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# NECS432 Children and Young People Autism Assessment Service

NHS Humber and North Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB)

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Humber and North Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB)

1 GRIMBALD CRAG COURT

**KNARESBOROUGH** 

HG58QB

#### **Email**

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

#### **NHS Organisation Data Service**

42D

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://humberandnorthyorkshire.icb.nhs.uk/

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu

Additional information can be obtained from another address:

**NECS** 

Riverside House, Goldcrest Way

Newburn, Newcastle Upon Tyne

**NE15 8NY** 

#### **Email**

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.necsu.nhs.uk/

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Health

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

## II.1.1) Title

NECS432 Children and Young People Autism Assessment Service

Reference number

NECS432

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85140000 - Miscellaneous health services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

## II.1.4) Short description

North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) are working for, and on behalf of, NHS Humber and North Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) (the Contracting Authority) who wish to commission a Children and Young People Autism Assessment Service in Scarborough, Ryedale and Whitby.

The basic principles that mirror those of the open procedure will be followed for this procurement to test the capacity, capability, and technical competence of tenderers in accordance with the Light Touch Regime within The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended), ensuring a fair, open and transparent process in accordance with NHS (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) (No. 2) Regulations 2013.

Under the Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 the Contracting Authority must consider:

- (a) How what is proposed to be procured might improve the economic, social and environmental well-being of the area where it exercises its functions, and
- (b) How, in conducting the process of procurement, it might act with a view to securing that improvement.

Accordingly, the subject matter of the contract has been scoped to take into account the priorities of the Contracting Authority relating to economic, social and environmental well-being.

This procurement will be conducted via the NECS e-tendering system (In-tend) as such there will be no hard copy documents issued to bidders and all communications between bidders and NECS, including tender submissions, will be conducted via the In-tend portal.

To express an interest in tendering for this procurement, please register on the In-tend etendering portal, which can be found at: <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu</a> and follow the registration instructions.

Please note that it is free to register on In-tend, which can be accessed at any time of day.

Should you have any queries, or are having problems using the portal, you should contact the e-Tendering provider by Email: <a href="mailto:support@in-tend.com">support@in-tend.com</a> or by phone 0844 2728810 (Monday to Friday 8:30am to 5.00pm).

PLEASE NOTE: Tender documentation will be available via In-tend from Monday 09 January 2023 and the closing date for receipt of tenders is 12 noon on Wednesday 08 February 2023.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,001,784

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85140000 - Miscellaneous health services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Main site or place of performance

Scarborough, Ryedale and Whitby.

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#### II.2.6) Estimated value

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## II.2.7) Duration of the contract or the framework agreement

Duration in months

42

#### II.2.14) Additional information

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## Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

## III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.4) Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria

Under the Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 Contracting Authorities must consider:

(a) How what is proposed to be procured might improve the economic, social, and environmental well-being of the area where they exercise their functions;

and

(b) How, in conducting the process of procurement, they might act with a view to securing that improvement.

Accordingly, the subject matter of the contract has been scoped to take into account the priorities of the Contracting Authority relating to "economic, social, and environmental well-being". The basic principles of the Open Procedure will be followed for this procurement to test the capacity, capability, and technical competence of bidders in accordance with The Light-Touch Rules Regime, Regulations 74 to 77 of The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No102) (for Health, Social, Education, and certain other Service Contracts).

## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.11) Main features of the award procedure

Public contracts for Health, Social, Education, and certain other Service Contracts listed in Schedule 3 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No 102) (PCR 2015) shall be awarded in accordance with Chapter 3 Section 7 Regulation 74 to 77 of PCR 2015.

## IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

8 February 2023

Local time

12:00pm

## IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

**English** 

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

Previous PIN was published on Find a Tender Service:

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

**Public Procurement Review Service** 

**Cabinet Office** 

London

**Email** 

publicprocurementreview@cabinetoffice.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 3450103503

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Commissioner will act in accordance with Part 3 Chapter 5 Regulation 85 to 87 and Part 3 Chapter 6 Regulation 88 to 104 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No 102) (PCR 2015). Part 3 of the PCR 2015 provides for appeals to be made to the High Court subject to the time limitations and other required procedural steps. The rules relating to

appeal are complex and a dissatisfied tenderer is advised to take their own prompt legal advice.

## VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Royal Courts of Justice - The High Court
Strand
London
WC2A 2LL
Country
United Kingdom
Internet address
https://courttribunalfinder.service.gov.uk/courts/royal-courts-of-justice