## **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

1. Do vendors need to have a Knox Keene license in place in order to be awarded this contract?

No, a Knox Keene license not required.

- 2. How long has ACI been the EAP provider? Since 2011
- Please provide utilization reports for years 2019 and 2020. Please refer to the 2019 EAP Utilization Report and 2020 EAP Utilization Report on the Court's website.
- 4. Please provide the number of new counseling cases for each of the following years: 2019, 2020, 2021.

2019: 68, 2020: 42, 2021 48

- 5. How many onsite training hours were utilized for each year 2019, 2020, and 2021? 2019: 1.5 hours, 2020: 0 hours, 2021: 0 hours
- 6. How many live webinar trainings were utilized for each year 2019, 2020, and 2021? 2019: 0 hours, 2020: 0 hours, 2021: 4.0 hours
- 7. How many onsite critical incident response hours were utilized for each year 2019, 2020, and 2021?

2019: 6.0 hours, 2020: 4.0 hours, 2021: 3.0 hours

- How many onsite health/benefits/open enrollment fairs did the EAP provider attend for each year 2019, 2020, and 2021? How many hours was each fair?
  2019: 2 events = 4.0 hours, 2020: 0 hours, 2021: 0 hours
- Is it mandatory that the assigned Account Manager be local? No, it is not mandatory as long as they are accessible during Court operating hours.
- 10. Are electronic signatures ok for the attachments? No, the Court requires a wet signature on the attachments.
- 11. Please confirm that you would like the EAP to cover all related family members of the employee regardless if they share a residence with the employee? Please match the current benefit.
- 12. Are you interested in a PEPM price model? Please use the same pricing model currently being used.
- 13. Are you open to more than 1 visit model? For example, 1-5 in addition to 1-3? Please match the current benefit or enhance it per RFP instructions
- 14. Can you provide us with the number of hours typically used to virtual onsite services (employee orientation, Management/supervisor trainings, CISD debriefings)? Refer to #7 for CISD. In 2021 4 hours were used for training.
- 15. There are two asks around printed materials. Are you looking for 2,000 or unlimited printing?

2,000

- 16. Are you open to monthly billing? Yes
- 17. Are attachments 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 needed at time of Proposal by Aug 2<sup>nd</sup>? Yes, the RFP is due August 2<sup>nd</sup> by 1:15pm P.T.
- 18. Please confirm that paper copy is required in addition to the electronic copy of submissions.

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Yes, a hard (paper) copy is required with wet signatures in addition to an electronic copy.

- 19. Are there any issues or pain points with current provider ACI? No, there are no issues.
- 20. Why does SCCCSB want to look at alternative EAP providers? The procurement process is such that when a contract expires (maximum 3 years) the coverage must go to RFP.
- 21. Do they have a budget?Based on the scoring criterion, cost is 30% of the score.
- 22. Do the benefit consultants Christine Kwock and Pam Rodrigues at USI see a fit between Concern and SCCCSB?There is an evaluation process the Court follows to award the contract. This process can be found in the RFP document and Attachment 1 Administrative Rules.
- 23. Most importantly, do you want a bid for just a 3 visit model? 3 visits is just enough time to assess and refer. Not provide any kind of meaningful support. A standard 5 visit mode would be better. Do you want us to provide a proposal for 5 visits as well? Please either match current benefit or enhance it per RFP instructions.