August 25, 2021

Dear Vendor:

To protect the health and safety of UNM campuses, UNM expects all vendor personnel (including subcontractors) to be vaccinated. Please do not send unvaccinated personnel to any UNM campus buildings beginning August 28, 2021.

UNM Health Science Center buildings have special requirements. On Tuesday, August 17, 2021, Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham mandated health care workers to have the COVID-19 vaccination. The public health order broadly defines hospital workers to include all workers who have the potential for direct or indirect exposure to patients or COVID airborne aerosols. All University of New Mexico Health Science Center (North Campus) buildings, including UNM hospital, are designated workspaces for direct or indirect exposure.

Please be advised that when your personnel (including subcontractors) are on-site in a UNM Health Science Center building, they must check-in with the appropriate HSC staff (receptionist, lab technician, etc.) and show proof of vaccination. Copies of vaccination documentation will not be retained; however, the HSC staff member will log the time and date they reviewed the documentation.

Thank you,

Bruce Cherrin
Chief Procurement Officer