



UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Purchasing Division

Written Questions and Answers

Dose Monitoring & Tracking System

RFP UK-2317-23

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No.	Question	Answer
1	<p>Pricing is a subscription-based model. Subscription fees are determined by the estimated annual volumes of the modalities covered within the contract. Please provide the estimated annual volumes for the following imaging modalities:</p> <p>CT Fluoro (IR and General) X-Ray (CR / DX) Mammo Molecular Imaging MRI Sono</p>	<p><u>Annual Volumes:</u> CT – 113,422 Fluoro – 16,436 X-Ray – 257,986 Mammo – 17,942 Molecular Imaging – 10,778 MRI – 30,882 Ultrasound – 68,170</p>
2	<p>Can companies from Outside USA can apply for this? (like, from India or Canada)</p>	<p>Yes</p>
3	<p>Whether we need to come over there for meetings?</p>	<p>Virtual Meetings are acceptable for RFP review process.</p>
4	<p>Can we perform the tasks (related to RFP) outside USA? (like, from India or Canada)</p>	<p>Unknown at this time.</p>
5	<p>Can we submit the proposals via email?</p>	<p>No</p>
6	<p>How many physical locations would utilize the solution?</p>	<p>8 (Chandler, UK Good Samaritan Hospital, Whitney Hendricks building, Turfland, Kentucky Clinic, Kentucky Clinic South, Medical Office Building, Professional Arts Building)</p>
7	<p>Would it be possible to provide an equipment list (with the modality type)?</p>	<p>After the RFP process has completed, and a vendor selected</p>

8	Can you provide an estimated annual study/exam volume for the modalities in scope, grouped into the following buckets: CT/IR, CR/DR, MG, MR, NM, US	See question #1
9	Are all facilities and modalities utilizing the same PACS and RIS systems?	PACS – No, RIS – Yes.
10	Do you currently send exam data to the ACR-DIR?	Yes
11	As part of the implementation are you interested in routing historical data into the system? If so, how far back?	Yes, through December 2017
12	Would training be most likely held one time in one facility, or would there likely be multiple training events to serve different departments or facilities?	Training can be centralized to one location, but may be held over various dates/ times
13	What is the total device count, broke down by modality? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 170 total devices – modalities - Xray, Fluoro, Mammo, US, CT, NM/PET, MRI Ex. Xray 20 devices, CT 30 devices, Mammo 13, etc. 	X-ray - 51 Fluoro - 71 Mammo - 4 US - 12 CT - 14 NM - 5 PET - 2 MRI - 11
14	Within XR and Fluoro – does that include Cath and IR Labs? Surgery C-arms? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please include total device counts for those devices 	Yes. See Fluoro modality count in question 13
15	Total # of facilities? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hospitals (in-patient), Out-patient/Imaging Centers 	Hospitals – 2 (CH/GSH) Ambulatory – 6 (Whitney Hendricks building, Turfland, Kentucky Clinic, Kentucky Clinic South, Medical Office Building, Professional Arts Building)
16	Interested in Single Sign-On? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to utilize UofK's log-in credentials 	Yes
17	Test environment needed?	No
18	Reasoning for the following can you please explain, as they are not dose emitting devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MR - Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) or/ and B1-rms in MRI scanners 	SAR is safety indicator for MRI and the same for Thermal Index and Mechanical Index in Ultrasound. Would like the ability to

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultrasound – Track Mechanical Index (MI) and Thermal Index (TI) from procedures along with demographics 	track in similarly to how we monitor radiation dose.
19	The RFP mentions a total of 170 modalities, but what is the breakdown per modality?	See question 13
20	<p>This is in regard to section 4.6.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Should interface with Epic, Change HealthCare (PACS), Nuance PowerScribe, and accept data from all imaging modality vendors. <p>Are there specific integrations you want to see with Nuance PowerScribe? Our system has many industry standard integrations so if you are looking for specific ones in PowerScribe then being aware will allow us to focus on describing the most applicable ones in the reply.</p>	Ability to translate dose information directly into the PowerScribe report
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Direct access to the raw stored data. <p>Please clarify what raw data is? We assume this is all the collected/parsed data and not the original raw data image files. Storing raw image files with all image data dicom tags would mean that the dose management system will become a small PACS when it comes to sizing.</p>	“all collected/parsed data” is correct.