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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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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03938d

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Procurement and Logistics Service

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Contact

Project Echo

Email

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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

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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: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

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 April 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

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