



SPEECH SERVICES CONTRACT

4.4.2023

SPEECH & LANGUAGE SERVICES OVERVIEW



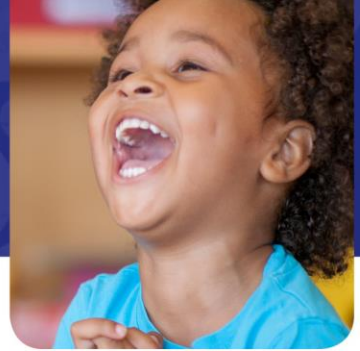
- Improving communication skills decreases challenging behaviors in classrooms
- Pre-K 4 SA provides on-site speech therapy services for eligible children through an external vendor.
 - Assessment Intervention Management (AIM) has provided this service since 2013
- SY 2022-2023 over 130 children (6%) in need of special education services
 - 79 children currently in speech therapy across 4 centers

SOLICITATION PROCESS



- Pre-K 4 SA worked in coordination with the City's Finance Department, Procurement Division (Procurement) to develop a Request for Proposals (RFP) inviting qualified individuals and/or firms for speech-language pathologists with a scope to include the following:
 - conduct speech screeners;
 - support our Response-to-Intervention (RtI) process;
 - and to provide speech therapy services for students eligible for special education that are attending Pre-K 4 SA Education Centers

SOLICITATION TIMELINE



Milestone	Date	Outcome
RFP Released	November 9, 2022	N/A
RFP Closed	December 14, 2022	3 proposals received <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AIM• Greater Learning LP• Speech Specialists of SA
Evaluation Meeting	January 26, 2022	Incumbent (AIM) selected for contract award

RECOMMENDATION



Staff recommends Board approval of a contract with Assessment Intervention Management (AIM) to provide speech services for Pre-K 4 SA for three years, with two, one-year options to renew for a total contract value not to exceed \$625,000.



QUESTIONS?