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Sources Sought Notice to Identify Potentially Capable, Interested Parties for Biospecimen Collection and Biobanking Services

Department of Health and Human Services › National Institutes of Health › National Institutes of Health Olao

Solicitation `NCI-SS-DCTD-BCBS-0001`

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B
69

RFP DETECTOR SCORE

Strong · 69 / 100

Medium data confidence

Strong (B, 69/100): posted today, 20 days to respond.

+9.0 Freshness | +5.4 Time & stage | +3.2 Issuer & market | +2.3 Clarity & completeness

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

At a glance

VALUE **Not stated** No value published	SET-ASIDE **None** Full and open competition	NAICS **Not stated**	PSC **Not stated**
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE **Not stated**	POSTED **Nov 20, 2026**	RESPONSE DUE **Dec 11, 2026, 3:00 PM EST** 20 days left	LISTING **Official federal notice** Updated Nov 20, 2026

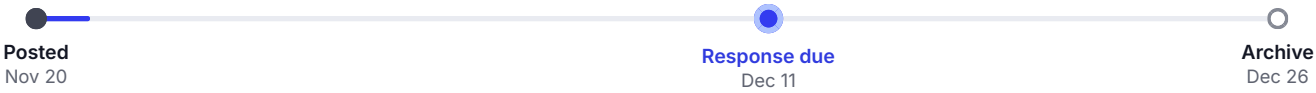
Our summary

National Institutes of Health (National Institutes of Health Olao), part of the Department of Health and Human Services, posted a sources sought notice titled “Sources Sought Notice to Identify Potentially Capable, Interested Parties for Biospecimen Collection and Biobanking Services” under solicitation number NCI-SS-DCTD-BCBS-0001. It was posted on Nov 20, 2026. Responses are due Dec 11, 2026, 3:00 PM EST. No set-aside is listed. The listed point of contact is Eve Van Buren.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 22)



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		+3.2	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 25%
97 other RFPs from National Institutes of Health on RFP Detector in the past 12 months; no award history found.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+5.4	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Sources sought (market research, not a bid): 20 days to respond (due Dec 11, 2026, 3:00 PM EST).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		+2.3	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email, 1,828-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **69.3**

Score **69** **(B)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

The trend appears once the score has changed. Time-dependent factors (deadline, freshness) are re-evaluated every night.

Evaluated Nov 21, 2026, 6:15 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 (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	SIMILAR RFPS IN MARYLAND	MEDIAN PUBLISHED VALUE
97	—	—
Other RFPs, past 12 months	No category assigned yet	Shown once 10+ similar RFPs publish a value

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	+3.2
Value not published	Full and open	Active issuer (97 RFPs)

Based on RFP Detector records: public RFPs first seen in the past 12 months, as of Nov 22, 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
Not stated

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)

Contacts

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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
  Dec 11, 2026, 3:00 PM EST
- [ ] 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 where the work is located?
- [ ] Does the likely contract size fit your capacity?
- [ ] 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

No similar open RFPs right now.

More from National Institutes of Health Olao

- D | 35 **Existing Service Agreement**
  National Institutes of Health · Due Nov 23
- D | 47 **Optos California Service Agreement**
  National Institutes of Health · Due Nov 23
- D | 40 **Angiographic Catheters**
  National Institutes of Health · Due Nov 23
- D | 37 **Combined Synopsis Solicitation- Acquire Preventati**
  National Institutes of Health · Due Nov 23

Data and as-of times

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