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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP GRADUATE STIPEND PROGRAM AND PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST STIPEND PROGRAM FY 2021-2026

(Release Date: May 27, 2021)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

July 9, 2021

The Department of Behavioral Wellness (BWell) County of Santa Barbara hereby announces a conditional contract award to the Bidder listed below selected through the RFP identified above. It is the intent of the Department of Behavioral Wellness County of Santa Barbara to enter into a contract with the following Selected Bidder to serve as the administrator and fiscal intermediary for the delivery of a Graduate Stipend Program and a Peer Support Specialist Stipend Program:

Selected Bidder	Maximum Contract Amount (for 5-year term)
Campbellsville University	\$3,581,000 (including 15% administrative costs)

Protests concerning the proposed award must be filed **by 5:00 PM on July 14, 2021**. The grounds for protest are as described in the RFP. Protests must be submitted through RFP 360, the online RFP management software that BeWell uses to automate the RFP

process. See <https://www.countyofsb.org/behavioral-wellness/bids.sbc> for information about how to access RFP 360.

This Notice of Intent to Award is subject to execution of a written contract. This Notice does NOT constitute the formation of a contract between BWell and the Selected Bidder. The Selected Bidder shall not acquire any legal or equitable rights to provide services for BWell until a contract containing terms and conditions acceptable to BWell is properly executed. BWell further reserves the right to cancel this Notice of Intent to Award, in whole or in part, at any time prior to the execution of a written contract with the Selected Bidder.

This Notice of Intent to Award is conditioned upon final approval by the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors after successful contract negotiations between BWell and the Selected Bidder.