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Planning

NEC473 Routes to Rights Service Request for Information (RFI)

NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Prior information notice without call for competition

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board

NORTH ORMESBY HEALTH VILLAGE FIRST FLOOR, 14 TRINITY MEWS

MIDDLESBROUGH NORTH YORKSHIRE

TS3 6AL

Contact

NECS

Email

NECSU.neprocurement@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKC1 - Tees Valley and Durham

NHS Organisation Data Service

16C

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu.aspx/Home>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu.aspx/Home>

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

NEC473 Routes to Rights Service Request for Information (RFI)

Reference number

NECS473

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) working for and on behalf of NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (NENC ICB) and is managing the procurement process for the provision of Routes to Rights Service in the locality

of Tees Valley.

The Contracting Authorities are conducting a Request For Information (RFI) exercise to engage with the market and to gather information in order to gain a better understanding of both the capacity and appetite of the market in delivering the proposed service, and to alert the market to a possible future tender opportunity.

It should be noted that this PIN/RFI invites individuals and organisations to express an interest in this RFI exercise, and it is NOT a pre-qualification questionnaire, and is

NOT part of any pre-qualification or selection process. This PIN/RFI is intended as an awareness, communication, and information gathering exercise.

NECS is utilising an electronic tendering portal (In-Tend) to manage this RFI and as such interested individuals and organisations will need to register on the portal to

access the RFI documentation and submit their completed RFI.

The In-Tend e-Tendering portal can be found at:

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu.aspx/Home>

Please follow the registration instructions (if you are not already registered) and look for the project NECS473 - Routes to Rights Service.

Please note that it is free to register on In-Tend, which can be accessed at any time

of day as long as you have a working internet connection.

The Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 (as amended) may apply to a future procurement including the New Fair Deal non-statutory policy setting out how pensions issues are to be dealt with when staff are compulsorily transferred from the public sector to independent providers delivering public services.

The RFI documentation will be accessible from 21 March 2023 and completed RFI responses must be submitted by no later than 12 noon 04 April 2022

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

- UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

Tees Valley

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

9 May 2023