

Procurement Summary

Basic Information

Procurement Title:	Borden Avenue Veterans Shelter
Agency:	Department of Homeless Services
Agency Email Contact:	accoprocurements@dss.nyc.gov
Procurement Description:	<p>The Department of Homeless Services (DHS) is seeking an appropriately qualified vendor to operate a 254 bed short-term housing facility for homeless veterans at the Borden Avenue Veterans Residence (BAVR) Transitional Housing facility located at 21-10 Borden Avenue, Long Island City, New York, 11001. The description for this site is listed below in Section 1, B. Site Profile.</p> <p>The contractor selected through this RFP will provide the services in accordance with New York State Codes, Rules and Regulations, Title 18, Part 491 (18 NYCRR 491), DHS policies and procedures, and related court decrees.</p> <p>DHS' overall goals and objectives with respect to this procurement are to develop and refine its programming to engage and motivate clients, and to encourage participation that will enable clients to achieve independent living outside the shelter system.</p> <p>In an effort to combat homelessness among veterans in New York City, the short-term housing program was established in conjunction with the United States Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). This unique partnership between the VA and DHS provides a seamless continuum of care from entry into the short-term housing facility to the transition into independent living. Short-term housing will provide a stable and supportive environment for veterans as they work towards permanent housing. It will offer veteran-specific services directly and through referral and DHS will have a formal relationship with VA to ensure access to the network of services available to eligible veterans through the VA.</p>
HHS Accelerator Service Applications Required:	<p>To receive this RFP in the HHS Accelerator system, you must have an approved Service Application for at least one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mental Health Services• Primary Care• Shelter• Case Management• Substance Abuse Services