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# NECS576 - Invitation to Tender - Community Pharmacy Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) and Pertussis Vaccination Enhanced Service - North West

NHS England - North West

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

NHS England - North West

Merseyside

#### **Email**

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

# Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKD - North West (England)

# **NHS Organisation Data Service**

Q75 & Q84

# Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.england.nhs.uk/north-west/contact-us/

# I.3) Communication

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

https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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# 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

NECS576 - Invitation to Tender - Community Pharmacy Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) and Pertussis Vaccination Enhanced Service - North West

Reference number

NECS576

# II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

# II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

# II.1.4) Short description

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# II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for one lot only

# II.2) Description

# II.2.1) Title

Liverpool Postcode Areas - L1, L2, L3, L4, L5, L6, L7, L8, L9, L12, L13, L14, L15, L16, L18, L25

Lot No

1

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

85100000 - Health services

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD - North West (England)

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1 August 2025

End date

31 March 2029

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No

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

# II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

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# II.2) Description

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Knowsley Postcode Areas L32, L33, L36

Lot No

2

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Sefton Postcode Areas L20, L21, L22

Lot No

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St Helens Postcode Areas WA10, WA11, WA12

Lot No

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Wirral Postcode Areas Group 1 (CH41, CH43, CH44, CH 45), Group 2 (CH46, CH47), Group 3 (CH48, CH49)

Lot No

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Blackburn with Darwin Postcode Areas BB1, BB2, BB3

Lot No

6

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East Lancashire Postcode Areas BB5, BB9, BB12, BB18

Lot No

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Preston Postcode Areas PR1, PR2, PR3

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Lot No

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Description of options

Services will commence in August 2025 and will continue until 31st March 2027, with an option for the Commissioner to extend for 24 months until 31 March 2029.

# II.2.14) Additional information

Potential Providers must select a Lot and a postcode area within that Lot to submit Tender Responses to and these responses will be scored and selected from within each Lot and postcode area. The premises in which services are to be delivered must be within the selected postcode area.

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

# III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

# Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

# IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

# 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

6 May 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

# IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

6 May 2025

Local time

1:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.3) Additional information

NECS is utilising an electronic tendering tool to manage this competition and communicate with potential providers. Accordingly, there will be no hard copy documents issued to potential providers and all communications with NECS, including response submissions, will be conducted via the Atamis portal at:

# https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome

You can also register your interest via this page. You can search for the opportunity by entering the following contract reference:

NECS576 Community Pharmacy RSV & Pertussis Vaccination Enhanced Service - CP

It is free to register on the portal and it can be accessed at any time of day providing you have a working internet connection. Should providers have any queries, or are having problems registering on the portal; they should contact the Atamis helpdesk via:

Support-health@Atamis.co.uk or phone number 0800 9956035

The helpdesk is open Monday - Friday between 08.00 am - 06.00 pm

Competition documentation will be available on the e-tendering site from 08/04/2025

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS England

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

https://www.england.nhs.uk/