

March 24, 2010

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD
RFP 028-0-2010/AB
Medical and Dental Insurance Benefits for NHREC Employees**

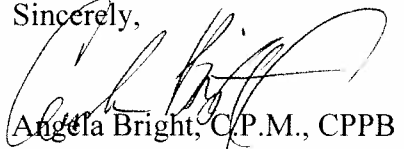
To All Offerors:

Please be advised that NNPS has completed the evaluation of proposals for the Health Insurance Benefits for NHREC Employees under Request for Proposal (RFP) #028-0-2010/AB, which included medical, vision, and dental. Based on the evaluation factors in the RFP and the needs of the regional education center, the proposal for **Medical Insurance Benefits submitted by Optima Health** and the proposal for **Dental Insurance Coverage submitted by United Concordia** were determined to be the best proposals for NHREC and its employees. It is the intention of NHREC to award the contract for Medical insurance benefits to Optima Health and award a separate contract for Dental Insurance to United Concordia, accordingly, **effective April 5, 2010**. The requirements for vision coverage under this RFP will not be awarded at this time. However, it is anticipated NHREC will re-solicit for the employee vision benefits in the near future.

On behalf of the New Horizons Regional Education Center (NHREC) and NNPS, I would like to thank you for your interest in providing health insurance coverage to NHREC employees and your participation in the RFP process.

Should you have any questions regarding the above RFP process, please feel free to contact me at (757) 597-2820 or angela.bright@nn.k12.va.us.

Sincerely,


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