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Planning

HEIW Health Care Support Worker (Nursing) Programmes - Education and Training Services Engagement Event

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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UKL - Wales

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://nwssp.nhs.wales/ourservices/procurement-services/

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0221

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

HEIW Health Care Support Worker (Nursing) Programmes - Education and Training Services Engagement Event

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Health Education and Improvement Wales (HEIW) are reviewing Health Professional Education and Training Services within Wales.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Level 4 Health Care Support Worker (Nursing) Programmes

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 Education and training services
- 80300000 Higher education services
- 80320000 Medical education services
- 80430000 Adult-education services at university level

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Health Education and Improvement Wales are seeking to procure Level 4 Health Care Support Worker (Nursing) Programmes. The education must be in the form of a Certificate of Higher Education (CertHE). The contract will be divided into lots and the draft lotting strategy will be shared for discussion at the event.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Level 5 Assistant Practitioner Module Programmes

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 Education and training services
- 80300000 Higher education services
- 80320000 Medical education services
- 80430000 Adult-education services at university level

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The contract will be divided into lots and the draft lotting strategy will be shared for discussion at the event.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 November 2021

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

In line with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015, NHS Wales Procurement Services and HEIW wish to hold a Preliminary Market Consultation event prior to launching a procurement procedure for the delivery of Level 4 Health Care Support Worker (Nursing) Programmes and Level 5 Assistant Practitioner Module Programmes. As such, discussions will be held with education providers prior to starting a procurement procedure, the purpose being to both inform education providers and to allow Procurement Services and HEIW to seek advice in the planning and conduct of the procurement procedure. Procurement Services and HEIW will run the Preliminary Market Consultation event virtually via Microsoft Teams on Tuesday 24th August 2021, starting at 14:00. Potential bidders will be provided with further insight into the requirement and given the opportunity to ask questions. In order to help define the requirement and to develop the contract's requirement, following the presentation/Q&A session, potential bidders will have an opportunity to have a 1:1 with HEIW representatives (maximum 10 minute allocated slot). Next Steps - potential bidders who are interested in attending this event:

- 1. Are invited to express an interest to the email address below confirming the names and positions of proposed attendees.
- 2. Please confirm if your organisation would like to book a 10-minute slot to further discuss the requirements with HEIW and Procurement Services.
- 3. Please confirm by 6th August whether you require any materials in the medium of the Welsh Language.

Email to express interest: <u>Gemma.Roscrow@wales.nhs.uk</u>

Potential bidders should note that this engagement event together with any other soft market sounding in relation this proposed procurement, may not necessarily lead to a formal procurement and/or award of any contracts. Further, that any information provided by potential bidders during this engagement event, may be used by HEIW to help to scope the proposed procurement/services and may also be shared widely with other

potential bidders/providers. Accordingly, potential bidders are advised not to share any confidential information and/or information they would not wish to be shared more widely. HEIW accepts no liability for any costs incurred by bidders as a result of attending the engagement event. Please note that it is not a requirement for an OJEU notice to be translated bilingually on Sell2Wales, however, if you require a copy of the PIN Notice in Welsh this is available to all interested potential bidders.

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