


**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD**  
**RFQ NO. 3150002788**  
**THERAPEUTIC FOSTER CARE SERVICES**

To whom it may concern:

Responses to the Request for Qualifications (hereinafter “RFQ”) released on March 23, 2020 by the Mississippi Department of Child Protection Services (hereinafter “MDCPS”) for Therapeutic Foster Care Services have been evaluated pursuant to the RFQ. The terms of the contract are July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2024 with one (1) one-year renewal to be exercised at the discretion of MDCPS. MDCPS determined the response submitted by all vendors to be the most advantageous to the State and, therefore, the contracts resulting from the RFQ are hereby awarded to:

- Apelah, Inc. (\$15,541,262.00)
- Catholic Charities, Inc. (\$4,521,094.40)
- Health Connect America, Inc. (\$2,825,684.00)
- Hope Village for Children, Inc. (\$1,412,842.00)
- Mississippi Children’s Home Society d/b/a Canopy Children’s Solutions (\$1,412,842.00)
- Southern Christian Services for Children and Youth, Inc. (\$4,521,094.40)
- United Methodist Children’s Home of Mississippi, LLC (\$4,944,947.00)

Sincerely,

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Noah Gibson  
Procurement Director