-occurring conditions

6. Meeting individuals where they are, individuals with SUD and behavioral health issues

7. Job development

- 2. **Questions and Responses from Emails.** HCA responses to Bidder questions received via email to the <u>HCAProcurements@hca.wa.gov</u> email box.
  - **1.1 Bidder Question:** Related to 1.4 Minimum Qualifications on pg 12 of the RFP, if a firm met the qualifications for items A, B and D, has it satisfied the minimum qualifications to receive a contract to provide Technical Assistance (TA) services related to item B (Supported Employment) alone or only if it were also contracted to provide the services related to item D (policy)?
  - **1.2 Bidder Question:** Related to 1.4 Minimum Qualifications on pg 12 of the RFP, would firms licensed to do business in Washington (item A) with the required experience related to Supported Employment programs (item B) be minimally qualified to receive a contract for Supported Employment TA services, whether or not they also have the desired experience listed in the RFP as items C (Supported Housing) and D (Policy) on the same page?

### **1.3 HCA Response to Both Questions:**

- 1.3.1 From a procurement process standpoint, all Bids/Proposals will be evaluated to determine if Bidders meet minimum qualifications, and to determine the program area(s) of expertise of each Bidder.
- 1.3.2 Bidders will need to make sure that responses to questions in Exhibit C, Written Proposal, and Exhibit D, Cost Proposal, provide clear details about each area of program expertise qualifications.
- 1.3.3 Per section 1.4, Minimum Qualifications:
  - A. Item A is related to being licensed to do business in the state of Washington;
  - B. Item B is related to Supportive Housing (SH);
  - C. Item C is related to Supported Employment (SE); and
  - D. Item D is related to facilitating implementation of at least three (3) listed program areas.
  - E. Qualifying Situations:
  - A. A, B and C
  - B. A and D

#### 1.3.4 Examples

- A. One (1) contract for \$144,333 to a Bidder who provides technical assistance related to Supported Employment.
- B. One (1) contract for \$288,666 to a Bidder who provides technical assistance for Supportive Housing and policy support for Supportive Housing.