

4/21/2025

Addendum # 2 to Bid 002889

Change the above referenced bid to agree with this addendum.

This addendum must be signed and included with bid submission

Signature:
Q. Who is the current vendor providing services? A. Sharps – MWM
Q. What are the current rates? A. \$0.55 per pound

- Q. Is it mandatory that vendors submit only one per pound disposal rate or may vendors submit a separate per pound disposal fee for pathological waste disposal services?

 A. Yes, it is mandatory that the vendor should submit one per pound disposal rate that encompasses all costs (direct and indirect) and cannot submit additional fees. No, a separate disposal fee is not accepted.
- Q. May vendors submit any additional fees such as a stop charge, minimum pickup or no waste fee? A. No, every and all fees should be included within the bid price for disposal. No other fees or charges will be accepted on the invoice.
- Q. Is LSUHSC able to provide more detailed information regarding the number of pickups and the volume of waste (containers or lbs) that each site location generates per pickup or per year?

 A. We have two pickups per week, as stated in Section 3.1 of the bid document, except for those that fall on holidays/campus closures which are communicated ahead of time to the vendor, averaging ~100 pickups per year. We also have an estimated annual average volume of 140,000 lbs and the estimated volume percentages per pick up location provided in Section 3.1. The average volume of waste generated over the past two years was 143,000 lbs (2023 was higher than usual due to the MEB lab moves/clean out).
- Q. Is the Clinical Sciences Research Building the only location that will be generating and disposing of pathological waste? If other sites will be generating this type of waste, can LSUHSC provide the average volume of this type of waste that the locations will generate per pickup or per year? A. Yes, the CSRB will be the only location generating pathological waste.