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#### Planning

# **Continence Pads and Garments**

NHS National Services Scotland

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Prior information only

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NHS National Services Scotland

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Edinburgh

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#### Contact

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#### **Email**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM - Scotland

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.nss.nhs.scot/browse/procurement-and-logistics

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

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# 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

**Continence Pads and Garments** 

Reference number

NP571

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 33141621 - Incontinence kit

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

The supply of Continence Pads and Garments to All entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority or other NHS organisation established pursuant to the NHS(Scotland) Act 1978) and any Integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act

2014.

## II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £14,000,000

## II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 85142400 Home delivery of incontinence products
- 33141621 Incontinence kit
- 33000000 Medical equipments, pharmaceuticals and personal care products
- 33700000 Personal care products
- 18310000 Underwear
- 18400000 Special clothing and accessories

#### 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, (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The contract is to is to establish a Framework Agreement for a fully managed supply and delivery of disposable and reusable (washable) continence products to acute settings, our National Distribution Centre, patient's homes and residential care homes.

Assistance with clinical support evaluations and training will be required throughout the framework period

It is also expected that tenderers have the capacity to manage the full ordering and delivery service process via an appropriate secure software application such as teleservice, online portal.

To support community delivery via the management of health board bespoke patient prescription data, and also have the delivery capability to meet the expected cycles for home and care home deliveries. Typical delivery cycles are 4, 8 or 12 week

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

31 August 2022

### 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

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

\*\*\*\*\*IMPORTANT INFORMATION\*\*\*\*

The purpose of this Prior Information Notice is to undertake a market review of the current and potential future scope of the Framework Agreement for Continence Pads and Garments.

If applicable, a short meeting will be arranged within the period of 30 June 2022 and 07 July 2022 (subject to availability - unavailable Tuesday afternoons)

Please note that all meetings will be conducted on a virtual basis, through Microsoft Teams or teleconference.

Please note that this is a review exercise ONLY. The defined scope & tender will be agreed following review with the Clinical Advisory Panel, and released vis PCS-T at a later date to be confirmed.

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