

**NAVAJO NATION
ARIZONA LONG-TERM CARE
SERVICES (ALTCS)**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
HARDWARE REFRESH**

**DIVISION OF FINANCE –
PURCHASING**

BID No. 25-07-3761DB

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PROJECT TITLE: Arizona Long-Term Care Services Hardware Refresh

PROPOSAL DUE DATE: July 31, 2025

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Bids using FedEx, UPS, postal mail, or personal delivery must be submitted to:

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Bids may be electronically mailed to: fwhite@azdes.gov

PROPOSAL: All interested parties are invited to review and respond to this Request for Proposal (RFP) at their discretion. Respondents are instructed to contact Freida White, Program Manager, via email at fwhite@azdes.gov for all questions about the contents of this RFP. For technical questions, please get in touch with Chris Wright, Technical Project Manager, via email at chris.wright@nntanf.org.

GUIDELINES FOR THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

I. DESCRIPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

Arizona Long-Term Care Services (ALTCS) is a Medicaid program in Arizona designed to provide long-term care services to eligible individuals who need assistance with daily living activities due to chronic illness, disability, or aging. ALTCS primarily serves seniors aged 65 and older, as well as younger adults with physical disabilities or developmental disabilities.

The program offers a variety of services aimed at helping participants live as independently as possible, whether in their own homes, family homes, or community settings, rather than in institutional care facilities. Services may include personal care, nursing care, therapy, medical equipment, transportation, and case management.

ALTCS is contracted through an intergovernmental agreement between the Navajo Nation and the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS), the state's Medicaid agency, which contracts with ALTCS to provide and coordinate care. Eligibility is based on medical need, functional status, and financial criteria.

In summary, ALTCS provides comprehensive long-term care support to vulnerable populations in Arizona to promote independence, health, and quality of life.

II. SCOPE OF CONTRACT

A. Procurement of Technology Products and Support Services

This RFP outlines the requirements for procuring various technology products and associated support services. The scope of this contract includes the supply and delivery of specified equipment and solutions from qualified vendors who maintain authorized partnerships with the relevant original equipment manufacturers (OEMs).

B. Objective

To select one or more vendors to supply and deliver hardware, technology equipment, and associated goods to support operational and security needs. Vendors will also be responsible for including OEM support for the delivered products for at least three (3) years.

C. Scope of Products

Vendors shall provide pricing, delivery timelines, and support details for the following categories:

- **Computer Hardware:** Laptops, desktops, servers, and related components.
- **Printers and Peripherals:** Office printers, scanners, copiers, external drives, docking stations, keyboards, and mice.

D. Delivery Requirements

All products must be delivered within a reasonable and specified lead time after purchase orders are issued. Vendors shall indicate typical delivery timelines for all items quoted in their responses.

E. Manufacturer Partnerships

Respondents must demonstrate and provide evidence of current and active partnerships or authorized reseller status with the proposed hardware and technology solutions manufacturers.

F. Support Services

Vendors must include at least a three-year (3) support term for all hardware and software solutions quoted in their proposals. This includes:

- Technical support
- Warranty facilitation
- Hardware replacement (as applicable)
- Software update/patch guidance (as applicable)

No implementation, installation, integration, or configuration services are required or to be included in this RFP.

G. Exclusions

This contract scope excludes any labor or services related to hardware or software systems' physical setup, implementation, installation, or configuration.

III. RESPONDENT REQUIREMENTS

All respondents must have the capabilities listed herein and must provide sufficient detailed information about the respondent's experience and expertise in meeting the following requirements:

- A. The respondent must be a GSA-qualified vendor able to offer GSA schedule pricing. (GSA pricing not required if pricing beats GSA schedule pricing, or the products are not on the GSA schedule)
- B. The respondent must be an authorized reseller of all products listed in the SOW and be able to provide hardware and services from sources other than the grey or secondhand markets. All hardware must be considered NEW and not USED.
- C. The respondent must be able to provide the equipment listed in the SOW or source an appropriate replacement that meets or exceeds the specifications of the original product requested, with a justification for the adjustment.
- D. Where specific hardware manufacturers or models are specified, the respondent must provide the make/model to meet standardization requirements.

IV. SCOPE OF WORK

ALTCS is seeking the following hardware, software, and services:

1. **Quantity 60 – Dell – Dell Pro 14 Premium Laptop with the following specifications:**
14-inch, Touch Gorilla Glass, QHD+ Tandem OLED, 400 nit, Low power, HDR, ComfortView+ 8 MP IP Cam, Intel Ultra 7 268V, vPro, 5.0 GHz, Win 11 Pro, 32 GB DDR5, 1 TB SSD, Intel BE201 Wi-Fi 7 2x2, Bluetooth 5.4, Wireless Card, 5G Qualcomm Snapdragon X72 Global 5G Model, eSIM+ Verizon, 60 Wh, ExpressCharge, 65W AC Adapter, 3\$ Power Cord 1M, ENERGT STAR Qualified, EPEAT 2018 Registered
 - Warranty – 3 Years
2. **Quantity 60 - Dell – Dell UltraSharp 27 4K USB-C Hub Monitor – U2723QE:**
 - Warranty – 3 Years
3. **Quantity 60 - Dell – Dell Premier Wireless ANC Headset WL7024:**
 - Warranty – 3 Years
4. **Quantity 60 - Dell – Dell Pro Premium Collaboration Keyboard – KB900:**
 - Warranty – 3 Years
5. **Quantity 60 - Dell – Dell Premier Rechargeable Wireless Mouse – MS7421W:**
 - Warranty – 3 Years
6. **Quantity 60 - Dell – Dell EcoLoop Urban Sleeve 15-16:**
7. **Quantity 60 - APC - BR1500MS2**
8. **Quantity 60 – Samsonite - Samsonite Tectonic 2 Large Backpack – Black:**
9. **Quantity 13 - Xerox – Xerox W150 Scanner:**
10. **Quantity 60 – Microsoft – 365 E3 Licenses:**
11. **Quantity 60 – Microsoft – 365 E5 Security Licenses:**
12. **Quantity 13 – HP – HP LaserJet Enterprise MFP 8601dn Printer – 9S186A#BGJ:**
 - Warranty – 5 Years
13. **Quantity 9 – Ubiquiti – Pro Max 48 PoE Networking Switch – USW-Pro-Max-48-PoE (720W):**
 - UI Care – 5 Years
14. **Quantity 15 – Ubiquiti – E7 Access Point – E7:**
 - UI Care – 5 Years
15. **Quantity 9 – Ubiquiti – Dream Machine Pro Max – UDM-Pro-Max:**
 - UI Care – 5 Years
16. **Quantity 1 – Ubiquiti – Uplink Cables – UACC-Uplink-SFP28-0.15M-10:**
17. **Quantity 10 – Uplink Cables – UACC-Uplink-SFP28-0.15M**

V. REQUIREMENTS

The respondent will furnish a comprehensive proposal that meets the requirements in the Scope of Work, Scope of Contract, and Respondent Requirements sections of this RFP.

VI. EVALUATION PROCEDURES

A. Evaluation Criteria

Proposals will be evaluated by ALTCS using the following criteria (maximum points listed):

- i. Proposal Content and Organization 15 points
 - ii. Methodology and timelines to complete the Scope of Work..... 50 points
 - iii. Qualifications, Credentials, and Work experience in working with Tribal Programs..... 15 points
 - iv. IVIVCost breakdown (in a separate sealed envelope)..... 20 points
- Possible Total Points..... 100 points**

B. Selection Criteria

ALTCS will use the criteria outlined in VII (A) to evaluate and compare proposals submitted. The order in which they appear is not intended to indicate their relative importance.

ALTCS shall not be obligated to accept the lowest-priced proposal, but shall make an award to the most responsible and responsive proposer whose proposal is most advantageous to and best serves the needs of ALTCS and the Navajo Nation, taking into consideration the price and the evaluation factors set forth.

C. Applicable Federal Requirements

In the acceptance of Federal Funds, the ALTCS is required to comply with all Federal and Tribal Laws and Regulations, including 45 Code of Federal Regulations Part 92, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to States, and Local and Tribal Governments; Section 92.36 (e), (1) requiring the grantee to take all necessary affirmative steps to assure minority firms, women businesses and labor surplus area firms are used when possible, including complying with the Navajo Nation’s Business Opportunity Act, 5 N.N.C., Subsection 201-215 and the Navajo Nation’s Procurement Rules and Regulations.

VII. TYPE OF CONTRACT

When the contract is awarded to the successful respondent, the Navajo Nation will utilize the standard Service Contract to procure goods and services for this project.

VIII. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The performance period will be determined and negotiated based on the timelines proposed by the respondent for completing the project.

IX. PAYMENT AND SUBMISSION OF INVOICES

- A. Payment for work performed under this contract will not exceed the contract amount.
- B. A request to modify, amend, or increase the contract amount must be submitted in advance in writing, agreed upon, and signed by both parties.
- C. Payments will be made to the contractor upon receipt of an original invoice(s) with original signature(s) and date(s) and detailed supporting documentation of the amount to be paid.
- D. All correspondences and/or invoices for this project must refer to the contract number assigned.

X. RIGHTS

- A. The ALTCS reserves the right to reject any proposals, in whole or in part.
- B. ALTCS reserves the right to request clarification of information submitted and additional information from any proposer.
- C. ALTCS reserves the right to award all or a portion of the required services to more than one proposer at ALTCS's sole discretion.
- D. This RFP is not an agreement/contract or an obligation of funds, and the ALTCS is not obligated or responsible for the cost of preparing the proposal.
- E. The respondent must provide a current Certificate of Liability Insurance.
- F. Proposal shall be received on or before 4:00 PM on July 31th 2025. Proposals received after 1:00 PM or later will not be accepted.
- G. Faxed proposals will not be accepted.

XI. AGREEMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The services requested will be provided under the Terms and Conditions outlined in the Navajo Nation's Standard Agreement. A copy of the Standard Agreement can be made available upon request. The Agreement contains the Standard Provisions and Special Provisions applicable to the services anticipated in this RFP. If the organization cannot agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Agreement, the respondent must indicate the specific section(s) of the Agreement that are unacceptable and submit alternative language explaining their change to that section. The Navajo Nation will consider the alternate language proposed by the respondent, and the Navajo Nation will not be bound by the alternate language change received from the respondent. If the organization stipulates that the Navajo Nation be bound to the language change in the Agreement, the Agreement may not be considered or rejected.

The ALTCS will reasonably try to execute an agreement by selecting the proposal that best meets its needs and requirements. The Agreement shall be signed by the contractor and returned to the ALTCS within five (5) working days of receipt. The Agreement will not become effective until it is signed by a person holding the required authority for both parties.

Failure to execute the Agreement within the period identified above will be sufficient cause for voiding the award of the Agreement. If the successful bidder refuses or fails to accept the Agreement, the ALTCS may award the contract to the following qualifying organization that responded to the bid.