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Planning

Pre-Operative Skin Preparation

NHS Supply Chain

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03b3ee

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Supply Chain

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London

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.supplychain.nhs.uk/

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from 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

Pre-Operative Skin Preparation

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 33140000 - Medical consumables

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The Collaborative Procurement Partnership (CPP LLP) on behalf of The Authority is seeking

to establish a multi supplier framework agreement for Pre-Operative Skin Preparation Consumables are used as part of the prepping process prior to surgery, for example shaving the patient, marking the patient, and cleaning the hands of the medical staff. The scope of this framework includes: pre-operative hair removal; surgical skin marker pens; pre-operative surgical scrub brushes & accessories and fixed and pivoting head pre-operative surgical hair clippers.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £8,300,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Pre-Operative Hair Removal

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 33721000 - Razors

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Pre-Operative Razors are for the removal of body hair prior to patient monitoring or surgery.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Surgical Skin Marker Pens

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 30192125 - Markers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Surgical Skin Marker Pens are to be utilised by clinical staff, in order to accurately mark the skin of a patient prior to and during surgery.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Pre-Operative Surgical Scrub Brushes & Accessories

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 33140000 - Medical consumables

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Surgical Scrub Brushes are to be utilised by Theatre staff, to ensure optimal pre-operative hygiene for hands, knuckles, lower arm, nails and wrists and reduce the risk of surgical site infection in patients. The brushes may be supplied dry or Impregnated with Chlorhexidine or Povidone- Iodine solutions.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Pre-Operative Surgical Hair Clippers- Fixed and Pivoting

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 39712100 - Hair clippers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The surgical clippers should be able to cut hair close to the patient's skin whilst maintaining the skin's integrity. This Lot is to include the Surgical Hair Clipper Unit, Charger Unit and Replacement Heads and Blades.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

14 June 2023

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Prior Information Notice only. Collaborative Procurement Partnership LLP (CPP LLP) acting on behalf of Supply Chain Coordination Ltd (SCCL) are commencing this tender exercise. However, please be advised that with effect from 1st May 2023, CPP LLP will no longer be acting as SCCL's agent in relation to this procurement. Therefore, SCCL will execute the resultant framework agreement with successful bidders.

This PIN is intended to invite supplier engagement to further assist of the procurement and overall solution. It is anticipated that there will be supplier engagement which will cover the intended sourcing approach, regulatory compliance expectations within the ITT procedure and social value & carbon reduction plan requirements. To register an expression of interest for this tender opportunity please register on the Jaggaer eProcurement Portal https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com/ and express your interest in "SQ_351 - Expression Of Interest".

Expressions of interest for the supplier engagement must be received by 13:00BST on 17 April 2023. The supplier engagement will take place in the form of a webinar and/or MS Teams Meetings and either will be arranged on or before the 20 April 2023. Supplier engagement will be carried out in accordance with Regulation 40 and 41 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015.

It is anticipated that the tender documents and Contract Notice will be published at the end of May 2023. It is intended that the Framework Agreement will be let for an initial term of 2 years, with optional extensions to not exceed a maximum 4 years overall.