



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES

The Department of Children, Youth, and Families contemplates awarding a sole source contract to provide required training and reflective supervision and consultation to our Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT) program contractors. This contractor also provides Infant Mental Health Certification for our ESIT Early Intervention Services Providers.

The Washington Association for Infant Mental Health (WA-IMH) is the official state chapter of the World Association for Infant Mental Health. They are the only organization that offers the official endorsements for Infant Mental Health (IMH) in the state. They are also the only agency that can vet supervisors to ensure that the supervisors meet the standards of the Infant Mental Health Endorsement ® and provide oversight on reflective supervision groups that meet the endorsement criteria.

The contract will be issued on or about September 28, 2022. The dollar value is estimated at \$76,362 for work required during the period ending June 30, 2023. The funding period of this Contract is from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 and all services must be provided by June 30, 2023; however, the end date of this contract is extended to July 31, 2023, to allow time for data to be received and final reports to be completed. The term of this contract may be extended by five (5) additional one (1) year term, at the sole option of DCYF.

Offerors contemplating the above requirements are required to submit capability statements detailing their ability to meet the state's requirements by September 20, 2022. The following information should be included in the capability statements:

- Describe curriculum and ability to provide an Introductory Reflective Supervision Training, specifying platforms available – virtual and/or in-person.
- Submit number of Reflective Supervision Consultants available and endorsement qualifications of same for providing Reflective Supervision.

In the absence of other qualified sources, it is the state's intent to make a sole source award of the Contract.

To submit capability statements or for questions, contact:

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