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Tender

# Tender for the provision and facilitation of Project ECHO® (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) knowledge networks across Northern Ireland working in partnership with HSC ECHO Support Infrastructure [CFT 4463851]

Procurement and Logistics Service

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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# Section I: Contracting authority

## I.1) Name and addresses

Procurement and Logistics Service

77 Boucher Crescent

**Belfast** 

**BT12 6HU** 

#### Contact

**Project Echo** 

#### **Email**

Project.EchoNI@hscni.net

## Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

## I.3) Communication

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

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# 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

Tender for the provision and facilitation of Project ECHO® (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) knowledge networks across Northern Ireland working in partnership with HSC ECHO Support Infrastructure [CFT 4463851]

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The objective of this procurement is to appoint a provider with an ECHO® (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) certification (i.e. a signed terms of use agreement with the University of New Mexico) to work in partnership with the Contracting Authority to deliver Project ECHO® knowledge networks across Northern Ireland.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

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

The objective of this procurement is to appoint a provider with an ECHO® (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) certification (i.e. a signed terms of use agreement with the University of New Mexico) to work in partnership with the Contracting Authority to deliver Project ECHO® knowledge networks across Northern Ireland.

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

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

Duration in months

24

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

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

# 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

See Tender Documents

## III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

See Tender Documents

## Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.10) Identification of the national rules applicable to the procedure

Information about national procedures is available at: <a href="https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps">https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps</a>

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

Most Economically Advantageous Tender - See Tender Documents for Full Details

## IV.2) Administrative information

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

Notice number: 2022/S 000-036294

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

Date

24 February 2023

Local time

3:00pm

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

English

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

Please note that the successful Tenderer must:. (i) Have an ECHO Certification (i.e. signed Terms of Use with University of New Mexico) or must be able to put it in place by 1st Aril 2023.. (ii) Have a lead Clinical Facilitator with relevant experience using the ECHO methodology with up to date certification with their own appropriate professional body as per clause 6 of the specification..

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

The Department of Health, Strategic Performance and Planning Group

12/22 Linenhall Street

**Belfast** 

**BT2 8BS** 

Country

**United Kingdom**