REQUEST FOR QUOTES

Specialized Residential and Community Living Supports

Issued By:

NORTH COUNTRY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH



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Responses accepted up and through close of business, January 23, 2023



OVERVIEW

Background:

North Country Community Mental Health (NCCMH) operates as a Community Mental Health Authority under the provisions of Act 258 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1974, as amended. "The purpose of a community mental health services program [is] to provide a comprehensive array of mental health services... including crisis stabilization and response including a 24-hour, 7-day per week, crisis emergency service... and the provision of inpatient or other protective environment for treatment." (MCL 330.1206). NCCMH is a tax-exempt governmental agency.

NCCMH serves six rural counties in northern Michigan—Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet, Kalkaska, and Otsego—covering 3000+ square miles with a population of 151,000, including 36,000 Medicaid beneficiaries.

<u>Vision, Mission, and Values of North Country Community Mental Health:</u>

Vision:

All community members will have responsive high-quality integrated healthcare leading to a fulfilled life.

Mission:

To provide behavioral health services that inspire hope and promote recovery, resilience, and wellness to eligible residents.

Values:

Respect - We treat everyone—clients, providers, fellow staff members, and community partners—with the highest level of dignity, honor and respect.

Integrity - We will consistently do the right thing by maintaining an ethical culture and unified workplace.

Client-Centered - Our care will be delivered by respecting individuals' preferences. Every decision will consider the value it adds to client services.

Excellence in Practice - Excellence will be apparent in all that we do. We provide the highest level of service to promote recovery and quality of life through evidence-based and innovative practices. We produce outcomes that exceed expectations.



Purpose of Request:

North Country Community Mental Health is seeking additional providers for a four-bed Specialized Residential AFC home and Community Living Support Services for individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities and/or those living with Mental Illness within its sixcounty service area.

Service Description for Specialized Residential:

Specialized residential homes are used to deliver mental health program services to individuals living in adult foster care homes, aiming to enhance their physical and mental well-being. This includes personal care and community living supports, aligning with a client(s) Plan of Service (POS).

The provider is to ensure ongoing opportunities for client participation in relevant activities, as well as access to community-based events and resources. The provider is also responsible for offering client opportunities and support for meaningful activities, socializing, communication, and volunteering.

Additionally, the provider is obligated to collect and maintain data on individual progress, monitor health care plans, attend planning meetings, and ensure staffing continuity for 24-hour home supervision. They are also required to provide meals, transportation, and necessary supplies for individuals, following specified guidelines and regulations.

Services are to be provided, documented, and reimbursed on a per diem (unit) bases. The per unit rate(s) to be paid to the provider as reimbursement for valid claims for authorized supports/services rendered by the provider for the client.

The provider is responsible for ensuring licensure of the adult foster care home through LARA.

Service Description for Community Living Supports:

Community Living Supports are used to increase or maintain personal self-sufficiency facilitating an individual's achievements of their goals in the areas of community inclusion/participation, independence, and productivity. These supports may be provided in the participant's private residence and/or in a community setting. Services are focused and consistent with providing assistance with preserving health and safety of the individual in order that they may reside in the most integrated, independent community setting. The services rendered must be in direct accordance with the specific client(s) Individual Plan of Service. Specifically, this may include, but is not necessarily limited to assisting, reminding, observing, guiding and/or training in activities such as:



- Meal Preparation
- Laundry
- Routine household care and maintenance
- Activities of daily living (personal hygiene)
- Shopping
- Money Management
- Non-Medical Care
- Monitoring of Medication Administration
- Socialization and Relationship Building
- Participation in Regular Community Activities

These services also include transportation from the participant's residence to community activities, among activities, and back to the participant's residence.

Services are to be provided, documented, and reimbursed on a per unit bases. A unit is a 15-minute duration of time where face-to-face services are provided to the client as preauthorized.

Summary

NCCMH is seeking a provider for a leased four-bed specialized residential home in Charlevoix County and Community Living Supports for Otsego and Emmet Counties. Services and quantities vary but to give potential respondents some idea of need there are four individuals in a specialized residential home in Charlevoix County requiring 24 hours a day of support (approximately 9.5 FTE) and 3 individuals in Otsego County living in a private resident home (PRH) needing Community Living Supports for 24 hours a day (approximately 4.5 FTE.) Community Living Support services are needed for a 4-5 bed multi-unit home in Emmet County, where occupancy has not yet been determined. **Respondents to this request may submit quotes to provide specialized residential services, Community Living Support services, or both.** Once established within the provider network, additional opportunities may be developed.

Qualifications:

All those submitting quotes must be able to provide these services in compliance with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS,) Michigan Medicaid Provider Manual, HCBS final rule, all applicable provisions of the Michigan Mental Health Code, Public Act 258 of 1974, as amended MCL 330.1100 et seq, the Michigan Public Health Code, Public Act 368 of 1978, as amended, all applicable Administrative Rules, related Recipient Rights and policies of NCCMH, along with the ability to comply with HIPAA including the Standards of Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information (42 C.F.R., Part 2.)



Respondents to this request must be able to provide staffing who possess the necessary skills and experience to provide these services and must:

- Be at least 18 years of age.
- Be in good standing with the law with no exclusionary convictions.
- Be able to practice prevention techniques to reduce transmission of any communicable diseases from themselves to other in the environment where they are providing these services.
- Be able to communicate expressively and receptively to follow individual plan requirements and beneficiary specific emergency procedures and report on activities performed.

In addition to the above, staff for these services must also complete training in areas of Recipient Rights, Person Centered Planning, CPR/First Aid, Nonviolent Crisis Intervention, Gentle Teaching, Medication Administration/Vital Signs, and Nutrition and Food Services. (A complete list of all requirements, references, and resources can be found at our website, www.norcocmh.org, under the tab "Providers.")

Respondents to this request should also be able to demonstrate through established policies and procedures the ability to support staff, provide training (initial and on-going) maintain documentation supporting the delivery of service according to Medicaid rules, and appropriately bill for services consistent with NCCMH policies.

Respondents to the request should be able to meet all other NCCMH contract requirements. (A copy of the contract can be requested through the Provider Network Manager, Angela Balberde, abalberde@norcocmh.org.

Quotes for Specialized residential should be based on actual Medicaid approved cost associated with the provision of this service. Submission should be for facility projected costs for one year and an average per diem rate for an individual.

Quotes for Community Living Supports should be based on actual Medicaid approved cost associated with the provision of this service minus transportation. Transportation cost will be added to the rate based on actual mileage for clients served. Submission should be for Community Living Supports representing one unit of service (15-minutes), serving one individual. Services provided to multiple individuals at the same location, during the same time, by one staff member would result in a modification of the rate consistent with NCCMH practices representing an equal percentage of the cost.

A panel consisting of members of NCCMH Clinical Team along with those from the Finance and Administrative Teams will review all responses and select(s) based on quality, expertise, history





in providing high quality services, flexibility in meeting changing/future needs, and price. (NCCMH will not be obligated to choose based on the lowest bid.)

A meeting to answer potential Respondents questions will be held on January 16, 2023 via zoom. Please pre-register for this meeting by contacting Angela Balberde at abalberde@norcocmh.org. A link will then be sent.



Quote Sheet

Responses to this Request for Quote must be submitted in an envelope titled and addressed as follows: Provider Network Manager, NCCMH 1420 Plaza Dr., Petoskey, MI 49770, or electronically in PDF format to the following email address, ababerde@norcocmh.org.

Respondent	Contact Person
Name of Organization:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Ex. Director:	Talanhana
Telephone:	Telephone:
Fax:	Email:
Website:	
Federal tax identification #:	

*Please complete and submit North County Community Mental Health Authority Quote for Specialized Residential (**Attachment A**), Quote for Community Living Supports (**Attachment B**), and Contract Provider Application (**Attached**). Provide responses and/or submit documentation addressing the following:

- Demonstrate proof of, or the ability to obtain, liability insurance in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence, and /or aggregate, combined single limit for Personal Injury, Bodily Injury, and Property Damage.
- Describe your organizations experience in providing Community Living Support or like services. (List any accreditations, certifications, licenses, or member affiliations.)
- Submit copies of your organization's policies/procedures regarding direct care staff qualifications.
- Describe how your organization ensures that services are delivered by staff trained and mentored consistent with the principles of Trauma Informed Care and in a Culture of Gentleness.
- Provide proof of the ability of, and policies on, performing appropriate background checks for all employees.



- Describe the training and experience of direct care staff that would be assigned to perform the services listed above.
- Describe how your organization arranges for emergency coverage for staff shortages.
- Provide any customer satisfaction data that has been collected in the last three years.
- Submit a short narrative detailing your organization.

The Respondent to this request certifies to the best of their knowledge and belief that all information in this response is true and correct and has been duly authorized by their governing body.

Authorized Representative	
Signature:	Date:
Name and Title (Print):	



Attachment A

Specialized Residential Quote

4 bed, 9.5 FTE

RESIDENTIAL (Yearly Budget)

FACILITY PROJECTED COSTS

Room and Board Costs

Lease \$ 19,200 Utilities \$ Maintenance \$ Equipment \$ Food \$ Subtotal \$

Less Revenue

SSI/SSA @ \$1027.50 \$
Room and Board Total \$

Operations

Salary/Wages \$
Transport \$
Misc./Activity \$
Medical Personal Supplies \$
Sub Total \$
Administration \$
Insurance/Liability \$
Sub Total Residential \$

Revenue

Remaining SSI/SSA \$

Total Residential \$

Total Per Diem \$

· Administration must not be more than 9.5% in all instances/scenarios.



Attachment B

Private Resident Home Quote

3 clients

Home help revenue: Approximately \$43,838 yearly

PROJECTED COSTS (RESIDENTIAL LIVING SITE)

Based on a 12-month budget. 4.5 FTE's

Salaries and Wages \$
Transportation \$
Subtotal \$
Administration \$
Insurance/Liability \$
TOTAL RESIDENTIAL BUDGET \$

PROJECTED REVENUES \$
TOTAL PROJECTED REVENUES \$
YEARLY GRAND TOTAL PAYOR FUNDING \$

· Administration must not be more than 9% in all instances/scenarios.

Service Description/Service Units	Quote Amount
Community Living Supports 15 Minute Unit Serving 1 Person (H2015) (Transportation Cost to be Added based on actual mileage.)	\$/Per Unit



NORTH COUNTRY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

CONTRACT PROVIDER APPLICATION

1) PROVIDER IDENTIFICATION/INFORMATION

Contracted Provider Name:		
D/B/A's (if none, write none):		
Federal Tax ID/SSN:		
Provider website/URL:		
Provider Legal Entity Type - Check one of the following: Sole Proprietors and partnerships: Individual providers including practitioners who file taxes on the 1040 series of tax forms For-profit corporations: Those companies that typically file a tax form 1120 with the IRS. Governmental units: Includes transportation authorities, intermediate school districts, public universities and community colleges. Non-Profit organizations or corporations: Typically, those organizations that have 501(c)3 status and report on the IRS 990 form.		
2) SERVICES PROVIDED		
Check all general categories of services that you are qualified to provide, regardless of whether or not those services are included in your NCCMH contract: Licensed Residential Personal Residential Home Day Programs Professional Services (Therapy, Doctor, etc.) InPatient Hospital Other:		
National Provider Identifier (NPI) #, if applicable:		
Medicaid ID #, if applicable:		
Are you registered in CHAMPS: YES NO Are you accepting New Enrollees? YES NO		
Cultural Competency is required training for our staff: YES NO		
Do you have Linguistic Capabilities: YES NO NO Specify any secondary language capabilities:		
ADA Compliance: Are all of your Office/Facility, Retail outlets, Exam Rooms, Equipment able to		
accommodate persons with disabilities? OYES NO Method of Personal Intervention: We DO DO NOT train on and solely use the CPI Method.		
We (also or alternatively) use the following methods of personal intervention:		

Note: If you do not SOLELY utilize the CPI form of intervention in facilities where NCCMH clients are placed, you are required to request written approval from NCCMH Behavior Treatment Committee on the use of other forms of Non-Violent Crisis Intervention other than CPI. Alternative methods must be approved by written contract addendum. Please contact the NCCMH Contract Manager at providerrelations@norcocmh.org for information.

3) CONTACT INFORMATION

Corporate/Legal Address: Physical Address: State: Zip: City: Mailing Address: City: State: Zip: **Authorized Person to sign & modify contracts:** Contract Signee: Title: Phone: Cell: Fax: Email: **Primary Contact for Client Placement: Business Name: Primary Contact:** Address: City: Phone: Fax: Cell: Email: **Primary Contact for Finance: Business Name: Primary Contact:** Address: City: Phone:

PLEASE ATTACH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS NEEDED FOR EACH SPECIFIC MAIN LOCATION/CONTACT.

PLEASE ATTACH LISTING OF HOMES, LICENSES AND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EACH LICENSED/SPECIALIZED OR OTHER HOME TYPE.

Fax: Cell: Email:

4) ACCREDITATION, LICENSES

	
Are you licensed or accredited? OYES NO If yes, list	t below:
Accreditation/License Entity Name:	Expiration:
Accreditation/License Entity Name:	Expiration:
Accreditation/License Entity Name:	Expiration:
If no, do you have plans to become accredited? YES	NO
PLEASE ATTACH COPY OF ACCREDITATION OR LICENSES.	
<u>5) ATTESTATION</u>	
I fully understand that any misstatements in, or omissic disqualification or termination of provider participation with Notinformation submitted in this application is true to the best of me I verify that all professional staff and other health services current and in good-standing with their respective training, lice that those employees who do not yet have their required trainer working to obtain the appropriate license and/or certificat well as educational credentials were verified or completed required by Medicaid or by contract with North Country Commel understand that any contractual relationship with North subject to termination if I fail to comply with any of the by Medicaid regulation. DECLARING THAT THE STATEMENTS MADE IN THIS APPLICATION.	orth Country Community Mental Health Authority. All by knowledge and belief. staff who deliver direct services to our consumers are ensing and/or certifying board or agency. I also verify aining, license and/or certification, have a plan and ion. I also verify relevant legal background checks as diprior to hire and rechecked on any frequency unity Mental Health Authority. Country Community Mental Health Authority may be regulations or policies specified in the contract or
AND REQUEST TO BECOME OR REMAIN A PART OF THE NCCMI	
Name of Contractor's Authorized Representative	Title
Signature	Date