

**NEIGHBORS IN NEED OF SERVICES, INC. (NINOS)**  
**HEAD START / EARLY HEAD START PROGRAM**

*“Creating a brighter future for our children and la familia”*



**Sensitivity & Fire Alarm  
Testing/Maintenance  
FY 2024/2025  
24-RFP-018**

**Neighbors In Need Of Services, Inc. Head Start/Early Head Start  
Invitation to Bid**

**BID NUMBER# 24-RFP-018**

**BID TITLE: Sensitivity & Fire Alarm Testing**

**DATE DUE: September 13, 2024**

**DUE NO LATER THAN 4:00 P.M.**

NINOS, Inc. Head Start / Early Head Start Program is a private non-profit organization. NINOS, Inc. Head Start / Early Head Start Programs provide services to low income families for children from birth to five years of age. The agency is funded to serve 1,990 children throughout the counties of Cameron and Willacy Counties.

The agency is currently seeking bids for **SENSITIVITY & FIRE ALARM TESTING (See Exhibit "A" for Specifications)**

**Closing Submission Date and Public Opening**

Please submit the following information in a sealed envelope by 4:00 p.m. on September 13, 2024. Bid opening will be held on September 16, 2024 at 9:00a.m. at NINOS, Inc. Administration office located at 22887 State Highway 345, Rio Hondo TX 78583

**Inquiries**

For further information please contact Tracy Torres, Director of Finance, at (956) 399-9944 ext 114 or email at [tracy.torres@ninosinc.org](mailto:tracy.torres@ninosinc.org).

**Non-Discrimination and Equal Opportunity**

No person shall on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, handicap, political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, be subjected to discrimination under, or be denied employment in the administration of or in connection with any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this contract.

**Non-responsive Proposals**

Proposals may be judged non-responsive and removed from further consideration if any of the following occur:

1. The proposal is not received timely in accordance with the terms of this proposal.
2. The proposal does not follow the specified format.
3. The proposal does not include documentation of accompanying credentials.

**Review Process**

NINOS, Inc. reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted and contemplates award of the contract to the responsible bidder with the most advantageous bid.

**Other Conditions**

All contracts shall contain the following procurement provisions as applicable:

All proposals must include all applicable charges and shipping costs.

**Neighbors In Need Of Services, Inc. Head Start/Early Head Start  
Instructions**

Carefully read all instructions, requirements and specifications. Fill out all forms properly and completely. Prior to returning your sealed bid response / submittal, all Addendums - if issued - should be reviewed and downloaded by entering the NINOS, Inc. web site at [www.ninosinc.org](http://www.ninosinc.org).

Please return bid in sealed envelope. Be sure that return envelope shows the Bid Number, Description and is marked "SEALED BID".

**RETURN BID TO:**

Delivered to the administration office by Delivery Services.

Attn: Tracy Torres  
22887 State Highway 345  
Rio Hondo, TX 78583

Mailed using USPS.  
Attn: Tracy Torres  
PO Box 189  
Rio Hondo, TX 78583

**You must sign below in ink failure to sign will disqualify the bidder. All prices must be typewritten or written in ink.**

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Your signature attests to your offer to provide the goods and/or services in this bid according to the published provision of this bid.)

## Exhibit "A" Specifications

<b>All Prices To Include Labor/Materials/Parts/Other Cost for Sensitivity &amp; Fire Alarm Testing/Maintenance</b>	<i>Labor Cost</i>	<i>Parts/Material Cost</i>	<i>Other Cost Freight, Service Call Cost Etc...</i>	<i>Total Cost</i>
For All Of NINOS, Inc. System To Include Cameron County & Willacy County (27 sites)				
Fire Inspection: Per Site				
Fie Sensitivity: Per Site				
Smoke Detectors				
Heat Detectors				
Horn Strobes				
Strobe Lights				
Kitchen Hood Connection				
Control Panel Battery/s				
New Fire Alarm Panel				
<b>Service Call Rate-</b>				
Regular Hours				
After Hours				
Filled Out By Print Name:				
Filled Out By Signature:				
Date:				

