

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
THE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA MONROE  
MONROE, LOUISIANA  
A Member of the University of Louisiana System

November 24, 2020

Addendum No. 3  
Bid # 50006-080  
COVID PCR Testing

**Due: December 8, 2020 @ 2 PM**

The purpose of this addendum is to respond to questions submitted by potential bidders.

1. **Q:** In 2.2.5, can you clarify from how many locations the 60-80 daily samples will be coming from?  
**A:** Samples will come from either the ULM campus, or the selected lab.
2. **Q:** Also, is your requirement to have results within 24 hours of collecting the sample or from when the samples arrive at the lab?  
**A:** ULM expects the have results within 24 hours of when the samples arrive at the lab.
3. **Q:** Are you expecting testing to take place for ½ days on Friday each week? Or just Monday –Thursday?  
**A:** ULM is expecting testing to take place Monday through Thursday only.
4. **Q:** The contract is firm, requesting a firm price, but is this on a per unit (test) basis or for the full project (not per test). If it is the latter then what is the firm estimate of tests required? The RFP currently has variable ranges.  
**A:** Pricing is to be firm and fixed per line item, for the term of the agreement.
5. **Q:** Is there a type of collection method preferred out of the options discussed?  
**A:** ULM prefers the PCR nasal pharyngeal method of collection.
6. **Q:** With the ongoing testing, will there be a location where materials can be stored securely when testing is not taking place?  
**A:** Yes, ULM will provide a secure location to store testing materials.
7. **Q:** Is it required for personnel to administer the test or is self-collection an option?  
**A:** Test must be administered by a trained professional. No self-administered tests will be allowed.
8. **Q:** Is ULM providing the Physician oversight or is the Lab expected to do so?  
**A:** ULM is providing Physician oversight.

Bidders must acknowledge receipt of this addendum by signature below and return with your bid.

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Authorized Signature

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Company Name

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Date