

AREA AGENCY ON AGING OF PALM BEACH/TREASURE COAST, INC. RESPONSES TO WRITTEN INQUIRIES

9/24/2026

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Question #	Date of Question	Question	Response	Date of Response
1.	9/17/2026	In the document 06-AP-Va-Service-Provider-Application-Format, Section II.A.3, Care Management Functions, Area C, the “preferred method” is identified as an email to the Helpline Manager. However, the document 12-AP-VIII-Proposal-Evaluation-Instrument states that the “preferred method is a fax referral.” Could you please clarify which referral method is correct?	The preferred method is an email to Helpline Manager. Please see Addendum 2 correcting Appendix VIII-Proposal Evaluation Instrument on the RFP website.	9/23/2026
2.	9/17/2026	Can you please provide a complete list of all ZIP codes applicable to CCSA B? The document titled 01.-2027-CCE-HCE-ADI-RFP currently lists ZIP code 33067, which appears to be a Broward County ZIP code. Assuming this was included in error, can you please confirm whether another ZIP code was intended to be listed in its place?	Zip code 33067 was listed in Palm Beach County Area B in error. No other zip code was intended to be listed in its place. Please see Addendum 1 on the RFP website.	9/23/2026
3.	9/20/2026	The RFP states that bidders must have two years of case management experience for a program of similar size and scope. Could you please clarify whether a newly organized bidding entity may satisfy this qualification through the documented comparable experience of its principal and key management?	Pages 9-10 of the RFP indicate “It is highly desirable for the Lead Agency designation be conferred only to case management agencies with a proven record of performance under conditions typically found in the everyday course of business of a Lead Agency designated pursuant to Ch. 430, F.S. Agencies applying to be a CCE Lead Agency under the provisions of Ch. 430, F.S., must have the following qualifications:	9/23/2026

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		The principal/key management has approximately 25 years of healthcare industry experience, including ownership and operation of case management, behavioral health, and home care agencies, as well as experience with compliance, billing/coding, licensing, agency operations, staffing, and related healthcare program administration. If this experience may be considered toward the bidder experience requirement, please advise what documentation the Agency would accept to demonstrate compliance (for example, resumes/CVs, prior ownership records, contracts, references, organizational records, or other supporting evidence).	• Ability to provide case management services to functionally impaired, elderly persons; coordinating community-based health and social services funded wholly, or in part, by federal, state and local funds to provide a continuum of care. • Ability to provide in-home services directly, or by managing a community service system of providers through subcontracts. • Ability to provide emergency services to at-risk individuals, such as elders at imminent risk of abuse or institutionalization. • Ability to monitor subcontracts / vendors to ensure high quality services and efficient use of funds. • Ability to coordinate service delivery using multiple funding sources and subcontractors / vendors. • Ability to financially match CCE contract dollars at the rate of \$1 dollar of matching funds for every \$10 dollars of state appropriated CCE funding (10%)." Page 13 of the RFP states "Bidders must have two years of case management experience for a program of similar size and scope; see Appendix Va, paragraph II.A.1.b." Appendix Va, paragraph II.A.1.b. states "Describe your agency's experience providing case management services under programs which are similar or identical to the requirements under CCE, HCE, and ADI. Bidders must document they have a minimum of 2 years case management experience for a program of similar size and scope."	
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4.	9/21/2026	In the document 08.-AP-Va-Contract-Module, the Service Items tab lists 19 services, while the Support Budget by Program tab lists 37 services. The handbook includes additional services, such as pest control and material aid, that do not appear on either tab. Are we permitted to submit bids for services that are included in the handbook but not listed on these tabs? If so, can you provide a new document so that the naming conventions and number sequencing for each of the services will be accurate and matched?	Services can be added to the Service Items tab in Appendix Va. Only services listed on pages 29-31 of the RFP can be added. This list has been updated. Please see Addendum 3 on the RFP website. Items which are cost- based reimbursement services should not be added in the contract module. A new Contract Module File has been posted dated 9/23/26 to correct a heading in the Support Budget Program tab and to add Pest Control (Maintenance).	9/23/2026
5.	9/24/2026	According to what I read, I am to submit 1 original, 1 copy, and a USB. Am I correct or am I missing something?	Pages 39-40 of the RFP state "Bidders are required to submit an original hard copy plus one additional hard copy of their proposal. The original hard copy must contain, where required, the original signature of an official of the potential provider agency authorized to bind the provider to the agency's proposal. Additionally, bidders must submit an electronic copy of their proposal on USB drives. The USB must contain a PDF that is an exact duplicate of the hardcopy and must contain the same labels and specifications. There must be one USB drive labeled Service Provider Application – Program Module. It must contain all the information required in Sections I.A and II.A of the Appendix Va – Service Provider Application Table of Contents. A second USB drive must be labeled Service Provider Application – Contract Module. The second USB drive must contain all the information required in Section II.B of the Appendix Va – Service Provider Application Table	9/24/2026

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