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Tender

Psychiatry Generic Medicines

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

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NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

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Main address

<http://www.nss.nhs.scot>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883

I.2) Information about 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://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/web/login.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/web/login.html>

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

Psychiatry Generic Medicines

Reference number

NP30921

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This Framework Agreement is for the supply of Psychiatry Generic Medicines to health boards across NHS Scotland. The Goods have been split into seven (7) categories, each of which is identified as a "Lot". Full details of each Lot is contained in section II.2 of this notice.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £14,920,581

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Carbamazepine tablets, suppositories, modified release tablets and liquid

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Carbamazepine tablets, suppositories, modified release tablets and liquid to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi-supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £467,103

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lamotrigine tablets and dispersible tablets

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Services (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to New Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Lamotrigine tablets and dispersible tablets to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) Suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £210,840

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Sodium Valproate tablets, modified release tablets, capsules and granules, injection, solution, liquid and syrup

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Sodium Valproate tablets, modified release tablets, capsules and granules, injection, solution, liquid and syrup to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi-supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £464,652

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Levodopa/Carbidopa/Entacapone film coated tablets

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Levodopa/Carbidopa/Entacapone film coated tablets to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi-supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £3,429

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Phenytoin Sodium Capsules, tablets and ampoules

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Phenytoin Sodium Capsules, tablets and ampoules to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi-supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £106,626

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Midazolam Oromucosal solution pre-filled oral syringes

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Midazolam Oromucosal solution pre-filled oral syringes to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line as a multi-supplier unranked framework agreement on a line by line basis and it is envisaged a maximum of six (6) suppliers will be awarded to each line. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £222,003

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no

later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

All other Psychiatry Generic Medicines

Lot No

7

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of All other Psychiatry Generic Medicines to NHS Scotland in a range of presentations. The Authority intends awarding each product line within this lot to a single supplier. Full details can be found within the ITT.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Logistics / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 95

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £13,445,928

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This framework includes the option to extend for further periods up to a total period of twelve (12) months upon giving not less than three (3) months written notice to expire no later than the Framework Agreement is due to expire.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition if they are in breach of any of the situation referred to in regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

(a) Potential Framework Participants must be able to demonstrate the existence of a valid and current UK Marketing Authorisation (PL or PLGB number) that has been approved by the MHRA for all tendered Medicines at the date of submission of the tender.

(b) Potential Framework Participants and any sub-contractor(s) must possess valid certification of BS EN ISO 9001 or equivalent.

(c) All tendered Goods must comply with the MHRA best Practice Guidance on Labelling and Packaging and the National Patient Safety Agency ("NPSA") Guidelines on Packaging and Labelling on pack design.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

a) Confirmation of existence of a valid and current UK Marketing Authorisation (PL or PLGB number) that has been approved by the MHRA for all tendered Medicines at the date of submission of the tender should be included in the Qualification Envelope of the ITT under the Technical and Professional ability: Quality Control.

(b) Confirmation of the existence of valid certification of BS EN ISO 9001 or equivalent. Confirmation of such certification should be included in the Qualification Envelope of the ITT under the Quality Assurance Schemes.

(c) Confirmation that samples for tendered Goods will be supplied upon request to ensure compliance with the MHRA best Practice Guidance on Labelling and Packaging and the National Patient Safety Agency ("NPSA") Guidelines on Packaging and Labelling on pack design. Confirmation of sample provision should be provided in the Qualification Envelope of the ITT under Technical and Professional ability: Products.

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

Framework agreement with several operators

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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

21 June 2021

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

21 June 2021

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) Additional information

The estimated value referred to in Section II.1.5 and within each Lot covers the twenty four (24) months contract duration and the full twelve (12) months extension options.

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 18699. For more information see:

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343>

The Contracting Authority does not intend to include a sub-contract clause as part of community benefits (as per Section 25 of the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014) in this contract for the following reason:

It is not anticipated that sub-contractors will be utilised in delivery of this framework agreement.

The Contracting Authority does not intend to include any community benefit requirements in this contract for the following reason:

No Community Benefits will be deliverable through the award of this framework agreement.

(SC Ref:653579)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Email

edinburgh@scotcourts.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Economic operators should approach the contracting authority in the first instance. However, the only formal remedy is to apply to the courts:

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.