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#### Contract

# National Microbiology Framework - Lot 4: Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services

Public Health England

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02a741

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Public Health England

61 Colindale Avenue,

London

NW9 5EQ

#### **Email**

srm.scientific@phe.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england

### I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

### I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

National Microbiology Framework - Lot 4: Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71900000 - Laboratory services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Lot 4 – Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services is intended to enable access to Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services using extant techniques and allow for the addition of new techniques or existing techniques utilised in a new manner in the future. The Lot is to ensure that there are consistent and affordable provision of high quality, safe and compliant Testing Services which should be delivered efficiently and effectively to support wider clinical services.

Please note that this Award Notice is for Lot 4 however the Framework Agreement encompasses the following four lots:

- Lot 1: Diagnostic Goods and Services
- Lot 2: Research and Development Goods and Services
- Lot 3: Manufacturing, Product Development and Commercialisation
- Lot 4: Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000,000

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

The Framework Agreement relates to the supply of diagnostics Goods for the qualitative / quantitative examination of specimens / samples and the development or manufacturing of assays / kits /

medication and related Services. It also relates to the supply of diagnostics Services for the qualitative / quantitative examination of specimens / samples or the development or manufacturing of assays / kits / medication. The framework also covers Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services.

The term of the framework will be for an initial 2 years with options to extend by up to a further 2 years

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The framework agreement will be for an initial period of 24 months with options exercisable by the Authority under the framework agreement to extend the duration in increments by up to a maximum of 24 months. Therefore, the total maximum duration of the framework agreement is 48 months.

The Authority will also have the option to purchase new and/or updated Goods and/or Services which the Supplier proposes should be added to its range as described in Section VI.3 below.

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

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

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The value attributed to each Lot is an approximate estimate only. As indicated in Section VI.3. of this Notice, the actual values will be to such level as those purchasing under the Framework Agreement consider necessary to provide suitable requirements.

# Section IV. Procedure

# IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### 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: <u>2020/S 217-533940</u>

# Section V. Award of contract

#### Lot No

Lot 4

# **Title**

Clinical Laboratory Diagnostic Testing Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

# V.2) Award of contract

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

22 March 2021

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 57

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Mornington 2000 LLP trading as Sterilab Services

Harrogate

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

Accora Limited
Cambridge
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Acculabs Diagnostics Ltd
Teesside
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Alphabiolaboratories Analytical Ltd (T/A AlphaBiolabs)
Warrington
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Berkshire and Surrey Pathology Services (Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust),
Camberley
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
BGI Genomics UK CO LTD
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
BioClavis Limited

The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Covance Laboratories Limited
Harrogate
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Covid Testing Network Limited
Abingdon
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Crown Laboratories Limited,
London

Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Ecolog International (UK) Ltd,
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Excalibur Healthcare Services Ltd
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

**HSL Pathology LLP** 

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Hexa Health Ltd

Milton Keynes

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Honeyman Group Ltd

**Barnard Castle** 

Country

# United Kingdom NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Immensa Health Clinic Ltd

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Imperial College Projects Limited

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

King's College London
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Latus Health Ltd
Hessle
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
LinksBio Limited
Poynton
Poynton Country

#### **NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Luxe Life Care Ltd

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

Medical Diagnosis Ltd
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Medicines Discovery Catapult Services
Macclesfield
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
MOTOPARA Foundation Inc.
Florida
Country
United States
NUTS code

• US - United States The contractor is an SME No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

The Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals Foundation Trust

Newcastle upon Tyne

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

North Bristol NHS Trust

Bristol

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Northgate Public Services,

Hemel Hempstead
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
Tyne and Wear
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
PAJS Services Limited
Surrey
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
ProMake Ltd
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
PerkinElmer LAS (UK) Limited
PerkinElmer LAS (UK) Limited Beaconsfield
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Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Prenetics EMEA Limited
Kent
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Pure Genetic Medical Ltd
Surrey
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

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# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Queen Mary University of London

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Randox Laboratories Ltd

Crumlin

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Secret Compass,

Bristol

Country

# **United Kingdom**

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust,

Sheffield

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Source BioScience UK

Nottingham

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

South West London Pathology
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Thriva
London
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
Yes V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor UK Biocentre Limited

#### **NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

**Unilabs Limited** 

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust

Birmingham

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust
Leicester
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
University of Glasgow
Glasgow
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Yourgene Health UK Limited
Manchester
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### VI.3) Additional information

The framework is intended to be accessed by:

Public Health England;

Department of Health and Social Care;

Public Health Wales;

Public Health Scotland;

Department for Health for Northern Ireland;

Health and Social Care Northern Ireland;

NHS Authorities, NHS Trusts, NHS Foundation Trusts, Special Health Authorities, NHS Scotland Health Boards, NHS Wales Health Boards, NHS Northern Ireland Health Boards, Special NHS Boards and any other NHS entity;

Local Authorities:

any other bodies governed by public law (as defined in regulation 2 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/102) (as amended); and

academic or charitable institutions (including any such institutions that are not Contracting Authorities).

Examples of such bodies can be found at the following links (as of date of publication):

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/charity-commission

#### https://www.nhs.uk/servicedirectories/pages/nhstrustlisting.aspx

The framework value is an approximate estimate only. The actual values will be to such level as those purchasing under the Framework Agreement consider necessary to provide suitable requirements. PHE works with DHSC and the NHS in its role as a national and international emergency responder to current and emerging threats to public health. As demonstrated by the COVID-19 pandemic, the exact nature, timing and escalation of such threats (and the corresponding required responses) can be difficult to foresee, making any exercise in future value estimation unpredictable.

The scope of this Framework Agreement covers Goods and Services that are subject to rapid and frequent improvements, advancements and new scientific and technical developments. Therefore, to keep this Framework Agreement in line with the latest market and scientific developments so as to ensure that patients and other end users have ongoing access to state of the art diagnostics for the duration of this Framework Agreement successful Suppliers will be able to propose new and/or updated Goods and/or Services to be added to a Supplier's range under the Framework Agreement if one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- Where the proposed updated Goods or Services fall within the general scope of this procurement as set out as part of this OJEU Contract Notice (i.e. fall within an existing main or supplementary CPV code as may be referred to in this Contract Notice and/or the description sections of this Contract Notice);
- Where the proposed new Goods or Services fall within the broad categories of Goods or Services covered by this Framework Agreement (i.e. fall within an existing main or supplementary CPV code as may be referred to in this Contract Notice and/or the broad categories of Goods and/or Services referred to in any of the description sections of this Contract Notice), but are new to the market. For the avoidance of doubt, for the purposes of any testing services, this will allow Suppliers to offer new types of tests, new test kits, related new equipment / products, related new consumables and related new Services as and when they become available during the duration of the Framework Agreement provided they fall within an existing main or supplementary CPV code as may be referred to in this Contract Notice and/or the broad categories of Goods and/or Services referred to in any of the description sections of this Contract Notice);
- Where the proposed new or updated Goods or Services reflect a product or service line extension (i.e. are new, modified or updated products or services in the same category of Goods or Services already supplied by a Supplier under this Framework Agreement); or
- Where the proposed new or updated Goods or Services reflect a range extension (i.e. are new, modified or updated products or services that reflect an expansion of the Supplier's range in the same category of Goods or Services already supplied by a Supplier under this Framework Agreement).

# VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

The High Court , Strand, Holborn

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom