

**Responses to Questions:
RFQ #10-2024-ALCO
Alcohol Monitoring Services**

The following questions were received prior to the August 28, 2024 deadline for questions.

Please remember responses are due on **Monday, September 9, 2024 by 4 p.m.** and no late responses will be accepted or opened.

VENDOR QUESTIONS

1. Will Fresno Superior Court accept a bid for a non-transdermal mobile alcohol device (aka Breath Alcohol Devices) with minute-to-minute GPS tracking, facial recognition software, video enabled high-resolution camera with automatic flash that is extremely reliable and assured to not only meet but exceed the agencies expectations and currently being used by numerous departments within Fresno County and the State of California?

[Proposals meeting the RFP requirements will be accepted.](#)

2. Does the Court want a spec by spec response for Scope of Work, Exhibit A Scope of Work on page 12 within the Technical Proposal? Or should respondents just ensure the info outlined in the Scope of Work is covered in narrative responses to 7.1 Technical Proposal?

[See RFP for required proposal contents.](#)

3. Would the Court please provide a list of all vendors submitting questions for this RFP?

[This is a current and active RFP and we cannot provide the information until the resulting contract\(s\) are executed.](#)

4. Who is the current vendor for alcohol monitoring?

[SCRAM and Lifesafer.](#)

5. Who is the current vendor for GPS?

[The Court does not have a contract for GPS services.](#)

6. How many locations do you currently have where participants go for installations?

[There are currently two locations in Fresno County.](#)

7. What are the addresses of the locations?

[SCRAM – 2409 Merced St Suite 105, Fresno, CA 93721](#)

[LifeSafer – 1261 Hoblit Ave Unit 205, Clovis, CA 93612](#)

8. How soon are participants expected to be enrolled after the court order?

Participants are expected to enroll within 5 business days.

9. How many participants are currently on a continuous alcohol monitoring (CAM) device? What is their average length of days monitored?

There are approximately 102 participants currently enrolled on CAM.

Participants enrolled on the treatment track are monitored for a minimum of 60 days. Participants enrolled on the monitoring track are monitored for a minimum of 1 year.

10. How many participants are currently on a portable alcohol monitoring device (breath)? What is their average length of days monitored?

There are approximately 16 participants currently enrolled on portable alcohol monitoring devices.

If a participant is enrolled on the treatment track, they are monitored on a CAM device for a minimum of 60 days. At which point, if in compliance, participants can request to switch to a portable alcohol monitoring device for the remainder of their programming. Participants are monitored for a minimum of 1 year.

11. How many participants are currently on a GPS device, if any? What is their average length of days monitored?

Please refer to the answer for question #5.

12. What is the current daily lease fee for CAM, both Participant Pay and County Pay?

Participant Pay (SCRAM)	Daily lease fee is determined at the discretion of the vendor, using a sliding scale based on participant's ability to pay.
Court Pay (SCRAM)	\$7.00

13. What is the current daily lease fee for a portable alcohol monitoring device (breath), both Participant Pay and County Pay?

Participant Pay (SCRAM)	Daily lease fee is determined at the discretion of the vendor, using a sliding scale based on participant's ability to pay.
Participant Pay (LifeSafer)	Daily lease fee is determined at the discretion of the vendor, using a sliding scale based on participant's ability to pay.
Court Pay (SCRAM)	\$5.00
Court Pay (Lifesafar)	\$4.00

14. What is the current daily lease fee for GPS, if any, both Participant Pay and County Pay?

Please refer to the answer for question #5.

15. What percentage or number of each device type Participant Pay and County Pay?

	Participant Pay	Court Pay
Continuous Alcohol Monitoring (CAM)	86%	14%
Portable Alcohol Monitoring (PAM)	81%	19%

16. How many staff will require training?

Approximately 10 staff.

17. What is the percentage of participants who have financial hardship? What is the current fee charged to them?

Currently, approximately 14% of participants are receiving financial hardship assistance through the Court. Current fees are listed in the answers to questions #12 and #13.

18. What is your process for a participant's nonpayment? Does the County assist if the Participant is not current in their payment; and, if so, how? Are they removed from monitoring for nonpayment?

If funds are available and the participant meets criteria for financial assistance through the Court, the Court will assist with 30 or 60 days of payments, depending on the participant's past due balance. If the participant does not comply with further payment agreement, the participant will be given 72-hour notice of termination.

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