



U.S. General Services Administration

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OASIS

One Acquisition Solution for Integrated Services

Office of General Supplies and Services

Alliant PMR



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Market Research

- Professional Services Spending
 - \$79.71B /year (FY 2010)
 - Approximately 50% is being done as cost reimbursable
- No Government-wide contract exists for professional services other than GSA schedule contracts
 - Schedule contracts cannot support cost reimbursable requirements
 - Schedule contracts pose challenges in certain areas
- Further transparency required for spending trends and analytics
- Tremendous duplication of contract vehicles for same or similar services
- Growing need for contractual solutions to 'complex' professional services requirements

What do we mean by ‘complex’?

- Requirements that contain multiple disciplines;
- Requirements that contain significant IT components but are not IT requirements in & of themselves;
- Requirements that contain Other Direct Costs (ODCs);
- Requirements that need to be performed on a cost-reimbursement basis; and
- Any one or combination of all of the above.



OASIS Objective:

OASIS is intended to provide Government agencies with contractual solutions to complex professional services-based requirements on a global basis.

Principles:

- Maximum flexibility at the task order level
- Ease of Use
- Provide maximum support to client agencies



OASIS Scope

- The scope of OASIS includes any and all components required to formulate a total **solution** to a professional services-based requirement. For task orders placed under OASIS contracts, professional services may be broadly defined as those services provided under one or more of the following Core Disciplines:
 - Program Management Services;
 - Management Consulting Services;
 - Logistics Services;
 - Engineering & Scientific Services; and
 - Financial Management Services.



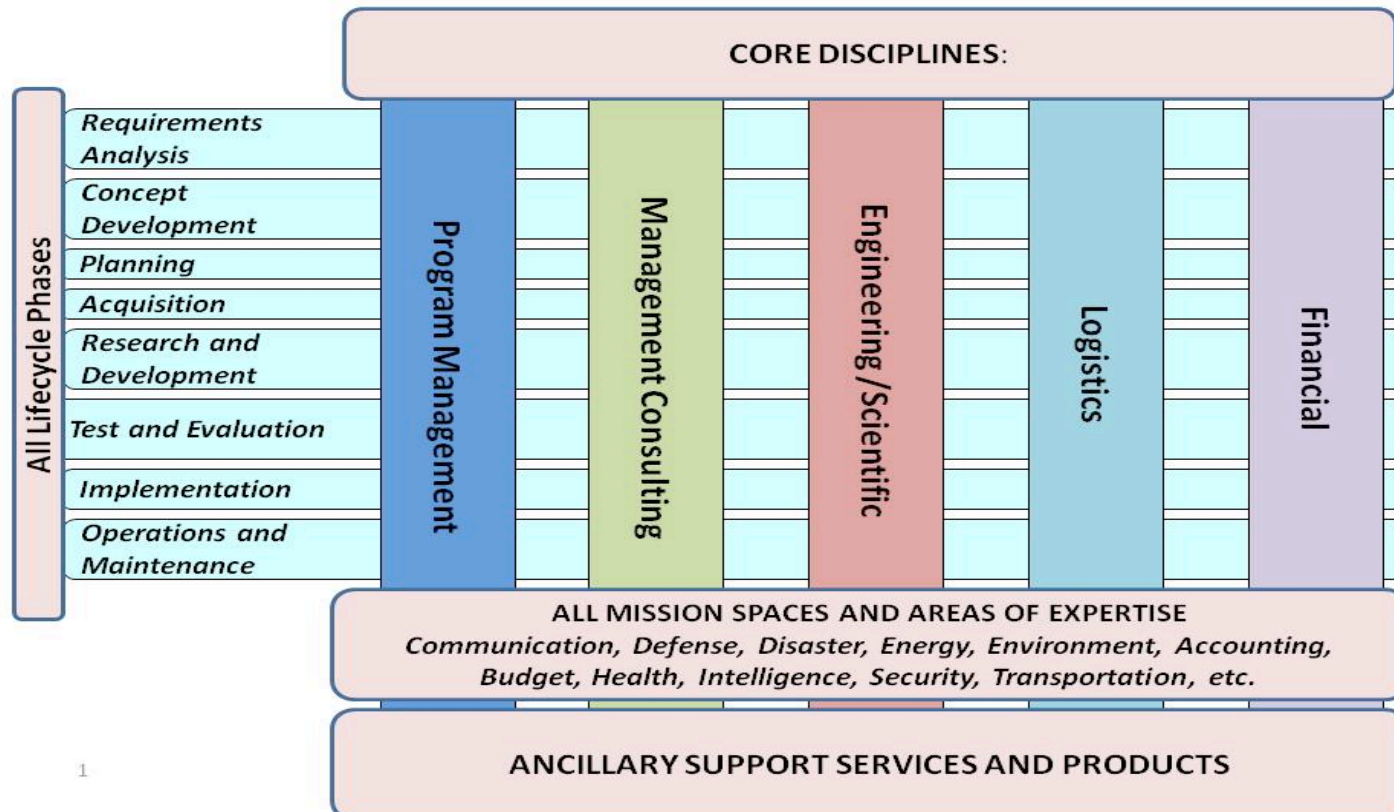
Areas of Expertise:

- The scope of OASIS spans virtually all areas of expertise performed by or for Government. These areas of expertise include, but are not limited to the following:

Accounting, Budget, Communication, Compliance, Defense, Disaster, Energy, Environment, Health, Intelligence, Security, Transportation, etc.

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OASIS Program Architecture





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OASIS Example Task #1

An agency has to develop, establish, and implement a new program for citizen support and communication in the event of national tragedies or disasters.

OASIS will allow the agency to award a single TO to:

- Predict support & communication service requirements under a variety of situations;
- Consider & recommend methods of delivering the support & communications services;
- Design the program infrastructure;
- Establish support and communication logistical requirements;
- Determine budgetary requirements and establish budget mgmt & control procedures;
- Develop a resourcing plan for implementation;
- Determine & establish IT requirements & support systems, including hardware & software; &
- Implement program decisions taken by the Government.



OASIS Example Task #2

An agency decides to consolidate two offices with similar functions to meet the President's goal of simplifying Government.

The agency can use a single OASIS task order to:

- Analyze business functions & devise improved processes;
- Review revised business requirements & develop logistical plan to support new office;
- Review & update quality control processes and management controls; &
- Integrate & update business practices & systems to reflect requirements of new office. (i.e., finance, travel, HR, etc.)



OASIS Example Task #3

A DoD branch decides to modernize their logistical field operations.

The DoD branch can use a single OASIS TO to:

- Analyze logistical functions & devise improved processes;
- Provide required training;
- Review & update quality control processes and management controls;
- Integrate & update inventory systems;
- Purchase integral equipment; &
- Prove results.



Coalition Question

- How will the OASIS Program be managed post award? Will OASIS and OASIS SB be managed out of the same office? Will OASIS and Alliant be managed as a portfolio of contracts?



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Answer:

- The OASIS Program Office will consist of a presence in Washington DC for business development and potentially, a Professional Services Community Manager function.
- All Contracting Operations of OASIS and OASIS SB will be managed out of the Ft Worth, TX regional office.
- OASIS and Alliant will be separate, but collaborative entities.



Alliant and OASIS Summary

- Complimentary offerings
 - Alliant: Total Solutions contract for IT requirements
 - OASIS: Total Solutions contract for Professional Services (non-IT) requirements

- OASIS is NOT an IT contract!



Features of OASIS:

FLEXIBILITY OF CONTRACT TYPE

- OASIS will allow for all contract types at the task order level, including:
 - Fixed-price,
 - Cost-reimbursement,
 - Time-and-materials;
 - Labor-hours; and
 - Hybrid tasks utilizing multiple contract types within the same task order.

Features of OASIS: (cont'd)

TWO CONTRACTS:

OASIS: A solicitation for full & open competition expected to be populated by LB

- Anticipate an aggressive SB subcontracting goal of 50%

OASIS SB: A second solicitation for SB only

- Ability to make set-asides & direct awards based on socio-economic status as listed in FAR Subpart 19.000(a)(3) for: Women Owned, HUBZone, SDVOB & 8(a) SB



Features of OASIS: (cont'd)

STANDARDIZED LABOR CATEGORIES

- OASIS will offer standardized labor categories across the defined scope:
 - Labor category titles & functional descriptions
 - Agency customers will be able to improve their program management based on the Business Intelligence collected
 - Apples to Apples comparisons can readily be made between contractors
 - Allows for enhanced analytics



Features of OASIS: (cont'd)

- Supports both commercial & non-commercial requirements
- Allows for transition of non-fixed price contract types
- Contains On Ramp and Off Ramp procedures
- Contains a provision to transition OASIS SB contractor who outgrow their size status



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Benefits of OASIS:

- Supports both commercial & non-commercial requirements
- Allows all contract types
- Maximizes opportunities for Small Businesses (SB)
- Streamlined acquisitions and better accountability
- Supports customers with a robust Web Library
- Full service administrative office for scope reviews and complete lifecycle support



Benefits of OASIS (con't)

- Enables agencies to concentrate on agency missions rather than the acquisition itself - minimizing unnecessary proliferation of interagency and agency-wide contracts
- Reduces the lead time & administrative efforts it currently takes agencies to acquire complex professional services
- Offers on-ramp/off-ramp procedures to ensure a flexible, vibrant vendor pool



OASIS & Business Intelligence

- Key concepts are: to reduce total cost of acquisition, yield enhanced business intelligence, improve management efficiency & ensure regulatory compliance.
- Anticipated benefits:
 - Reduced costs
 - Reduced consumption
 - Improved efficiency
 - Focus on socioeconomic goals

Moving forward...

- In the coming months, the OASIS Team will:
 - Finalize & post the external Business Case (BC);
 - Finalize & post the draft Request for Proposal (RFP); &
 - Continue to engage Agency customers and Industry so that the process will continue to be **as transparent as possible.**



OASIS Acquisition Schedule

Milestone / Deliverable	Anticipated Date
Release Draft RFP	Following Business Case Posting on OMB MAX
Release Final RFP	Winter 2012-13
Announce Awards	Summer 2013
Issue Notice to Proceed	Fall 2013



Questions?