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RFP Title: Evaluating the impact and effectiveness of the Pacific Chronic Disease Council's (PCDC) Non-Communicable Disease Collaborative Initiative (NCDC) and the effectiveness, efficiency, relevancy, and impact of the PIHOA US Affiliated Pacific Islands (USAPI) regional non-communicable disease (NCD) emergency response [Short title: PCDC/PIHOA Regional NCD Response Evaluation]

ADDENDUM 2: RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS RECEIVED VIA EMAIL ON NOVEMBER 21, 2021

Question 1: The RFP indicates the submission deadline is open-ended. Have you received any responses yet, or selected a bidder?

Response: The proposal receipt process is still open.

Question 2: Are the dates in the schedule of deliverables firm? Specifically, we are curious if the April 30th deadline to complete the evaluation report and present the results could be pushed to May 31st, while retaining the June 30th end date for the project overall.

Response: The current timeline is set at this time; however, PIHOA is requesting a 12-month extension with the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). If the extension is approved, existing timelines can be revisited and adjusted if reasonable and appropriate.

Question 3: What is the budget for this project? It is our firm's policy not to respond to requests for proposals without a ballpark budget estimate from the requesting agency.

Response: As the RFP is a competitive process, PIHOA encourages all prospective entities to submit a proposal commensurate with the entities' experience, the expected execution, and completion of the deliverables outlined in the scope of work. PIHOA welcomes all proposals that will be evaluated on the objective scoring criteria outlined in the RFP.

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