

## Notice of Intent to Sole Source

The Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC), Anesthesia for Nurses (AFN) in accordance with §11-35-1560 (A) of the SC Consolidated Procurement Code, intends to award without competition, a sole source contract to Laerdal Medical Corporation.

AFN is requesting to purchase to purchase the Laerdal SimMan 3G Plus to include all required accessories, installation, training and extended warranty for the AFN simulation lab. This high-fidelity simulation training mannequin will replace the current Laerdal SimMan 3G.

Laerdal Medical is the sole manufacturer of: SimMan 3G. The Simulators work with LLEAP (Laerdal Learning Application) proprietary software. Further, Laerdal Medical is the sole provider of installation, education, technical services and support for the aforementioned equipment. Laerdal Medical is the only certified and authorized entity to provide service, warranties and maintenance on Laerdal equipment.

### Components of the SimMan 3G:

1. 212-02350: SimMan 3G Light Manikin and accessories: Includes SimMan 3G Manikin, LLEAP License, Drug Recognition Kit, USB Headset/Microphone, SpO2 Probe, Keyboard and Mouse, Consumables, Clothing, Soft Sided Carry Case, 1Year Manufacturer's Warranty.
2. 400-10201: Laptop For use with LLEAP, Ultrasound, or as a Patient Monitor
3. 400-29301: All In One Panel PC For use as an Instructor Computer with LLEAP software, or a LLEAP, SimPad or SimPad Plus Patient Monitor
4. 212-B-EDBNDL1: SimMan 3G Education Bundle: Getting Started/LLEAP A 2-day educational session with a Laerdal Educator at the customer site for up to 8 participants. Day one focuses on fundamental knowledge of the Simulator and day two provides in-depth knowledge of the Learner Application software.
5. 212-B-VplusPS3G: ValuePlus SimMan 3G Platinum Includes Installation, Extended Warranty, Loaner coverage and Preventative Maintenance on Site
6. Training
7. Warranty: One(1) year warranty on manufactured products and 90 day warranty on refurbished products. Two(2) year parts replacement warranty with technical assistance by phone on all Hill-Rom refurbished products

This notice of intent is not a request for competitive proposals. Any responsible sources who wish to identify their interest and capability to provide these services must notify the Procurement Officer Angie DeVeaux via email at [deveauan@musc.edu](mailto:deveauan@musc.edu) no later than March 19, 2021, (12:00 a.m. EST). Telephone responses will not be accepted. Upon receipt of the interested parties' notification, the Procurement Officer will determine whether to conduct a competitive procurement or proceed with sole source negotiations.

PROTESTS (MAY 2019) If you are aggrieved in connection with the intended award of this contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in §11-35-4210. To protest an intended award of a contract pursuant to §11-35-1560, you shall (i) notify the chief procurement officer in writing of your intent to protest within five (5) business days of the date this intent to award is posted, and (ii) if the appropriate chief procurement officer has been timely notified of your intent to protest, you may submit your actual protest within fifteen days of the date this notice of intent to award is posted. Days are calculated as provided in §11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided.

Any protest or notice of intent to protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, Materials Management Office, and submitted in writing (a) by email to: [protest-mmo@mmo.state.sc.us](mailto:protest-mmo@mmo.state.sc.us) or (b) by post or delivery to: 1201 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, SC 29201