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Contract

## **Seasonal Influenza Vaccines**

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04b34b

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### **I.1) Name and addresses**

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.nss.nhs.scot/browse/procurement-and-logistics>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Seasonal Influenza Vaccines

Reference number

NP93825

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 33651660 - Influenza vaccines

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Supply of influenza vaccines for use in the NHS Scotland 2025/26 seasonal flu programme.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £14,900,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Influenza Vaccine for adults aged 65 years and above as recommended by JCVI for 2025/26

Lot No

1

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

- 33651660 - Influenza vaccines

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Goods should be delivered to the Authority's nominated storage and distribution provider. Details will be shared with successful Contractor(s) following contract award.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Supply of adjuvanted trivalent influenza vaccines to NHS Scotland for use in the 2024/25 NHS Scotland Seasonal Flu Programme. The Authority awards this Lot as a Commitment Contract to a single supplier.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery Schedule / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 90

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Influenza Vaccines for persons aged 18 to 64 years, as recommended by JCVI for 2025/26

Lot No

2

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

- 33651660 - Influenza vaccines

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Goods should be delivered to the Authority's nominated storage and distribution provider. Details will be shared with successful Contractor(s) following contract award.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Supply of cell-based trivalent influenza vaccines to NHS Scotland for use in the 2024/25 NHS Scotland Seasonal Flu Programme.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery Schedule / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 90

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

Accelerated procedure

Justification:

Vaccine manufacturers have advised that Contracts for supply of flu vaccines for the 2025/26 flu programme must be awarded no later than

December to secure the required volumes/capacity with their manufacturing sites.

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-035479](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Influenza Vaccines for persons aged 18 to 64 years, as recommended by JCVI for 2025/26

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

9 January 2025

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Seqirus UK Limited

Gaskill Road, Speke

Liverpool

L24 9GR

Telephone

+44 1628647500

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD72 - Liverpool

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,670,000

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### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

1

#### **Title**

Influenza Vaccine for adults aged 65 years and above as recommended by JCVI for 2025/26

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Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0



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**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £9,230,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The estimated values referred to in Section II.1.7 [and within all Lots] cover the twelve (12) month contract duration.

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

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+44 1312252525

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United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://scotcourts.gov.uk/the-courts/sheriff-court/about-sheriff-courts>

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority after the contract has been entered into will not affect the contract unless grounds for the imposition of special penalties under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 can be established. Otherwise, the remedies that may be awarded by the courts where the contract has been entered into are limited to the award of damages.