



E-VERIFY REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to section 448.095(2)(a), Florida Statutes, beginning January 1, 2021, every public employer, contractor and sub-contractor must register with and use the E-Verify system.

“(2) PUBLIC EMPLOYERS, CONTRACTORS, AND SUBCONTRACTORS.

(a) Beginning January 1, 2021, every public employer, contractor, and subcontractor shall register with and use the E-Verify system to verify the work authorization status of all newly hired employees. A public employer, contractor, or subcontractor may not enter into a contract unless each party to the contract registers with and uses the E-Verify system.”

“E-Verify system” means an Internet-based system operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) that allows participating employers to electronically verify the employment eligibility of newly hired employees (<https://www.e-verify.gov/employers>). The statute also prohibits a public employer, contractor and sub-contractor from entering into a contract unless each party to the contract registers with and uses the E-Verify system.

In accordance with your Human Services Funding Agreement:

“The AGENCY shall comply with all federal, state and local laws and ordinances and any rules or regulations adopted thereunder.”

In order to maintain compliance with this statute, please review, sign, date and return the attached Contractor Affidavit and a copy of your organization’s DHS E-verify Registration. Thank you and we look forward to our continued business relationship.



Contractor Affidavit
Florida Statute, §448.095 Employment Eligibility

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with Fla. Stat. §448.095, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the performance of services on behalf of the **Pinellas County Human Services Department**, has registered with, is authorized to use, and uses the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, or any subsequent replacement program, in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in Fla. Stat. §448.095. Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor will contract for the performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by Fla. Stat. §448.095. Contractor hereby attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as follows:

Federal Work Authorization User Identification Number *

Name of Contractor

Name of Project

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed _____ 20____

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent

State of _____, County of _____.

Subscribed and sworn before me on this the _____ day of _____

Name of Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

* Please attach a copy of Contractor's DHS E-Verify registration.