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Generative Unconstrained Intelligence Drug Engineering (GUIDE) collaboration between U.S. interagency, academic and industry partners

Department of Defense › Department of the Army › W6QK ACC-APG

Solicitation `W911SR-25-S-GUIDE`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Fair · 53 / 100

Fair (C, 53/100): active buyer ($16.7B FY24–FY26), full and open; but updated 52 days ago.

+9.6 Issuer & market | −7.0 Freshness | +3.3 Competition & access | −1.9 Time & stage

Informational, not advice. How the score works: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

At a glance

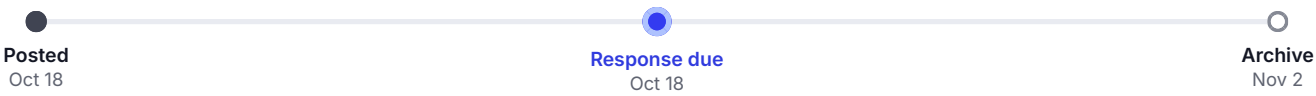
ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$524K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	None Full and open competition	541715 Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences (except Nanotechnology and Biotechnology)	AC13 Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Frederick, Maryland	Oct 18, 2024 Updated Sep 23, 2026	Oct 18, 2028, 12:00 PM EDT 702 days left	Official federal notice Updated Sep 23, 2026

Our summary

Department of the Army (W6QK ACC-APG), part of the Department of Defense, posted a special notice titled “Generative Unconstrained Intelligence Drug Engineering (GUIDE) collaboration between U.S. interagency, academic and industry partners” under solicitation number W911SR-25-S-GUIDE. It was first posted on Oct 18, 2024 and has been updated 5 times since. Responses are due Oct 18, 2028, 12:00 PM EDT. It is classified under NAICS 541715 (Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences (except Nanotechnology and Biotechnology)) and product/service code AC13. No set-aside is listed. The place of performance is Frederick, Maryland. The listed point of contact is Joseph McCaffery.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline



02 Score breakdown

Every RFP starts at 50. Each factor adds or subtracts points depending on how this RFP compares with a typical one, scaled by its weight and by how sure we are of the data. Unknown data has no effect.

Factor		◀ lowers the score · raises the score ▶	Points	Range
Value	ESTIMATED		+0.2	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 80%
No value published. Typical award is about $524K: the median of 2,487 Army contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 541715, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		+3.3	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 100%
Full and open competition. The largest recipient took 13% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, and spending is spread across many vendors.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+9.6	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 100%
Army obligated $16.7B on NAICS 541715 across 2,557 contracts in FY24–FY26. 10 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		−1.9	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Special notice: 703 days to respond (due Oct 18, 2028, 12:00 PM EDT). Long lead time.				
Clarity & completeness	MEASURED		−0.8	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 100%
0 documents, 2 named contacts with email, 570-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		−7.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Updated 52 days ago.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **53.4**

Score **53** (C)

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days



Nov 13: 54 Nov 14: 53

Evaluated Nov 15, 2026, 3:25 AM EST · version 1.0.0

How the score works

Value	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Competition & access	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Issuer & market	weight 20 · −23.4 to +12.6
Time & stage	weight 15 · −14.9 to +12.2
Clarity & completeness	weight 15 · −18.9 to +8.1
Freshness	weight 10 · −9.0 to +9.0

Measured data counts fully, estimated data counts less, unknown data counts zero. Grades: A 80–100 · B 65–79 · C 50–64 · D 35–49 · F 0–34. Data confidence (96/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

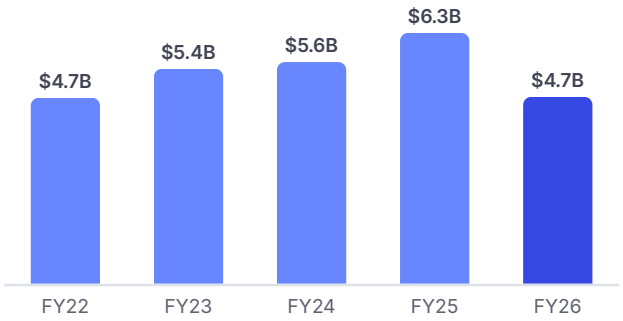
03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of the Army, NAICS 541715. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

CONTRACTS AWARDED	TOTAL OBLIGATED	MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
2,557	**$16.7B**	**$524K**
New awards, FY24–FY26	Obligated FY24–FY26	2,487 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of the Army, NAICS 541715



Award size

Army NAICS 541715 contracts, FY24–FY26 (log scale)



For reference, the typical federal contract award above $25K across all agencies is about $69K.

Largest recipients in this market

Share of obligated dollars, FY24–FY26

1	The MITRE Corporation	$2.2B	13%
2	CACI Technologies, LLC	$1.7B	10%
3	Georgia Tech Applied Research Corp	$856M	5%
4	Leidos, Inc.	$783M	5%
5	Intuitive Research And Technology Corporation	$546M	3%

These are the largest recipients across this agency and NAICS code, not the incumbent of this RFP. Concentration feeds the Competition & access factor.

How this market feeds the score

Value	Competition & access	Issuer & market
+0.2	+3.3	+9.6
Typical award ~$524K	Full and open	Active buyer ($16.7B FY24–FY26)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 13, 2026.

04 Requirements & logistics

Facts from the notice. Confirm every requirement and date on the official notice before responding.

Eligibility

SET-ASIDE

Full and open competition: any responsible business may respond.

NAICS

541715 Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences (except Nanotechnology and Biotechnology)

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

AC13

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Frederick, Maryland

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

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Documents

No documents are listed on the notice.

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

Before you respond

Confirm on the official notice

- [ ] Read every attachment and amendment on the official solicitation
- [ ] Confirm the response deadline and time zone
  Oct 18, 2028, 12:00 PM EDT
- [ ] Check you meet the set-aside / eligibility requirement
  Full and open competition
- [ ] Make sure your federal entity registration (UEI) is active
  Federal awards require an active entity registration
- [ ] Confirm how to submit
  See the official solicitation

Bid / no-bid questions

For your own decision

- [ ] Do you have relevant past performance for this scope and customer?
- [ ] Can you staff and deliver on time with a compliant response?
- [ ] Can you perform in Frederick, Maryland?
- [ ] Does your pricing fit the typical award range ($248K–$1.9M)?
- [ ] Do you need a teaming partner or subcontractors to cover the full scope?

A generic checklist, not advice to bid or not bid.

05 Related RFPs

Open RFPs with the same NAICS industry group or category (same state first, then by score), and more from this issuer. Each title links to its page on RFP Detector.

Similar open RFPs

- B | 72 **Hydrosphere, Biosphere, & Geophysics (Hbg) Support Services II - Final Request for Propos...**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Due Dec 4
- B | 71 **W56KGU-22-R-0ESI BAA Amendment 0009**
  Department of the Army · Due Oct 31
- B | 70 **Tactical Resupply Unmanned Aircraft System Increment II Cargo UAS Industry Demonstration**
  Department of the Navy · Due Nov 30
- B | 69 **Preclinical Medications Discovery and Abuse Liability Testing for NIDA**
  National Institutes of Health · Due Nov 27
- B | 66 **Broad Agency Announcement DEVCOM C5ISR ESI**
  Department of the Army · Due Oct 31

More from W6QK ACC-APG

- C | 60 **Request for Information – Prophylactic Platform for Medical Countermeasures**
  Department of the Army · Due Nov 18
- C | 56 **CBRND Seeking Aircraft Interior Decontamination Technology**
  Department of the Army · Due Nov 24
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  Department of the Army · Due Dec 7
- C | 51 **Request for Information (RFI): Vehicle Integrated Point Enhanced RADIAC (VIPER) - Tracked...**
  Department of the Army · Due Dec 10

Data and as-of times

Notice data	Official federal notice, first seen Nov 13, 2026, updated Sep 23, 2026
Market data	Federal award history, contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 13, 2026
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Official notice	Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

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