Request for Quotation (RFQ)

1. Contract Title
RFA Generator RFG-X1-120V GX1 Radiofrequency Gen 120V Kit or Equivalent

2. Background
The RFA generator is a critical device used during radiofrequency ablation pain intervention procedures to reduce chronic pain and decrease opioid use in patients. Currently, only one RFA Generator is available daily in the Desert Willow Pain Procedure room at the Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System. The high utilization limits the number of procedures that can be performed, resulting in extended wait times and suboptimal patient care. An additional RFA generator would allow for increased procedural capacity, especially for procedures conducted in the OR, resulting in improved care continuity and reduced reliance on community care. The RFA generator is essential, as it enables targeted pain relief by disrupting pain-signaling nerves.

3. Scope
This procurement is for the purchase of an RFA generator only. The equipment will support a wide range of interventional pain procedures, including but not limited to knee, hip, sacroiliac, and facet joint interventions.

4. Salient Characteristics (Minimum Requirements)
The quoted product must meet or exceed the following:

- Four independent output channels (for treatment of multiple sites and operation in monopolar, bipolar, or pulsed RF modes)
- Easy-to-use capacitive touchscreen with auto calibration
- Contact Quality Monitoring (CQM) for accurate electrode and ground pad connection
- Durable aluminum chassis and standard ground pad compatibility
- USB support for software updates and system upgrades

- Designed for multiple interventional pain procedures (e.g., facet, sacroiliac, and peripheral nerve ablations)
- FDA-cleared, Class II medical device; compliant with applicable safety/regulatory standards
- Standard voltage configurations (120V/220V/240V) for clinic compatibility
- New equipment only; used or refurbished items are not acceptable

Unit Number	**Equipment Description**	**Qty**
RFG-X1-120V	GX1 Radiofrequency Gen 120V Kit	1
RFG-TP	Generator Output Test Plug	1
1285H-25	GX1 SPLIT WIRED GROUNDIN G PAD - 25 PACK	1

5. Additional Requirements

- **Packaging:** All shipments must include complete user guides and manufacturer cleaning instructions.
- **Inspection & Acceptance:** Equipment must be new, unused, in good working order, and pass initial functional testing by clinical staff upon delivery.
- **Delivery:** Ship directly to Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System. Installation and training are **not** required.
- **Warranty:** Standard manufacturer warranty is sufficient; extended warranty is not required.

6. Place of Performance
Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System

7. Period of Performance
N/A (One-time equipment purchase)

8. Delivery Schedule
Within 60 calendar days after receipt of order.

9. Security Requirements
N/A

10. Government-Furnished Equipment/Information
N/A

11. Buy American Act Compliance
Offerors are reminded that this procurement is subject to the Buy American Act (FAR Subpart 25.1). All products provided under this RFQ must comply with the requirements of the Buy American Act. Offerors must indicate the country of origin for all products quoted and certify that all items are manufactured or substantially transformed in the United States or a designated country. If quoting a foreign item, provide supporting documentation to demonstrate compliance or eligibility under exception provisions.

12. Small Business Set-Aside

This requirement is being procured as a **100% Total Small Business Set-Aside** in accordance with FAR 19.502-2. Only qualified small business concerns, as defined under FAR Part 19, are eligible to submit quotations. The applicable NAICS code for this procurement is **339113 – Surgical Appliance and Supplies Manufacturing**, with a small business size standard of **750 employees**.

Offerors must certify their status as a small business under NAICS 339113 at the time of proposal submission. Proposals received from businesses that do not meet the small business requirements will not be considered.

Offerors must identify their business size/status in their proposal submittal, as well as any relevant socio-economic categories such as:

- Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB)
- Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB)
- Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB)
- Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone) Small Business
- Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB)

Each offeror must provide their Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) and CAGE code.

13. Other Considerations

- Any product proposed as an "equivalent" must meet all salient characteristics listed above and integrate seamlessly with the existing clinical setup. The facility's preference is for the Boston Scientific RFG-X1-120V GX1 Radiofrequency Generator to ensure operational continuity and compatibility.
- No anticipated follow-on work, conflicts of interest, or non-disclosure requirements.

Instructions for Quoters

- Provide a detailed quote specifying the brand and model, confirmation of all salient characteristics, unit price, shipping costs, and warranty details.
- All quotes must indicate availability/delivery timeframe and include product datasheets or brochures as supporting documentation.
- Clearly indicate the country of origin and certify Buy American Act compliance.
- Clearly indicate your business size/status and any small business certifications in your proposal.

- Only proposals submitted by small businesses under NAICS 339113
- Quote submission deadline: **07/31/2026 12PM PST/3PM ET**
- Submit quotes to: **sabrina.schofield@va.gov**
- All questions must be submitted by **07/29/2026**.

IV. Proposal Instructions

1. Submission

- Submit proposals electronically (only) to: sabrina.schofield@va.gov
- Clearly indicate RFP number and project title in the subject line
- Proposals must be received by 07/31/2026
- All questions must be submitted by 07/29/2026

2. Proposal Format
Proposals must include:

a. Technical Proposal

- Narrative describing proposed system and how it meets/exceeds all requirements
- Product specification sheets and brochures
- Description of installation, validation, and training program (if applicable)
- Support and warranty details
- Relevant case studies or references for similar installations, preferably within VA or other federal agencies

b. Business Proposal

- Detailed, itemized pricing (base system, installation, training, warranty, extended support, options)
- Delivery and installation timeline, including estimated lead time from award
- Contract vehicle information (e.g., GSA/FSS/ECAT number)
- Point of contact, UEI#, CAGE code, business size/status

V. Evaluation Criteria

The Government intends to evaluate proposals and make award using the Best Value Trade-Off process. Proposals will be evaluated using the following criteria in descending order of importance:

1. Technical Capability: Degree to which the system meets or exceeds the requirements and characteristics
2. Past Performance: Quality of performance on similar recent contracts, particularly for Federal or VA clients
3. Delivery & Installation: Ability to deliver, install, validate, and provide training within required timelines
4. Support and Warranty: Scope and responsiveness of warranty and post-installation technical support
5. Price: Overall value and reasonableness of proposed pricing

The contract may be awarded to other than the lowest-priced offer if determined to provide the best value to the Government.

VI. Terms and Conditions

- This procurement is subject to applicable FAR and VAAR clauses, including but not limited to FAR 52.212-1, 52.212-4, 52.212-5, and any other agency-specific clauses.
- No advance payment. All invoicing and payment shall be in accordance with FAR/VAAR and local finance procedures, as stated in the SOW.
- This RFP in no way obligates the Government to award a contract nor to pay any costs incurred in preparing a proposal.