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## The Provision of Dental Prosthetic Services

Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust

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### Scope

### Description

Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust ("SCFT"/"Authority") is issuing this Invitation to Tender ("ITT") in connection with the competitive procurement of Provision of Dental Prosthetic Services. The Authority is seeking to establish a multi-supplier Framework Agreement with multiple lots for the provision of Dental Prosthetic Services (the "Framework Agreement"). This agreement will enable the call-off of dental prosthetic services under the Light Touch Regime ("LTR"). The Framework Agreement will comprise of suppliers with the necessary skills and expertise to support the Authority in delivering a comprehensive range of special needs dental prosthetic services. The Authority reserves the right to award a contract to some; all; or none of the lots as a result of the procurement process. The Framework will be divided into six (6) Geographical Lots:

- Lot 1 – Haywards Heath Health Centre, Heath Road, Haywards Heath West Sussex

### Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £416,667 excluding VAT
- £500,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 2 June 2027
- 2 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Initial term is two (2) years with a possible extension of two (2) twelve (12) month periods each.

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 85130000 - Dental practice and related services

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## **Framework**

**Maximum number of suppliers**

Unlimited

**Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

0%

**Framework operation description**

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**Award method when using the framework**

Without competition

**Contracting authorities that may use the framework**Establishing party only

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

24 April 2025, 3:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

29 April 2025, 10:00am

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

The Atamis Reference Number of this project is C345359. To obtain further information, including all documentation, please follow these steps: 1. Log in to the supplier portal at <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome> 2. Locate the opportunity using 'My Proposals and Quotes' or in 'Find Opportunities' 3. Click Register Interest Please note that all communication will take place via the Atamis portal.

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

### **Award decision date (estimated)**

20 May 2025

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## Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality	Quality	60.00%
Cost	Cost	30.00%
Social Value	Quality	10.00%

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## Other information

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

### Special regime

Light touch

### Reduced tendering period

Yes

Light touch contract - no minimum

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## Contracting authority

### Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZLC-6792-BJZP

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Region: UKJ21 - Brighton and Hove

Organisation type: Public authority - central government