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Future opportunity

## **Dental Services Enhancement - RFI**

NHS Business Services Authority

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

NHS Business Services Authority

Stella House, Goldcrest Way

Newcastle Upon Tyne

NE15 8NY

#### **Contact**

Commercial Services

#### **Email**

[nhsbsa.commercialserviceteam@nhs.net](mailto:nhsbsa.commercialserviceteam@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKC22 - Tyneside

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from another address:

NHS Business Services Authority

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Newcastle Upon Tyne

NE15 8NY

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#### **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

Dental Services Enhancement - RFI

Reference number

20\_11\_04

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72222300 - Information technology services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The NHS Business Services Authority (NHSBSA) invites you to participate in an RFI for Dental Services to modernise current operations with the introduction of a rationalised, flexible technical solution underpinning business operations, to give the business more agility to react to an ever-changing landscape across NHS Dentistry and wider NHS services, as well as providing an element of future proofing to accommodate any unknown changes on the horizon.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

- 72212610 - Database software development services
- 48783000 - Content management software package
- 72212400 - Business transaction and personal business software development services
- 72212333 - Contact management software development services
- 72212983 - Development software development services

- 48445000 - Customer Relation Management software package
- 66172000 - Financial transaction processing and clearing-house services
- 72245000 - Contract systems analysis and programming services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This is a pre-tender market engagement exercise. At this stage we are seeking high-level input to enable us to assess the market and to inform our future procurement strategy. A supplier webinar which will be held 25/06/2021 with follow up 1-2-1 sessions are available on 28-29/06/2021. RFI response due 01/07/2021. The purpose of the sessions is to allow the NHSBSA to outline its requirements for this RFI and to allow supplier questions/discussions. Interested parties must register an interest and further details are available via <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

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

30 September 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**

This is a pre-tender market engagement exercise. It is not an invitation to tender or invitation to offer an agreement and will not result in an award of a contract. If you do not wish to take part in this RFI exercise, it will not affect any current or future business with the NHSBSA. Participation in this RFI exercise will not qualify you to provide any services or products to the NHSBSA and will not guarantee an invitation to submit an offer as part of any future procurement exercise. The NHSBSA will not accept any liability for costs incurred by you in participating in this RFI exercise.