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## **Patient/Citizen Communications & Engagement Solutions**

NHS Shared Business Services

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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Buyer's address

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Patient/Citizen Communications & Engagement Solutions

Reference number

CARAS

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 64000000 - Postal and telecommunications services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The objective of the Patient/Citizen Communications & Engagement Solutions Framework is to enhance interactions with citizens as they access the healthcare system to ensure all patients receive reminders, alerts and support when needed. Switching to a more customer focused solution including online patient portals and patient self-service functionality will lead to more successful patient pathways and experience.

The framework aims to provide a simple, effective, efficient, and compliant route to market for the supply of communication methods to engage with patients, citizens and the workforce across NHS organisations and wider public sector bodies.

It provides access to communications, alerts, reminders, and appointment technology, through a range of communication channels with Digital First, but ensuring inclusion is maximised by offering traditional methods such as Phone, Mail and SMS. Friends and Family Test (FFT) surveys can also be commissioned.

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.6) Original notice reference

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## Section VII. Changes

### VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

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