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# Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

NHS Blood & Transplant

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### **Email**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

**UK - UNITED KINGDOM** 

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

#### www.nhsbt.nhs.uk

## I.3) Communication

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

#### www.nhsbt.bravosolution.co.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

#### www.nhsbt.bravosolution.co.uk

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## 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

Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

Reference number

NHSBT1366

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

33140000 - Medical consumables

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Therapeutic Apheresis Services (TAS) function operates within the Clinical Services directorate of NHSBT. Multi-disciplinary TAS teams operate from eight regional hub units and three 3 spoke sites that are based within Acute NHS Trusts across England and South Wales. Each unit provides a portfolio of therapeutic treatments to both adult and paediatric patients from across a range of clinical specialities. Included in the TAS portfolio of therapeutic procedures is Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) which is provided from four of the TAS hub units (Bristol, London, Oxford, and Manchester) as well as all three of the spoke sites (the Clatterbridge Cancer Centre, Cardiff and The Vale Health Board and Plymouth University Hospitals Trust). The ECP system's utilised by the TAS teams are able to perform both adult and paediatric procedures and have an integral clinical grade light box.

The requirement for this procurement is to source machine consumables and maintenance services to support existing Extracorporeal Photopheresis machine platforms.

This Framework Agreement is for a period of 2 years with two 1-year options to extend. It is the intension of NHSBT to award a Framework Agreement for these requirements by August 2021. The following contracting authorities will be able to purchase against the Framework Agreement: any NHS Authority or Trust and Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

- 33693000 Other therapeutic products
- 50421000 Repair and maintenance services of medical equipment

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - UNITED KINGDOM

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

24

This contract is subject to renewal

No

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## 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

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

#### 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: 2020/S 230-568414

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

Date

13 April 2021

Local time

5:00pm

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

English

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

13 April 2021

Local time

5:01pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

**NHSBT** 

Bristol

Country

**United Kingdom**