

Business Operations  
Ofelia San Pedro, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT:                    AWARD BID NO. 097-HH10 – RESPIRATORY THERAPY,  
REGISTERED NURSING, AND LICENSED PRACTICAL  
NURSING SERVICES**

**COMMITTEE:                INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS**

**LINK TO DISTRICT  
STRATEGIC PLAN: EVALUATE AND REDESIGN INTERNAL BUSINESS  
OPERATIONS**

The purpose of this bid is to select an agency which provides Respiratory Therapy (RT), Registered Nursing (RN), and Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN) services required for the education of students with disabilities, for whom such services have been identified as necessary, to access education. Fifteen (15) vendors responded to this advertised solicitation.

Fund Source  
No Cost Contract

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid No. 097-HH10 – RESPIRATORY THERAPY, REGISTERED NURSING, AND LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSING SERVICES, required for the education of students with disabilities, for whom such services have been identified as necessary, to access education, during the term of the bid, effective October 1, 2008, through September 30, 2010, as follows:

1. MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES, INC.  
7227 LEE DEFOREST DRIVE  
COLUMBIA, MD 21046  
OWNER: BRANDI PHILBRICK  
ASSISTANT CONTROLLER

Total Low Unit Prices: Items 1 through 3.

Item 1 – Respiratory Therapy Services @ \$12 per hour.

Item 2 – Registered Nursing Services @ \$24 per hour.

Item 3 – Licensed Practical Nursing Services @ \$23.50 per hour.

2. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$8,200,000.

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