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## Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service

NHS Tees Valley CCG

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South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

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## Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Tees Valley CCG

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North Ormesby Health Village

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### Contact

North Of England Commissioning Support (NECS)

### Email

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## **Country**

United Kingdom

## **NUTS code**

UKC - North East (England)

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://teesvalleyccq.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

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

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

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Sedgefield Community Hospital

Sedgefield

TS21 3EE

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United Kingdom

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UKC1 - Tees Valley and Durham

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Main address

<https://countydurhamccg.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

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**I.1) Name and addresses**

NHS Sunderland Clinical Commissioning Group

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Sunderland

SR5 3XB

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

NHS Newcastle Gateshead Clinical Commissioning Group

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Newcastle upon Tyne

NE15 8NY

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

South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

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NE32 5NN

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Buyer's address

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## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.3) Communication**

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

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

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

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service

Reference number

NECS375

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) is working for and on behalf of NHS County Durham CCG NHS Tees Valley CCG - (Darlington, Middlesbrough and Redcar and Cleveland Locality areas only), Sunderland CCG, Gateshead locality of Newcastle Gateshead CCG and South Tyneside CCG (Contracting Authorities), who are conducting a Request for Information (RFI) exercise in order to gain a better understanding of the capacity and appetite of the market to deliver Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £4,049,880

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1- South Tees

Lot No

1

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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

The aim of the service is to provide a Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service (HOS-AR) to ensure that home oxygen is appropriately prescribed to those people who clinically need it. It should ensure that people prescribed oxygen and prescribing clinicians alike are well informed about the nature, scope and capability of the home oxygen service, and that provision is evidence-based, clinically-led and continually strives to improve outcomes in the South Tees area.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2- Sunderland

Lot No

2

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)



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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3- South Tyneside

Lot No

3

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4- County Durham

Lot No

4

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5- Gateshead

Lot No

5

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 6- Darlington

Lot No

6

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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## **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

2 July 2021

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## **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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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It is important to note that this PIN/RFI is not a call for competition and as such potential providers will need to express an interest in any future tender opportunity once a contract notice is published on Find and Tender Service and on Contracts Finder.

It should be noted that this PIN/RFI invites individuals and organisations to express an interest in this RFI exercise only, 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. An expression of interest is no indication of a commitment to participate in the RFI process nor does it infer any preferential or special status on those individuals and organisations who express an interest in the RFI 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 and complete the RFI questionnaire.

It is free to register on the portal, which can be accessed at any time of day.

Should you have any queries, or are having problems registering on the portal, you should contact the eTendering provider by Email: [support@in-tend.com](mailto:support@in-tend.com) or by phone 0844 2728810 Website: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/asp/Home>

Helpdesk Support is available (Monday to Friday 8:30am to 5.00pm).

Potential providers are to note that 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.

All completed RFI responses must be returned by 5pm on 26 May 2021.