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The American Institutes for Research® (AIR®) is a Pool 2 Unrestricted Contractor for the Government-wide GSA OASIS Contract

One Acquisition Solution for Integrated Services (OASIS)

OASIS is an IDIQ contract vehicle administered by GSA which has many advantages to HHS agencies. The Department is required to drive more contracts through this vehicle to meet OMB goals for focused contracting (Spend Under Management). By using a Best-in-Class vehicle like OASIS, your agency will help meet its Spend Under Management goals.

Advantages of using the OASIS contract:

- Services any type of Professional Services currently under CMS' existing vehicles
- Supports all contract types including FFP, T&M, Cost, Hybrids, Etc.
- No maximum order or ceiling limitations
- Solicitations not required to be posted on FBO.gov
- Prohibits protests on orders valued at less than \$10M
- Utilizes streamlined acquisition procedures (FAR 16.505)
- No FAR 15.3 source selection requirement
- Ordering CO determines terms & conditions, evaluation criteria and method of award
- Rapid Cycle from RFP to Award:
 - Less than \$10 Million ~ 60 days
 - Value between \$10 Million - \$50 Million ~ 3.5 months
 - Over \$50 Million ~ 4.5 months

GSA has a dedicated OASIS contracting team that is readily available to work with an agency's contracts personnel and support them in leveraging this vehicle. Warranted agency COs will be required to obtain Delegation of Procurement Authority (DPA), which requires a two-hour training from GSA. Below are GSA's and AIR's OASIS contacts. GSA and AIR are available to answer questions about this Best-in-Class vehicle.



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