November 13, 2026

ADDENDUM #4

RE: Alternative to Placement and Aftercare Services Request for Proposals (RFP) EPIN: 06826P0005

Pursuant to Sections 3-02(i) and 3-16(o)(2) of the Procurement Policy Board (PPB) Rules, the Administration for Children's Services is issuing **Addendum #4** to the Alternative to Placement and Aftercare Services Request for Proposals (RFP) EPIN: 06826P0005.

QUESTION AND ANSWER

Below is a question and answer submitted to the RFP mailbox as of November 12, 2026.

1. **Will agencies that are planning to submit a proposal to the RFP be allowed to choose their consultation support from any MST Network Partner; specifically for the MST standards teams (not the MST-Psych teams)? Or does the RFP call for them to work directly with the MST-Psych consultant for all teams, including the MST standard teams?**

Providers will have the discretion to choose any licensed MST Network Partner organization to support the standard MST team(s). However, only MST Services can support MST-Psych. The RFP does not limit standard MST teams to working with MST Services for consultation support. However, there may be clinical and economic advantages to having MST Services support both the MST-Psych and MST programs. A single expert has a broad view of both programs, allowing them to leverage organizational strengths and address challenges across teams. Additionally, there may be some savings realized when the consultant conducts booster trainings across both programs.