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Contract

## **CLI-OJEU-51794 Provision of Donor Cards to Welsh Blood Service**

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-038c96

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership

Alder House, Alder Court, St Asaph Business Park

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Joanne Liddle

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKL - Wales

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://nwssp.nhs.wales/ourservices/procurement-services/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0221](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0221)

**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**

CLI-OJEU-51794 Provision of Donor Cards to Welsh Blood Service

Reference number

CLI-OJEU-51794

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

- 22000000 - Printed matter and related products

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

Supplies

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

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership - Procurement Services, hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust, is seeking to award a contract for the supply, production and distribution of the Welsh Blood Service Donor Card by inviting suitably qualified Bidders to tender.

This is a contract renewal.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £145,000 / Highest offer: £196,000 taken into consideration

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

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

- 22450000 - Security-type printed matter
- 22458000 - Bespoke printed matter
- 22900000 - Miscellaneous printed matter

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

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

The Welsh Blood Service (a division of Velindre University NHS Trust) is commissioned by Welsh Government to provide blood components to hospitals across Wales.

This includes the collection of whole blood from community based teams throughout Wales, from a mixture of community based venues and blood-mobile clinics. These clinics are held in the heart of small communities, co-ordinated from commercial company venues or set up in popular retail park areas. In addition, the WBS provides donors with the opportunity to donate platelets via automated apheresis technology from its clinic at Talbot Green.

In recognition of their support and contribution to saving lives in Wales, whole blood and platelet donors receive Blood Donor Cards at specific milestones in their donation careers:

- 1 – 4 Donations Blue & Red Card
- 5 – 9 Donations Orange & Red Card
- 10 – 24 Donations Bronze & Red Card
- 25 – 49 Donations Silver & Red Card
- 50 – 74 Donations Gold & Red Card
- 75 – 99 Donations Gold Card
- 100+ Donations Platinum Card

The current demand for whole blood and platelet cards is c25,500 cards per annum and for Antibody cards c250 per annum. This figure is not guaranteed and may be subject to increase or decrease.

Key fob cards were introduced in the last contract due to their popularity and is required in this new contract.

The requirement is for a suitably qualified contractor to manage the supply, production and distribution of the Welsh Blood Service Donor Card. This includes all supporting literature and packaging of cards and distributing either directly to Donors or to addresses

specified by the WBS.

Branding & design of cards is out of scope of this contract.

Further information and full specification can be found within the ITT document located at [www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk](http://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk)

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical/Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

#### **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

#### **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: [2022/S 000-035049](#)

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

### **Contract No**

CLI-OJEU-51794

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 March 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

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

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD7 - Merseyside

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £145,000 / Highest offer: £196,000 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Please note that this is a Contract Award Notice made following successful conclusion of procurement process and standstill period in accordance with Public Contract Regulations 2015

(WA Ref:129770)

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

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