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Request for Information - CMS' Qualified Independent Contractor (QIC) Program

Department of Health and Human Services › Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services › Ofc of Acquisition and Grants Mgmt

Solicitation `RFICMSQIC2026`

Closed on Nov 5, 2026 · similar open RFPs on page 5

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

C
55

Medium data confidence

Score at publication: 55 (C)

Frozen when the RFP closed; closed RFPs never show a live score

Fair (C, 55/100): posted today; but limited documentation.

+9.0 Freshness | −3.9 Clarity & completeness | +1.4 Time & stage

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

At a glance

VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
Not stated No value published	**None** Full and open competition	**541611** Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services	**R499** Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Not stated	**Oct 15, 2026** Updated Oct 19, 2026	**Nov 5, 2026, 11:00 AM EST** Closed	**Official federal notice** Updated Oct 19, 2026

Our summary

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (Ofc of Acquisition and Grants Mgmt), part of the Department of Health and Human Services, posted a request for information titled “Request for Information - CMS' Qualified Independent Contractor (QIC) Program” under solicitation number RFICMSQIC2026. It was first posted on Oct 15, 2026 and has been updated once since. The response deadline was Nov 5, 2026, 11:00 AM EST. It is classified under NAICS 541611 (Administrative Management...

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 17)



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	UNKNOWN		0.0	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 0%
No value published, and there isn't enough award history to estimate one. Scored as neutral.				
Competition & access	ESTIMATED		−0.6	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 60%
Full and open competition.				
Issuer & market	ESTIMATED		−0.9	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 25%
5 other RFPs from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services on RFP Detector in the past 12 months; no award history found.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+1.4	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Special notice: 21 days to respond (due Nov 5, 2026, 11:00 AM EST).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		−3.9	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email, 44-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **55.0**

Score at publication **55** **(C)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

Closed RFPs keep their score at publication, so there is no live trend.

Evaluated Oct 15, 2026, 1:00 PM EDT · 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 (53/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

03 Market intelligence

No federal award history found for this agency and NAICS code.

RFPS FROM THIS ISSUER

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Other RFPs, past 12 months

PROFESSIONAL & MANAGEMENT CONSULTING RFPS IN MARYLAND

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Other RFPs, past 12 months

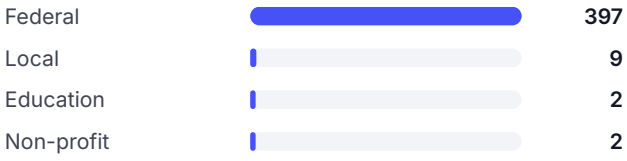
MEDIAN PUBLISHED VALUE

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Shown once 10+ similar RFPs publish a value

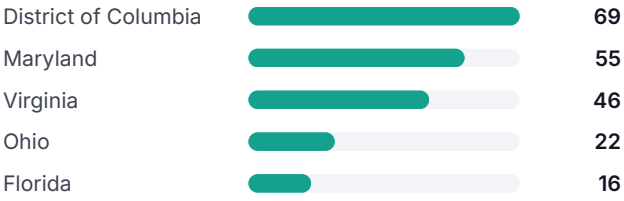
Professional & Management Consulting RFPs by sector

First seen on RFP Detector, past 12 months · 117 open now



Where they are posted

Top states by place of performance or issuer, past 12 months



No award history found for this agency and NAICS

Federal award records show fewer than 20 contract awards for this NAICS code at the agency and at all agencies combined, or the notice has no NAICS code. The Value and Issuer & market factors are scored as unknown or from issuer activity only, so they have little or no effect on the score.

How this market feeds the score

Value	Competition & access	Issuer & market
0.0	−0.6	−0.9
Value not published	Full and open	Little issuer history

Based on RFP Detector records: public RFPs first seen in the past 12 months, as of Nov 17, 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

541611 Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

R499

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Not stated

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.

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This RFP is closed

Responses are no longer accepted, so the response checklist is omitted. The facts above stay available for reference and for similar bids; see similar open RFPs and more from this issuer on page 5.

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 | 76 **Marine Resource Technical Services Throughout the Naval Facilities Engineering Systems Co...**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 7
- B | 72 **FY27 NWK Facilitated Partnering SATOC**
  Department of the Army · Due Nov 24
- B | 72 **One Acquisition Solution for Integrated Services Plus (OASIS+) Service-Disabled Veteran-O...**
  Federal Acquisition Service · Due Jan 11
- B | 72 **One Acquisition Solution for Integrated Services Plus (OASIS+) Historically Underutilized...**
  Federal Acquisition Service · Due Jan 11
- B | 72 **One Acquisition Solution for Integrated Services Plus (OASIS+) 8(a) Small Business Set-As...**
  Federal Acquisition Service · Due Jan 11

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- C | 57 **Accountable Care Organization Medicare Shared Savings Program (ACO MSSP)**
  Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services · Due Nov 23
- B | 77 **SI-Assisted Omni Channel Experience - Request for Information**
  Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services · Due Jan 5
- B | 69 **Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) Jurisdiction 8 (J8) - Final Solicitation**
  Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services · Closed
- B | 70 **Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) Jurisdiction 8 (J8) - Synopsis/Draft RFP / Preso...**
  Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services · Closed

Data and as-of times

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