

Financial Services  
Mr. Ron Y. Steiger, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT:                   AWARD REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. RFP-21-044-CM –  
PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES**

**COMMITTEE:               FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY & GOVERNMENT RELATIONS**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC  
PLAN:                       EFFECTIVE AND SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONAL PRACTICES**

Procurement Management Services, at the request of the Office of Exceptional Student Education, released the above-referenced solicitation. The purpose of this Request For Proposals (RFP) is to establish a pool of firms to assist with conducting required evaluations to determine student eligibility for specialized services, support and resources. This RFP was advertised on the Procurement Management Services website, as well as DemandStar. The solicitation was shared with the District's Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) for additional community outreach.

The initial term of the bid shall be for a period of one (1) year, commencing May 18, 2022 through May 17, 2023, and may, by mutual agreement between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the successful bidders, be extended for two (2) additional one (1) year period, pending contract negotiations.

The Goal Setting Committee recommended that this solicitation be open with a 10 point preference for M-DCPS certified African American firms (prime or subcontractor) and a 5 point preference for non-M-DCPS certified African American firms (prime or subcontractor).

Six (6) vendors responded to this advertised bid. Based on the criteria listed in the solicitation and the Selection Committee's consensus vote, the contract shall be awarded to five (5) vendors meeting the minimum requirements, of which one (1) is certified.

M-DCPS OEO staff verified the Small, Micro, Veteran and/or M/WBE certification status of the firm(s).

Fund Source  
General

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida:

1. **AWARD** REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. RFP-21-044-CM – PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES, to establish a pool of firms to assist with conducting required evaluations to determine student eligibility for specialized services, support and resources, with an initial effective date of May 18, 2022 through May 17, 2023, and may, by mutual agreement between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the successful bidders, be extended for two (2) additional one (1) year extension periods thereto, pending contract negotiations, as follows:
  - A. BARRY UNIVERSITY, INC.  
11300 NE SECOND AVENUE  
MIAMI, FL 33161  
OWNER/OFFICER MICHAEL ALLEN
  - B. EDU HEALTHCARE, LLC  
7930 WEST KENTON CIRCLE, #220  
HUNTERSVILLE, NC 28078  
OWNER/OFFICER: MATTHEW LEWIS
  - C. INVO HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATES, LLC  
2003 SOUTH EASTON ROAD, SUITE 308  
DOYLESTOWN, PA 18901  
OWNER/OFFICER: MATT STRINGER
  - D. NEUROHEALTH PROFESSIONALS OF FLORIDA, LLC  
2455 HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD, SUITE 208     MBE/MWBE  
HOLLYWOOD, FL 33020  
OWNER/OFFICER: KAREEM EDWARDS  
AFRICAN AMERICAN
  - E. PROSPERITY SOCIAL & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP, INC.  
1175 NE 125<sup>TH</sup> STREET, SUITE 400  
NORTH MIAMI, FL 33161  
OWNER/OFFICER: NADEGE VILSAINT
2. **AUTHORIZE** Procurement Management Services to purchase up to a total estimated amount of \$1,000,000, for the initial contract term of one (1) year, and an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000, for each subsequent one (1) year extension period(s). Board authorization of this recommendation does not mean the amounts shown will be expended.