

MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

Item Information

Scouting Number	2023-101
Item to be Scouted	Non-woven Hygiene Product
Days to be scouted	60
Description	New non-woven hygiene product with 3 dimensional core insert to extend time and effectiveness of use.
State item to be used in	Arkansas

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Supplier Information

Type of supplier being sought	Manufacturer
Reason	New product startup

Summary of technical specifications and performance requirements

Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	Traditional non-woven pad with super absorbent section inserted during manufacturing process.
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	Product drawing available. Insert approximately 3" L x 1.5" W x 1" D Overall product similar to traditional winged pads up to 10" L x 7" wide
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	Super absorbent insert material to extend release time to the supporting pad. Material to be similar to Chitosan but open to alternatives including Kenaf, natural bamboo, cotton, rayon, and others.
Are there applicable certification requirements?	No
Are there applicable regulations?	No
Additional Technical Comments	

Volume and Pricing

Estimated potential business volume	100-200 initial run 50K to 100K first year volumes
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	\$3000-5000 for total cost of initial run.

Delivery Requirements

When is it needed by?	3-6 months
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Describe packaging requirements	12 per pack, open to discussions on best packaging method
Where will this item be shipped?	Initially Arkansas

Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?