

Drug and Alcohol Testing and Medical Services

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Addendum # 1

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*Please note: All questions are posted as they are received and are not altered in any way.

- Section I Item D: Will the County consider an RFP submission to be responsive if it only addresses drug and alcohol testing and DOT physicals?
No, because typically the DOT physicals are done and paid for by the employee. Rarely have we paid for the DOT physical. The majority of our physicals will be for new SC detention officers and eventually new hires but not the Fire Department, Sheriff's or Detention. Those three departments currently pay their own.
- Section I item B: The RFP indicates that on-site testing may be desirable for random or post-accident testing. What are the addresses, please, of the locations where on-site random testing might occur?
First location would be 1100 Montoya Rd Bernalillo NM 87004-SCDC and 51 ELLAROUND Cuba NM 87013-Public Works yard/office.
- Section I Item B: What is the reason for issuing this RFP at this time?
To establish a contract for this services and future extension.
- Section I Item B: The County has averaged 220 drug screens for the past three years. How many of these are DOT and how many are NONDOT?
It is approximately 110 for DOT and 110 for non-DOT employees.
- Section IV, Item A: What is the drug testing panel requested for NONDOT testing?
A standard 5 panel drug screen.
- Section IV, Item A, Sub-items E and F: We don't see CDL/DOT physicals as a requested service. Are those intentionally excluded from this RFP?
They are not included because we do not often pay for these. Fire Department, Sheriff's & Public Works/Roads currently pay for these from a separate budget.
- Section IV, Item A, Sub-item E: Drug screens and breath alcohol tests are included on the Pre-Employment Physical exam list; should the price for this service include those services (which are also priced out individually)?
Yes we would like the package price for Detention Center Officer's and new employee physicals. Drug screens may be separate for other new hires in the departments who do not require physicals. The Random drug screens or post-accident would be for drug screen alone. Not all new hires will need to have a physical.
- Section V Item A: How will the County calculate total cost for the purpose of awarding cost points, given that the exact number and type of tests and medical events is unknown?

The cost of each test will have some weight in deciding who is selected however the Provider's capabilities, services and web portal or other amenities may outweigh the fact that a drug screen is dollars less.

- Section V Item A: How will the County calculate and compare total cost for the purpose of awarding cost points if some respondents provide pricing for on-site services, and others do not?

The on-site drug testing is desired by Sandoval County for the convenience of our Cuba employees and non-standard hour operations employees. . For example; Fire Department, Sheriff's Office and Detention Center, making it more convenient for employees.