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## LACERS Vision Plan Services RFP Q&A

**1. Question:** In the documentation that has been provided, the only mention of plan design is 12/12/24.

a) There was no mention of any copays for exams, materials or contact lens fittings.

Can you please clarify?

b) Would they like any covered lens options?

i. Polycarb for children?

ii. Scratch?

iii. Tint?

iv. Frame allowance?

v. Contact lens allowance?

**Answer:** You may find Blue View Vision benefit summary on Pages 37-39 in the [2024 LACERS Health Benefit Guide](#) and more data is available on our [Evidence of Coverage](#) webpage.

**2. Question:** Contribution levels, if any?

**Answer:** Contribution levels are combined with medical and based on services credits. You may find more information in the [2024 LACERS Health Benefit Guide](#).

**3. Question:** Is there any way we can get a copy of the current plan?

**Answer:** You may find Blue View Vision benefit summary in the [2024 LACERS Health Benefit Guide](#) and more data is available on our [Evidence of Coverage](#) webpage.

**4. Question:** Is the Vision RFP both Fully Insured and Self-Funded?

**Answer:** Yes.

**5. Question:** On the RAMPLA.Org Website, please confirm ALL items under “Compliance Document” will only be required to be completed once awarded the business.

- a. Disclosure Ordinance
- b. Equal Benefits/First Source Hiring Ordinance
- c. Executive Directive 35 Compliance and
- d. California Iran Contracting Act of 2010.

**Answer:** The abovementioned documents are not required for this RFP. Please see Pages 3-4 of the General Conditions, under “Demonstration of Compliance Required With Proposal” for compliance documents that must be submitted with your proposal, which encompass most of the attachments. The documents required after a mandate is awarded are located on Page 5.

**6. Question:** On the RAMPLA.Org Website, please confirm if the Business Inclusion Outreach is a requirement for this RFP. It’s not listed on the RFP’s Timeline or listed as part of the required items.

**Answer:** The Business Inclusion Outreach is not a requirement for this RFP. Please see Page 3 of the General Conditions, under “Demonstration of Compliance Required With Proposal” for compliance documents that must be submitted with your proposal, which encompass most of the attachments.

**7. Question:** When will we receive the Pricing Workbook referenced on page 22 of the LACERS Vision RFP\_Final.pdf. document?

**Answer:** The Pricing workbook should have been provided. If you have not received the pricing workbook, please reach out to Erin Robinson at [erobinson@keen.com](mailto:erobinson@keen.com).

**8. Question:** Is it possible to obtain the group's current ASO fees for dental and vision?

**Answer:** See the utilization reports for dental and vision for administration fees.

**9. Question:** Please clarify if fully insured or ASO quotes are being requested. The Intent to bid references that they are Self Insured, but the questionnaire references fully insured quotes.

**Answer:** Both fully insured and self-funded proposals are being requested.

**10. Question:** Under the wellness initiative, how much are the current dental / vision carriers contributing to these programs? Are these via credits included in the rates/fees or are they outside of the coverage costs?

**Answer:** The current vision carrier's wellness contribution has been \$5,000 each year for the past three plan years and is not built into the fee and rate structure. We would prefer outside the fee and rate structure. Refer to Pages 3, 15, 16 of the RFP for a description of the Wellness requirements. The funds to Wellness also include open enrollment allotments. Please see the Dental Question and Response for the response for dental.