

General Information

HCP or Consortium: 33858 - Community Hospital Corporation
Application Number: RHC46100022025
FCC Registration Number: 0021677935
Address: 7950 LEGACY DR STE 1000 , PLANO, TX 75024-0417
Application Nickname: FY 2026 KVC
Funding Year: 2026
Funding Priority: Priority 8

Consortium Participating Sites

HCP Number	Name	LOA Expiry
61117	KVC - Prairie Ridge	12/31/2045
61118	KVC - Olathe	12/31/2045
61119	KVC - Wheatland	12/31/2045
61128	KVC - Parsons	12/31/2045
61137	KVC - Logan	12/31/2045
61139	KVC - Beckley	12/31/2045
61140	KVC - Spencer	12/31/2045
61136	KVC - Branchland	12/31/2045
61135	KVC - Jackson	12/31/2045
61138	KVC - Princeton	12/31/2045
61143	KVC - Lexington C-19	12/31/2045
61142	KVC - Mullens	12/31/2045
61141	KVC - Wayne	12/31/2045
61147	KVC - Hazard	12/31/2045
61148	KVC - Morehead	12/31/2045
61150	KVC - Richmond	12/31/2045
61144	KVC - Ashland	12/31/2045
61129	KVC - Pittsburg	12/31/2045
61151	KVC - Wichita Hospital	12/31/2045
61122	KVC - Hiawatha	12/31/2045
61121	KVC - Chanute	12/31/2045
61120	KVC - Corporate	12/31/2045
61124	KVC - Kansas City	12/31/2045
61126	KVC - Leavenworth	12/31/2045
61131	KVC - Wichita	12/31/2045
61152	KVC - Ft. Scott	12/31/2045
61123	KVC - Independence	12/31/2045
110795	KVC - Caverns Data Center	12/31/2045

Requested Services

Type of Services	Description for Other	Min Download Speed	Max Download Speed	Min Upload Speed	Max Upload Speed	Speed Unit	Allow Bids for Similar Services
Data		8	10000	8	10000	Mbps	Yes
Other	Virtual Private Network (VPN) or similar (managed Firewall)	1	10000	1	10000	Mbps	Yes
Equipment							
Installation							
Network Management Services							

Dates and Timing

What is the HCP's desired service contract length?:	Up to 3 Year(s)
Will the HCP consider bids with contract extension language?:	Yes
Will the HCP consider bids for month-to-month contracts?:	Yes
What is the HCP's desired time to publicly post this request for services?:	28 Day(s)
What is the HCP's expected bid evaluation period after the public posting?:	1 Day(s)

Bid Evaluation

Select the criteria that will be used to evaluate the bids collected.

Criteria	Description	Evaluation Weight (%)	Minimum Requirement
Price		40	See RFP
Leverage existing resources		30	See RFP
Technical support		15	See RFP
Other	Network Design / Maintenance	15	See RFP

Does the HCP have any disqualifying factors that will remove bids or bidders from consideration?: Yes

Disqualifying factors:

The determination of whether an offer is responsive, complete, and compliant with the requirements of this ITB shall be made solely at the discretion of the designated evaluators. Such determinations shall be final and not subject to appeal or further review. Offers may be deemed non-responsive and disqualified, in whole or in part, for any reason identified by the evaluators, including but not limited to unsolicited or SPAM-based submissions, failure to follow required submission procedures, failure to provide requested information, certifications, or documentation, failure to submit required signed documents, material inconsistencies with ITB requirements, or submission after the stated deadline. See RFP for any additional disqualify factors.

Main Contact

Name	Organization	Title	Phone	Email	Address
Whittney Walker	Community Hospital Corporation	VP, Telecommunications Services	9729431226	wwalker@communityhospitalcorp.com	7950 Legacy Dr Suite 1000, Plano, TX 75024

RFP and Summary

Is the HCP likely to request more than \$100 000 in program support from this request for services?: Yes

Do state, Tribal, or local procurement rules require the HCP to include an RFP with this request for services application?: No

Will the HCP be including an RFP with this application?: Yes

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Summary of the HCP's requested services. :

Network Managed Services, Transport and Internet Access are sought to support ongoing network operations and ensure reliable, secure connectivity for healthcare delivery. Medical Grade Networks are designed to be resilient, highly available, and hardened to provide transport and Internet connectivity to Healthcare Providers, partners, and critical systems such as Electronic Health Records. Proposed services may include point-to-point transport, MPLS, Ethernet, Internet access (including colocation-based or Low Earth Orbit solutions - as examples), VPN services, managed firewall functionality, professional services, and rack space necessary to make connectivity operational. Colocation services, if proposed, are limited to housing eligible network infrastructure required to support broadband connectivity and do not include application hosting, cloud computing, or other ineligible IT functions.

Additional Documentation

Document Type	Description for Other	Document	Uploaded On
Network Plan		KVC Health Systems Network Plan 2026-29.pdf	2/16/2026 8:35 AM EST
Other	NMS Information	HCF-Program-Examples-of-Commo n-Products-and-Services - Highlights.pdf	2/16/2026 8:35 AM EST

Declaration of Assistance

Name	Organization Type	Title	Employer	Nature of Relationship	Email	Telephone
Dan Kettwich	Consultant	RHC Manager	ADS Advanced Data Services, Inc	Consultant	dkettwich@adsadsi.com	(281) 465-8888
Wendy Minor	Consultant	RHC Manager	ADS Advanced Data Services, Inc	Consultant	wminor@adsadsi.com	(281) 465-8888

Certifications

- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that I am authorized to submit this request on behalf of the healthcare provider or consortium.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that I have examined this request and all attachments, and to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all statements contained herein and in any attachments are true.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the applicant seeking supported services has complied with any applicable state, Tribal, or local procurement rules.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that all requested RHC Program support will be used solely for purposes reasonably related to the provision of health care service or instruction that the health care provider is legally authorized to provide under the law of the state in which the services are provided.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the applicant seeking supported services satisfies all of the requirements under section 254 of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 254, and applicable Commission rules.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the applicant seeking support has reviewed and is compliant with all applicable RHC Program requirements.
- ✓ I understand that all documentation associated with this request, including a copy of the signed Request for Services (FCC Form 461), any bids/contracts resulting from the FCC Form 461 posting, scoring sheet, and other information that was used in the decision making process, must be retained for a period of at least five years pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.631, or as otherwise prescribed by the Commission's rules.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the applicant seeking supported services is a nonprofit or public entity that falls within one of the seven categories set forth in the definition of health care provider listed in 47 CFR §54.600 of the Commission's rules.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the applicant seeking supported services is physically located in a rural area as defined in section 47 CFR § 54.600 of the Commission's rules, or is a member of a consortium which satisfies the majority-rural composition requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.607 of the Commission's rules.
- ✓ I certify under penalty of perjury that the services will not be sold, resold, or transferred in consideration for money or any other thing of value.

Signature

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