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ADDENDA 2

To: All Interested Vendors

From: Araceli Hernandez, Formal Bid/Buyer

Date: March 5, 2020

Subject: RFQ 20-020, Individual Family and Parenting Skill Counseling Services for the 65th District Court and Juvenile Probation Department's Strengthening Families Program

The Purchasing Department has received the following additional question:

1. Please define what is/are related program(s) or similar curriculum per below? Currently we support the best drug court in the nation for family and parenting services and our headquarters is in El Paso TX. We have our own program. Is that acceptable?

"The counselor/facilitator must be certified in the Strengthening Families Program (or related program) and at least two (2) years of experience. Facilitators/counselors do not need to be employed by the provider. Copy of facilitator certification shall be submitted as part of packet. Vendor will implement the Strengthening Families Program curriculum (or similar curriculum)."

Response: The County prefers to use the Strengthening Families curriculum; however, the County would need to see what the program contains.

"Related program" means having the same approach as the Strengthening Families Program, but with modifications.