

**NOTICE OF INTENDED DECISION  
TO ENTER INTO A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT  
(PUR 7778)**

**AGENCY:** Florida Department of Health (DOH)

**TITLE:** Agilent Technologies

Short description of the commodity or services desired: Upgrade to two (2) Agilent 1290 Infinity II High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) Systems (or stacks) for the Chemical Threat Lab that will replace older models currently connected to existing Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrophotometers (LC-MS) machines.

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Internal tracking number, if any: EXP2609

DMS Single Source number, if applicable: SS-11942

**Date posted:** March 31, 2025 **Time posted:** 3:30PM

**Commodity or Contractual Service Required** (commodity or United National Standard Products and Services Code (NSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):

41151600 Clinical laboratory instruments

**Requestor** (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):

DOH, Bureau of Public Health Laboratories (BPHL), Division of Disease Control & Health Prevention Jacksonville, Chemical Threat Laboratory

**Performance and/or Design Requirements** (e.g. intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute or other act of the Legislature, etc., as appropriate):

The DOH, BPHL has the need to purchase two Agilent 1290 Infinity II High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) Systems from Agilent Technologies, Inc. The Public Health Emergency Preparedness Grant Cooperative Agreement (PHEP) guidelines state that CDC Laboratory Response Network -Chemical (LRN-C) members must purchase instruments that meet the exact specifications for performing LRN-C chemical terrorism methods. The preowned and refurbished Agilent 1290 Infinity II High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) Systems (or stacks) will replace two existing older Agilent 1200 models that are currently connected to existing Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrophotometers (LC-MS) machines in the Chemical Threat Lab to maintain compatibility. The linked system of HPLC system stacks

and LC-MS work in conjunction to produce results. The updated Agilent 1290 Infinity LC systems are compatible with the existing LC-MS instruments.

In accordance with 60A-1.045 Florida Administrative Code, the Department of Health, BPHL requests authorization to purchase, as a single source, two Agilent 1290 Infinity II High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) Systems from Agilent Technologies, Inc.

Intended Single Source:  
Agilent Technologies, Inc.

Price:  
\$100,845.78

Justification for Single Source Purchase (what is necessary and unique about the product, services or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

- Agilent Technologies, Inc. is the only vendor that can provide the two Agilent 1290 Infinity II High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) Systems.
- These instruments work in conjunction and are compatible with existing equipment and integrated software programs used in chemical analysis for the CDC.

Approved By (names & titles, as appropriate, e.g., requestor, requestor management, information systems, budget, purchasing):  
Allegra Small, Purchasing Director

**Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to file a bond or other security within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. Protests may be filed with the agency by:**

**Mail:**  
Agency Clerk  
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