



**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF PHARMACY**

Notice of Intent to Award

Procurement Type and Number	RFP FRX 3120003200
Procurement Title	RFP Pharmacy Professionals Recovery Program Services
Opening Date and Time	September 12, 2025 at 2:00 pm CT

The following offerors submitted responses to the above solicitation:

- Mississippi Association of Recovering Pharmacists
- Professionals Health Network, Inc.
- Pathways Counseling, PLLC
- Uprise Health

Responses were evaluated according to the criteria stated in the solicitation. We announce our intent to award a contract to the following offeror upon approval by the Public Procurement Review Board:

- Professionals Health Network, Inc.

We would like to thank each vendor for your time and efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation.

Offerors are reminded that any protests of this decision must be submitted to Todd Dear, Associate Director of the Mississippi Board of Pharmacy, within seven (7) calendar days after the issuance of this notice or no later than September 30, 2025. The protest must be in writing, identify the name and address of the protestor, provide appropriate identification of the procurement and resulting contract number (if known), and detail the nature of the protest, including available supporting exhibits, evidence, or documents to substantiate any claims.

The successful offeror is instructed not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the project or services until execution of the contract.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the State of Mississippi.

Sincerely,

Todd Dear, Associate Director
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Evaluation Committee Report

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The offerors' proposals were evaluated and received the following scores:

Offeror Name	Cost Score	Technical Score	Management Score	Quality Improvement and Governance	Overall Score	Overall Rank
Professionals Health Network Inc.	34	22	21	10	87	1
MS Association of Recovering Pharmacists	34.6	14	11	3	62.6	2
Uprise Health	13.4	13	19	5	50.4	3
Pathways Counseling, PLLC	35	3	7	1	46	4

The Mississippi Board of Pharmacy intends to award the contract to: **Professionals Health Network, Inc.**

The intended awardee was selected because the intended awardee received the highest overall score during evaluation.

Evaluation Committee Members and Advisors

Name	Job Title	Member or Advisor	State/Non-State Employee
Jillian Foster	Board Member and Pharmacist	Member	Non-State Employee
Craig Sartin	Board Member and Pharmacist	Member	Non-State Employee
Susan McCoy	Executive Director	Member	State Employee

Catina White	Director of Compliance	Member	State Employee
Avery Lee	General Counsel	Advisor	State Employee

The *curriculum vitae* of all non-state employees, evaluation committee scoresheets and record of discussions are attached in the posted procurement file. The full Mississippi Board of Pharmacy Procurement File is available for public inspection at www.mbp.ms.gov

Any unsuccessful offereor may request reconsideration of the Agency's intent to award the contract in accordance with Section 6.9.3 of the *PPRB OPSCR Rules and Regulations*.