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**HCJFS/BCCS/CCDJFS REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT SERVICES RFP#SC1113-R**

ADDENDUM 1

RFP Conference Attendees:

Catholic Charities of Southwest Ohio, Inc.

To All Potential Proposers:

Questions Received during RFP Conference

Q1. Does this RFP differ from the previous RFP?

A: This RFP is similar to the previous RFP, however, the primary changes are contained in Section 1.2. Please review RFP in its entirety to ensure provider's conformity to the RFP instructions.

Q2. Is specialized skill training required for this RFP?

A: While Specialized Skill Training is not required, please demonstrate your organization's ability to meet specialized training needs.

Q3. Will you provide Providers with the budget amount?

A: We do not have the exact budgeted amount for this service. However, the current budgeted amount will at least equal last year's amount.

Q4. Where did extra money come from last year?

A: Funds are allocated by the Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services based on Federal allocations, County needs, etc. As such, funding levels will vary by year and projected usage and are, therefore, always subject to change.



Q5. Will there be a split contract again?

A: We are unsure what is meant by this question.

Q6. Will budget be separated (purchase orders) between November, 2013 – December, 2013 and January, 2014 – September, 2014?

A: Yes.

Q7. Will the state seek a new RFP when they take over the grant?

A: We are unsure at this time.

Q8. What does employment training mean?

A: Training geared toward ensuring Refugee arrivals become acclimated to the U.S. workforce (i.e. overcoming language, transportation and cultural barrier to employment).

Q9. Resumes for staff? Just administrative staff?

A: We are asking for resumes to be submitted for key personnel such as Agency Director, CFO, and Administration who will be working directly with the program such as Program Director.

