

EVALUATION SERVICES REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL - QUESTION & RESPONSES JUVENILE DETENTION AND REHABILITATION SERVICES

Does the County have an anticipated start date and expected duration for the project following contract award? **July to December 2026**

Approximately how many youth service providers currently hold contracts with the County for the prevention, diversion, and intervention services referenced in the RFP? **Approximately ten, however, we are still in the process of determining what resources are available in the County that fit/meet the criteria for prevention/diversion.**

Has the County established an estimated or not-to-exceed budget range for this evaluation project? **Interested vendors should submit a full budget to support their proposal.**

Will the technical proposals be reviewed using a blind review process, or will identifying information about proposing organizations be visible to reviewers? **All received proposals are to have all information identifying the provider or vendor redacted prior to being forwarded to the review committee.**

Can the County share the scoring criteria or evaluation rubric that will be used to access technical proposals? **No**

Will the County assist with coordinating introductions or scheduling interviews with contracted providers as part of the evaluation process? **Yes, we will.**

What types of administrative or program data are currently available to support the evaluation (e.g., service utilization data, program completion data, demographic information, or outcome reporting)? **We have ongoing technical assistance from the National Assessment Center, Empact Solutions, and Social Current.**

Does the County currently utilize any standardized reporting templates, dashboards, or performance monitoring tools for contracted youth service providers? **No**

If an applicant submits redlines or exceptions to the draft agreement that Delaware County is unable to accept, will the submission of those non-acceptable redline negatively affect the evaluation of the applicant's proposal? **No, however, the applicant should understand that for the most part the County's boilerplate is non-negotiable.**

In order to foster participation from all types of applicants and to avoid placing outsized risk on small businesses or nonprofit organizations, would Delaware County be willing to include language which caps the aggregate liability of the awardee? **This would need to be a discussion with the selected vendor during Best of Final Negotiations after County Council approval.**

Please provide the POC and address information that the supplier should designate as the insurance holder of the request insurance certificate. **County of Delaware, 201 West Front Street, Media, PA 19063**