CLARIFICATIONS FOR TENDER NO.MOH/UHC/ONT/001/2018-19 FOR SUPPLY OF LABORATORY EQUIPMENT AND CONSUMABLES

A number of bidders have requested for clarifications regarding the above tender. The following is a list of responses:

**Question 1.**

The equipment is requested to have a battery operation, confirm if the battery is lithium recharge or external battery.

**Answer**

The instrument in the tender should be operated by battery or electricity. The battery should be an alternate source of power for electric power as per the tender specifications.

**Question 2.**

The tender requests for an equipment which can do electrolytes, blood gases, hematology, cardiac marker among others. What are the parameters to be measured?

**Answer**

The test parameters to be measured are already listed in the tender. The instrument must have multifunctional testing capacity to measure additional tests among the test menu listed.

**Question 3.**

What is the pack size of the kits?

**Answer**

The pack size of the test kits will depend on the various brands currently available in the market as the specifications are generic.
Question 4.

Where will the equipment be used? These parameter requests are for critical care and emergency applications.

Answer

The equipment will be used in a wide array of facilities such as health centres (peripheral) to the referral facilities.

Question 5

These specifications seem tailored for a specific manufacturer. Can we provide a different equipment, as the parameters are diverse for one machine?

Answer

The specifications are generic. Kindly submit the tender in the conformity with the required specifications.

Question 6

The specifications are not clear on what analyzer you are requesting for the bid. Please expound if this is a point of care hemoglobin analyzer or a hematology full blood count analyzer.

Answer

The analyzer is one capable of performing the tests parameters listed including hematological indices. The instrument MUST be portable with multifunctional testing capacity.

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For: Principal Secretary