

University of Louisville
DEPARTMENT OF PROCUREMENT SERVICES
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

Invitation No: RP-032-23
Title: Dental Lab Services
Addendum No. 1

Date: 2/23/2023

The following shall clarify and/or modify the original bid document(s) as issued by the University of Louisville.

RP-032-23 is amended with the attached Questions and Answers

The due date for responses to RP-032-23 is moved to March 10, 2023 at 2:00PM EST.

Bidder must acknowledge receipt of this and any addenda either with bid or by separate letter. Acknowledgement must be received via email or in the Department of Procurement Services, Service Complex Building, University of Louisville no later than **3/10/2023 at 2:00PM EST**. If by separate letter, the following information must be placed in the lower left-hand corner of the envelope:

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Questions for RP-032-23

1. Crown - PFM noble metal (line 22) versus Crown - porcelain to noble mtl (line 28): These could mean the same product. Please clarify the difference. Is line 28 meaning adding the porcelain, not including the metal substructure?

<Codes are different because one is an individual crown and the other is associated with a bridge>

2. Crown - porcelain/ceramic (line 30) and Crown - porcelain/ceramic (line 32) have the same description, but different numbers below on lines 31,33. How are these different? What type of products are these? Are they porcelain to lithium (pressed coping) or porcelain to zirconia (milled coping via cad/cam)?

<Could be any of these materials. Bridge retainer crown 6740, Single crown 2740>

3. Will you be needing crowns, pontics, implant crowns and pontics that are full zirconia (no porcelain)? If so, do you want us to add these products to the price list?

<They fall under porcelain/ceramic substrate>

4. Crown- porcelain/ceramic (CAD/CAM) (line 34) - Is this porcelain to lithium (milled coping via cad/cam) or porcelain to zirconia (milled coping via cad/cam)?

<We are assuming this only has to do as to how the lab constructs crown>

5. On the removable products that say "includes denture teeth" (lines 10, 12, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44). Do you mean lab denture teeth such as Meyerson teeth or upgrade denture teeth such as BlueLine teeth?

<Dentsply Classic for interim temp and Portrait for permanent are the only teeth>

6. Master Impression (line 56-58) - Does this mean a soap study modelwork or is this a regular modelwork?

<We do this inhouse, no lab involvement>

7. Master Impression (CD Course) (lines 59-61) - Please clarify what this product is and how it is different from the Master Impression (line 56-58).

<Internal codes, no lab involvement>

8. Max partial - cast metal frame -includes denture teeth, clasps, tube teeth, and facing (line 62) - Is this the final stage or finish stage of a max partial? Or does this product include all three partial stages (framework, teeth, finish)? If it is the later, then do you want us to add a Max partial - Finish product to this price list?

< Yes, this product include all three partial stages (framework, teeth, finish)>

9. Occlusal orthotic device (line 76) - Please clarify the design and material for this product such as Hard TMJ device, thermoplastic occlusal guard with excursions, etc.

<Hard Acrylic, Full arch w/ canine guidance>

10. Splint Therapy (line 96) - Please clarify this product in more detail, including material.

<Hard Acrylic, Full arch w/ canine guidance>

11. Wax Try - In (line 98) - Is this a wax rim with base plate wax only? Or is this a wax rim with base plate wax and denture teeth?

<Internal code-no lab involved>

12. Overdenture-complete max / mand (line 139 and 143) - These are fixed by being screw retained in the patient's mouth, correct? **Not necessarily, It can be a bar overdenture with a fixed bar or a locator OD.** Do these products include the lab providing the implant parts or will the implant parts be provided by UOL? **U of L will provide implant parts most of the time.** Will these be using implant parts such as gold adapt implant parts that will be cast in noble or high noble alloys? **Usually we will need the restorations milled, but in rare occasions we will need them casted.** Or will these be full zirconia or porcelain fused to zirconia framework? **We use full metal, PFM, zirconia and PFZ.** Please clarify more details about these products for us to price accurately.
13. Overdenture-partial max / mand (line 141 and 145) - These are fixed by being screw retained in the patient's mouth, correct? Do these products include the lab providing the implant parts or will the implant parts be provided by UOL? Will these be using implant parts such as gold adapt implant parts that will be cast in noble or high noble alloys? Or will these be full zirconia or porcelain fused to zirconia framework? Will these involve titanium bars? Please clarify more details about these products for us to price accurately.

<Same answers to question #13 as answered on #12>

14. Implant/abutment supported removable denture for edentulous arch-max and mand (lines 147, 149, 151, 153) - These are removable overdentures with upgraded denture teeth and snap in housings/rings placed in the denture, correct? **They don't have upgraded teeth, they are the same. If we are doing locator attachments ((housings) then it is an implant retained OD, not implant supported OD.** If not, please clarify more details. Do these products include the lab providing the implant parts or will the implant parts (the lab analogs, housing kits) be provided by UOL? **Not at the DMD level. Most of the times we provide the parts in Grad Pros and Faculty practice, but not always.** How many implants do these products usually include (2,3,4 or more implants)? **2 at the DMD level. For Grad Pros and Faculty practice it can be from 1-6 implants.**
15. On page 27 (ff) of the RFP: It mentions filling out a form for HECVAT as part of the response. Does this apply for this proposal for our dental lab?

<This does not apply for this proposal.>