

The Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of Mental Health/Mental Health Rehabilitation Services program is issuing a Request for Proposals (RFP) inviting qualified proposers to submit proposals for services to provide expert consultation regarding the continued development and implementation of prior authorization services, policies, and protocols and apply them within the context of a State developed, owned and operated Administrative Service Organization for the management and administration of the redesigned Medicaid Mental Health Rehabilitation (MHR) Program. Mental Health Rehabilitation services currently managed by this program include Assessment, Re-assessment, Medication Management, Counseling, Psychosocial Skills Training, and Community Support services.

Written questions or inquiries must be directed to the RFP coordinator listed below:

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This RFP is available in electronic form at www.mhrsla.org in PDF format.

All proposals must be received at the above address by 4:30 P.M., CDT, October 11, 2007. Proposals received after this time will not be eligible for consideration. This announcement does not commit the OMH to award a contract or to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of proposals. The OMH reserves the right to accept or reject, in whole or in part, all proposals submitted and/or to cancel this announcement. Any contract awarded shall be based upon the proposal most advantageous to the OMH, cost and other factors considered. All contracts are subject to the availability of funds. A pre-proposal conference will be held in Baton Rouge, LA, at 1885 Wooddale Boulevard, 9th Floor Conference Room, Baton Rouge, 70806, at 10:00 A.M. on September 14, 2007.