REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
RFP #SPED-2018-13

Building Capacity to Implement iSocial:
Process coaching of local iSocial leadership teams, including embedding family engagement strategies within the selected communities/sites

The deadline for receipt of inquires was 4:00pm, Friday, December 7, 2018. The Department of Education **(Department)** will address inquiries received by the deadline, in writing. If they are determined to be vital to the competitive bidding process, a written response will be sent no later than five (5) working days after the deadline to all who submitted inquiries.

The following questions were received by the deadline.

Q. Given that this is a continuation of work already in place for the SSIP, is there a current vendor in place? If so, who is the incumbent?
A. Not relevant to bidding process.

Q. Will the master cadre and/or the process coaches be expected to support the implementation of pyramid model practices in addition to support for community-based and site-based leadership teams to complete the Benchmarks of Quality and develop and implement action plans related to infrastructure development?
A. The support of the implementation of pyramid model practices is done by the Practice-based Coaches through another contract.

Q. The score sheet says "Personnel and partners are identified, have the necessary qualifications, and are committed to engaging in the work (15 pts)." Can you say more about what you mean by partners? Are you referring to the community partners, potential master cadre coaches, partners a vendor may identify as sub-contractors to support the work or some other form of partners?
A. It is up to the applicant to define and explain who they include as a partner, what their relationship is, and how they interact together in order to ensure high quality work is completed.

Q. In what ways, if any, is this work related to the iSocial virtual learning environment and social competence curricula (https://www.isocl.net/)
A. It is not related.