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IT Vendor Management Office Overview

The Government-wide IT Vendor Management Office (ITVMO) is a collaborative effort between the OMB [Office of Federal Procurement Policy](#) (OFPP), GSA [Office of Information Technology Category](#) (ITC), NASA [Solutions for Enterprise-Wide Procurement](#) (SEWP), and the NIH [Information Technology Acquisitions and Assessment Center](#) (NITAAC).

Agencies find themselves not always having access to the information they require to make informed IT buying decisions. The ITVMO will fill a critical need for these agencies by leveraging existing government-wide procurement data, IT contracting technical expertise, IT category management, and shared agency IT acquisition knowledge to enable agencies to make smarter and more cost effective IT buying decisions. The mission of the ITVMO is to serve agencies as a trusted advisor and advocate for government-wide IT category and vendor management.

OMB, GSA, NASA, and NIH are currently developing the Concept of Operations, organization structure, and governance model for the ITVMO with an expected formal establishment around October 2020.

The ITVMO will provide agencies with services, solutions, and resources to improve IT acquisitions. (see Figure 1) A Whole-of-Government approach means the ITVMO will bring together agencies, contract specialists, and vendors to solve common agency problems. At this time, the ITVMO is working with stakeholders to ensure vision, scope, and service offerings of the ITVMO meet the real needs of agency CIOs.

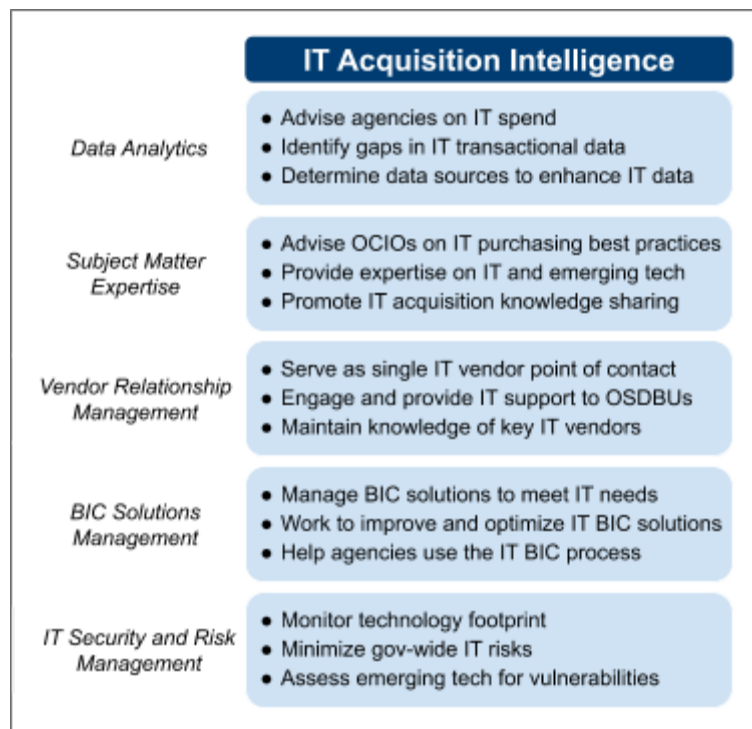


Figure 1: the five core services the ITVMO will provide to support agency IT procurement and investment decisions.

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