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BID # 2019-25
EXAM GLOVES
SUNNY HILL NURSING HOME, JOLIET, IL

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We received the following questions/concerns regarding the bid listed above:

Question # 1: On line item 2 and 3-could you please confirm that there are 12 boxes per case and not 10 boxes per case like the other 2 items.

Answer # 1: Items 2 and 3, the spec should be 10 boxes per case.

Question # 2: On line item 4, the FDA banned all POWDERED, exam gloves back at the beginning of 2017 so this cannot be correct.

Answer # 2: Please remove this item from the bid. It was an error on our part.

Question # 3: All line items say "clear" in color. If the color is clear, then they are vinyl material not latex. Could you please provide the part numbers on the boxes or cases for the "International Direct" brand gloves you are using as it would make it a lot easier to understand what you are using.

Answer #3: Please change items # 1, 2 and 3 to "Latex-Free". Color does not matter, current color is blue and part numbers are FG2502 and FG2503.

Question # 4: The bid does not spec the mil thickness of the gloves. Do you know what it is or should we go with what we want?

Answer #4: 3.5 mil at finger 2.4 mil at palm

Question # 5: With latex allergies in the healthcare arena for both the glove user and the patient, can we suggest a synthetic alternative to latex gloves? We have a product called Vytrile see attached.

Answer #5: **The spec should read "Latex-Free". Please see "Substitutions" on page 5 of bid.**

Question # 6: If there are terms and conditions Vendor may not be able to agree to will Will County ("the County") consider exceptions to terms and conditions?

Answer #6: No exceptions to terms and conditions will be accepted and your bid will be disqualified.

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Question # 7: Can the County provide the most recent awarded bid tabulation for the products in each bid? If no bid tabulation exists, can you please provide your current sell price and UOM for the products in the bid?

Answer #7: Please see attached bid tabulation from 2016-25 Exam Gloves bid.

Question # 8: Under Bid 2019-25 on page 6 in section prices & quantities, the dates are December 1, 2015- November 30,2016. Is this accurate?

Answer #8: The contract dates should be December 1, 2018 – November 30, 2019.

Question # 9: Based upon previous history, how often are orders placed for the gloves, monthly, quarterly, annually, other?

Answer # 9: We typically order gloves bi-weekly.

Question # 10: Based upon previous history, when an order is placed, what is an approximate case size order?

Answer # 10: We usually order 1 case of small, 10 cases of med and 6 of large on average.