

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
OFFICE OF THE HEALTHCARE ADVOCATE  
STATE INNOVATION MODEL PROGRAM MANAGEMENT OFFICE  
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR CONSULTATION SERVICES  
FIRST Addendum  
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The SIM PMO's official responses to questions submitted as of noon, August 20, 2014 are as follows:

1. Could you please clarify the due date for questions? The chart on the Procurement Schedule (B., page 9-10) indicates August 27 at 3pm, but the Respondents' Questions section (C. p 10) indicates August 28 at 3pm

Response: The deadline for questions is August 28 at 3pm.

2. Can you please confirm that this is an electronic-only submission, and that no hard copies are required?

Response: This is an electronic-only submission. No hard copies are required.

3. Can you additionally confirm that electronic copies should be sent to the attention of Mark Schaefer, at email address [mark.schaefer@ct.gov](mailto:mark.schaefer@ct.gov)?

Response: Electronic copies must be sent to the attention of Mark Schaefer, at email address [mark.schaefer@ct.gov](mailto:mark.schaefer@ct.gov).

4. Will the Connecticut SIM PMO provide office space and technology for the consultants engaged under this contract?

Response: The consultant will have access to several workstations, computer hardware and printing. Other space accommodations (potentially to include use of an office) and technology would be subject to negotiation and available resources. The Respondent should clearly specify office space and technology requirements or preferences in their proposal.

5. For the purpose of estimating total hours for the project, can you provide an exact start date for the first year of the project?

Response: We would prefer a start date no later than September 29, 2014; however, the start date is subject to negotiation.