

Chinese Journals

NLM Notice No. 75N97024Q00027

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This notice is for acquisition of commercial supplies and/or services for which the Government intends to negotiate with only one source. This acquisition will be processed under FAR Part 12 - Acquisition for Commercial Items and will be made pursuant to the authority of 41 U.S.C. 1901 Use of Non-Competitive Procedures and 13.106-1(b) Soliciting from a Single Source.

The National Library of Medicine (NLM) intends to procure on a sole source basis with Beijing Book Co Inc., 701 E Linden Av., Linden, NJ 07036-2414, Congressional District: 10, under FAR 6-302-1. To purchase 881 of the Chinese Language journal issues rationale (please see attached list below). The National Library of Medicine (NLM) was established "to assist the advancement of medical and related sciences and to aid the dissemination and exchange of scientific and other information important to the progress of medicine and to the public health..." ([42 U.S.C. 286](#)). Central to this mission is the development of a collection that supports contemporary biomedical and health care research and practice as well as future scholarship. Building on the NLM's Congressional mandate, a collection policy was first adopted in June 1976. To this end, NLM has been working with vendors to source materials for the NLM collection from various geographic regions of the world to meet the NLM collection guidelines criteria.

In order to carry out NLM's Congressional mandate to acquire, preserve and organize the world's biomedical literature and to disseminate information concerning this literature to health professionals as expeditiously as possible, this purchase will support the NLM collection.

This purchase will satisfy the NLM's literature needs in the segment of the NLM collection covering the Chinese language periodical publications in biomedical field. All titles have been thoroughly reviewed and selected by the NLM Collection development librarians and meet the NLM Collection Development guidelines for biomedical research literature. The purchase will ensure the continuity of the serial subscriptions for these titles.

The North American Industry Classification System Code (NAICS) is - 519210 (Libraries and Archives).

Firms interested in responding to this notice must be able to provide the professional services requires by NLM. The offeror shall include all information necessary to document and or support the quotation.

Via e-mail to [elena.leon2@nih.gov](mailto:elena.leon2@nih.gov), by 4/18/2024. ATTN: Elena Chaparro Salgado.

Include NLM Notice No. 75N97024Q00027 Please note, FACSIMILES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTABLE.

Inquiries regarding this procurement may be made by 4/15/2024, 4:00 PM Eastern Time, to the National Library of Medicine, Office of Acquisitions, 6707 Democracy Boulevard, Suite 105Q3, MSC 5488, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, and Attention: Elena Chaparro Salgado, Contracting Officer, on (301) 496-6546.

Full text of clauses and provisions are available at Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR): The following clauses and provisions shall apply to this acquisition and maybe obtained from the web site:

<https://www.acquisition.gov/browse/index/far>

FAC Number: 2024-03 effective date 2/23/2024

FAR 52.212 1, Instructions to Offerors Commercial Items (Sep 2023).

FAR 52.212-2. Evaluation – Commercial Items (Nov 2021).

Offerors are advised to provide with their offer a completed copy of the following provisions:

FAR 52.212-3, Offeror Representations and Certifications Commercial Products and Commercial Services (February 2024).

FAR 52.212-4, Contract Terms and Conditions Commercial Products and Commercial Services (Nov 2023) – With Addenda [Stop Work Order.

FAR 52.212- 5, Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders - Commercial Products and Commercial Services (Sep 2023).

FAR 52.242-15 Stop – Work Order (August 1989) and Year 2000 Compliance (July 1989).