



STATE OF TENNESSEE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

**REQUEST FOR GRANT PROPOSAL # 34347-98027  
AMENDMENT # 1  
FOR PERINATAL TELEHEALTH**

DATE: APRIL 21, 2026

RFGP # 34347-98027 IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. This RFGP Schedule of Events updates and confirms scheduled RFGP dates. Any event, time, or date containing revised or new text is highlighted.

EVENT	TIME (Central Time)	DATE (all dates are state business days)
1. RFGP Issued		CONFIRMED
2. Pre-Proposal Tele-Conference	2:30 p.m.	CONFIRMED
3. Notice of Intent to Propose Deadline	2:00 p.m.	CONFIRMED
4. Written "Questions & Comments" Deadline	2:00 p.m.	CONFIRMED
5. State Response to Written "Questions & Comments"		April 16, 2026
6. Proposal Deadline	2:00 p.m.	April 21, 2026
7. State Completion of Organizational & Technical Grant Proposal Evaluations	2:00 p.m.	May 6, 2026
8. State Scoring of Grant Budgets	3:00 p.m.	May 6, 2026
9. Evaluation Notice Released		May 7, 2026
10. Contractor Contract Signature Deadline		June 15, 2026
11. Effective Start Date of Contract		July 1, 2026

2. State responses to questions and comments in the table below amend and clarify this RFGP.

Any restatement of RFGP text in the Question/Comment column shall NOT be construed as a change in the actual wording of the RFGP document.

QUESTION / COMMENT	STATE RESPONSE
1 Was the pre-response teleconference recorded?	Yes, please use the following link: <a href="#">RFGP #34349-98027 Teleconference-20260410 1549-1</a>
2  How do I register as a supplier for the State?	Please submit the Supplier Maintenance SDDA Access form and the W9 form per the instructions below:  The Supplier Maintenance SDDA Access form must be submitted per the instructions at the bottom of the form.  The W9 form must be emailed to <a href="mailto:Supplier.Maintenance@tn.gov">Supplier.Maintenance@tn.gov</a>
3  What is the limit on indirect costs that can be charged for this grant?	Section C.8. of the Sample Grant contract states, "Should the Grantee request reimbursement for indirect cost, the Grantee must submit to the Grantor State Agency a copy of the indirect cost rate approved by the cognizant federal agency or the cognizant state agency, as applicable. The Grantee will be reimbursed for indirect cost in accordance with the approved indirect cost rate and amounts and limitations specified in the attached Grant Budget. Once the Grantee makes an election and treats a given cost as direct or indirect, it must apply that treatment consistently and may not change during the Term. Any changes in the approved indirect cost rate must have prior approval of the cognizant federal agency or the cognizant state agency, as applicable. If the indirect cost rate is provisional during the Term, once the rate becomes final, the Grantee agrees to remit any overpayment of funds to the Grantor State Agency, and subject to the availability of funds the Grantor State Agency agrees to remit any underpayment to the Grantee."
4 Our practice already serves a broad area of Middle Tennessee with many patients living in rural areas. Do we need to establish new collaborations with other practices in our regional perinatal center or can we use existing connections? Can part of our aim during the grant period be to build better regional connections to expand care?	Yes, established collaborations are fine. The proposal needs to clearly identify how those collaborations align with the proposed perinatal telehealth project.
5 Is there a page limit for Section IV of the application?	No

3. **RFGP Amendment Effective Date.** The revisions set forth herein shall be effective upon release. All other terms and conditions of this RFGP not expressly amended herein shall remain in full force and effect.