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**National Association for Public Health Statistics and Information Systems (NAPHSIS)  
Sole Source Procurement Electronic Verification of Vital Events (EVVE) Fact of Death  
(FOD) Contract Terms/Scope of Work**

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The Mississippi Division of Medicaid (DOM) anticipates to contract with the National Association for Public Health Statistics and Information Systems (NAPHSIS) for the below outlined professional services through a sole source purchase.

Description of Services

NAPHSIS shall provide DOM, as a Credentialed Customer, access to its Electronic Verification of Vital Events Fact of Death Nationwide System (EVVE FOD System) database so that DOM can send fact-of-death queries (“Queries”) to participating vital records offices (“JVROs”) and receive fact-of-death reports (“Reports”) in response to those queries from applicable JVROs. These verifications will assist DOM to ensure proper compliance in maintaining its beneficiary roles as required by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (P.L. 111-148), as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 (P.L. 111-152).

Specifically, NAPHSIS will grant DOM a limited, non-exclusive, non-transferable, revocable license to do the following:

- A. Create a DOM user account for the services (the “User Account”);
- B. While logged into the User Account, remotely access and use the System via a web user interface made available by NAPHSIS (or an alternative secure communication method then-approved by NAPHSIS in writing and available) to:
  - (i) Send Queries to participating JVROs; and
  - (ii) Receive Reports in response to those Queries from applicable JVROs.
- C. Use those Reports internally solely for Approved Purposes (collectively, the “Services”).

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Estimated Cost for Services

The estimated cost for these services shall not exceed \$75,000.00 for the term of the anticipated contract based on the below NAPHSIS EVVE FOD pricing structure:

State/Local Government Pricing Structure:

| No. of Queries Submitted Per Month | Price Per Month      | As Low As                        |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1-100                              | \$3.20 per query     | \$3.20 per query                 |
| 101-500                            | \$320                | \$0.64 ea for 500 queries        |
| 501-1,000                          | \$400                | \$0.40 ea for 1,000 queries      |
| 1,001-5,000                        | \$800                | \$0.16 ea for 5,000 queries      |
| 5,001-10,000                       | \$1,200              | \$0.12 ea for 10,000 queries     |
| 10,001-50,000                      | \$2,000              | \$0.04 ea for 50,000 queries     |
| 50,001-100,000                     | \$2,400              | \$0.024 ea for 100,000 queries   |
| 100,001-500,000                    | \$3,200              | \$0.006 ea for 500,000 queries   |
| 500,001- 1 million                 | \$4,000              | \$0.004 ea for 1 million queries |
| 1,000,001- 5 million               | \$5,000              | \$0.001 ea for 5 million queries |
| Over 5 million                     | Inquire with NAPHSIS | Inquire with NAPHSIS             |

- A. Contractor will invoice DOM on a monthly schedule based on DOM total number of queries for that month. NAPHSIS may make changes to the pricing structure under this Article V upon no less than 30 days’ notice.
- B. Fact-of-Death Credentialing Application and Enrollment Fee – each will be a one-time fee charged to DOM in advance of Contractor starting services at the amounts listed below:
  - (i) Credentialing Application Fee: \$50.00 (one-time charge);
  - (ii) Enrollment Fee: \$250.00 (one-time charge).

Anticipated Contract Term

The anticipated term of this contract shall be for a period of one (1) year, beginning on May 1, 2022, and ending on April 30, 2023.