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Contract

Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

Nhs Blood & Transplant

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-019498

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02d399

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Nhs Blood & Transplant

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.nhsbt.nhs.uk/>

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

Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

Reference number

NHSBT1366 / C39664

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33140000 - Medical consumables

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The award is for Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

Contract notice published on 10th March 2021 with publication reference: 2021/S
000-004888.

Please see section II.2.4 for detailed description of the procurement.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £3,050,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33693000 - Other therapeutic products
- 50421000 - Repair and maintenance services of medical equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Therapeutic Apheresis Services (TAS) function operates within the Clinical Services directorate of NHSBT. Multi-disciplinary TAS teams operate from eight regional hub units and three 3 spoke sites that are based within Acute NHS Trusts across England and South Wales. Each unit provides a portfolio of therapeutic treatments to both adult and paediatric patients from across a range of clinical specialities. Included in the TAS portfolio of therapeutic procedures is Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) which is provided from four of the TAS hub units (Bristol, London, Oxford, and Manchester) as well as all three of the spoke sites (the Clatterbridge Cancer Centre, Cardiff and The Vale Health Board and Plymouth University Hospitals Trust). The ECP systems utilised by the TAS teams are able to perform both adult and paediatric procedures and have an integral clinical grade light box.

The requirement for this procurement was to source machine consumables and maintenance services to support existing Extracorporeal Photopheresis machine platforms. Contract notice published on 10th March 2021 with publication reference: 2021/S 000-004888.

As a result of the tender, a Framework Agreement for Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems for a period of 2 years with two 1-year options to extend has been awarded to Therakos (UK) Ltd.

The following contracting authorities will be able to purchase against the Framework Agreement: NHSBT and Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2020/S 230-568414](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NHSBT1366 / C39664

Title

Support of existing NHSBT Extracorporeal Photopheresis (ECP) systems

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 August 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Therakos (UK) Ltd

Staines

TW18 3AG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,050,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Blood and Transplant

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom