

Update Section 2.1.1 Scoring Weights as follows:

Evaluation Appendices	Category	Points
Appendix C	Cost Evaluation	40
Appendix D & E	Contract for Services	10
Appendix F & G	Organization, Qualifications, Experience and References	30
Appendix H	General, Implementation, Training and Support	20
Appendix I	Information Security	Pass/Fail
	Total Points	100

Addition of Appendix I as follows:

Appendix I – Evaluation Question(s) – Information Security

Respondent's Organization Name: _

All responses to the questions will reflect what is offered as part of the Respondent's proposed solution. Respondents **MUST** indicate if the product or service requires modification, additional costs, products or services, or if any other accommodation would be necessary to meet a requirement.

Evaluation Question(s) – Technical Security Evaluation

1. Is any of your solution cloud-based, Software as a Service (SaaS) or hosted on any system that is not operated by the University of Maine System or is any sensitive data transmitted, stored, or processed by the bidder or a contractor of the bidder?

If the answer to Question 1 is yes, fill out the attached Educause-created Higher Education Cloud Vendor Assessment Tool - Lightweight version (<u>HECVAT-Lite</u>) spreadsheet. If the bidder has a previously completed full version of this tool (<u>HECVAT</u>), it can be submitted in lieu of the "lite" version.

When addressing HLAA-01 regarding password complexity the institution's password complexity is as follows: At least eight characters length, contain at least one upper and one lowercase alphabetic characters, contain at least one numeric or special character, be changed at least annually and not be reused for at least 2 years.



Supplementary information that helps address the questions or describes the information security program and controls (such as a diagram for question HLAP-05) iis welcome but is not to be substituted for answering the questions.

2. Does your product process protected health information (PHI) or any data covered by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)?

If the answer to Question 2 is yes, provide us with your latest HIPAA audit results. You will also be required to sign a business associate agreement.

3. Does your solution involves processing credit or debit card payment transactions?

If the answer to Question 3 is yes, provide your latest attestation of compliance (AoC) or Report on Compliance (RoC) and answer the questions below:

- a. Describe all the payment methods you would support (i.e. card-present, card-not-present, and e-commerce transactions as applicable).
- b. Do you intend on processing transactions using your merchant account or the University's merchant account?
- c. What processors are involved in transactions and do you support payments involving Touchnet?
- d. Comment on the level of compliance self-assessment (e.g. SAQ A, B, P2PE-HW, SAQ D) would the University likely be required to meet with your proposed solution? We understand any final determination of self-assessment is determined between the University and our QSA.
- 4. Is your company a consulting firm providing only consultation to the Institution?

If the answer to Question 4 is yes, answer the following questions:

- a. Will the consulting take place on-premises or remotely?
- b. Will the consultant require access to institution network resources?
- c. Will the consultant require access to hardware in the university data centers?
- d. Will the consultant require an account within the institutions domain (@.edu)?
- e. Has the consultant received training on sensitive data handling?
- f. Will any data be transferred to the consultant's possession?
- g. How long will it remain in their possession?
- h. It is encrypted (at rest) while in the consultant's possession?
- i. Will the consultant need remote access to the institution's network or systems?
- j. What software will be used to facilitate that access?
- k. Can we restrict that access based on source IP address?



5. Do you require Social Security Numbers to be used in your system?

If the answer to question 5 is yes, please explain the purpose of using this high-risk data element.

6. Include a statement that notes your acceptance to the conditions stated in **University of Maine System, Contract for Services, Rider C. Standards for Safeguarding Information**, as part of the agreement.

