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## **Framework Agreement for the Provision of Various Pharmacy Courses at Higher Education Institutions**

Health Education and Improvement Wales (HEIW)

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**7 August 2024, 12:00pm**

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

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**NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**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](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**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Framework Agreement for the Provision of Various Pharmacy Courses at Higher Education Institutions

Reference number

HEIW-OJEU-111423

#### **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) sits alongside Health Boards and Trusts and have a leading role in the education, training, development, and shaping of the healthcare workforce, supporting high-quality care for the people of Wales.

The HEIW Pharmacy team have a key role in the educational development of staff across Wales. They are therefore required to commission various courses for staff members, at various HEI's across the UK, to meet their remit of upskilling the pharmacy workforce. Whilst there are currently contracts in place to support courses within Wales, there is nothing in place for university sources in other parts of the UK.

HEIW therefore propose to establish a non-committal framework agreement, for a period of four years, with an option to extend for a further four years, as a compliant solution for the provision of various courses at various higher education establishments across the UK.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots

2

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Modules and courses delivered at educational level 4 /5

Lot No

1

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Lotting Details

This Framework Agreement covers the supply of services across two Lots. Bidders may respond to one or more of the Lots:

Lot 1. Modules and courses delivered at educational level 4 /5 covering the following (but not an exhaustive list):

1. BTEC Level 4 Professional Diploma in Pharmacy Clinical Services
2. Enhanced Practice Programme for Pharmacy Technicians
3. Level 4 diploma in procurement and supply
4. Level 5 advanced diploma in procurement and supply
5. Level 5 diploma of higher education in advanced pharmacy technician practice

Please check the Information for Bidders and specification for more details.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: TECHNICAL / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start date

10 September 2024

End date

31 August 2028

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Contract Period: 10th September 2024 – 31st August 2028 (with optional extension to 31st August 2032)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Modules, PGcert, Diploma and MSc at educational level 7/ 8

Lot No

2

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Lotting Details

This Framework Agreement covers the supply of services across two Lots. Bidders may respond to one or more of the Lots:

Lot 2. Modules, PGcert, Diploma and MSc at educational level 7/ 8 covering (but not an exhaustive list):

1. MSc / diploma / PGCert in psychiatric pharmacy practice
2. Clinically enhanced independent prescribing PGCert
3. Clinical pharmacy practice diploma
4. PGCert / Diploma in clinical pharmacy
5. MSc Clinical microbiology and Infectious diseases
6. Masters of Public Health
7. Diploma in pain management
8. Essentials of obstetric medicine
9. MSc / diploma in Pharmaceutical Technology and Quality Assurance
10. MSc Advanced clinical pharmacy practice
11. MSc in perioperative medicine
12. MSc Clinical Pharmacy for secondary and tertiary care
13. MSc Clinical Pharmacy for primary and community care
14. Advanced Paediatric pharmacy practice module

15. MSc in emergency medicine
16. MSc Clinical pharmacy
17. MSc oncology
18. PGCert Cancer Studies
19. Neonatal nutrition
20. Non-medical prescribing
21. Advanced clinical practice
22. Independent prescribing for Pharmacists
23. Practical primary care dermatology
24. Various modules under Tropical medicines
25. PGCert in Gastrointestinal disorders
26. PGCert in Health Professionals Education

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

##### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

As stated within the procurement documents

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### **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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Originally published as:

Date

6 August 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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Date

7 August 2024

Local time

12:00pm

See the [change notice](#).

##### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

##### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

6 August 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Bidders to note that they will be required to enter into terms and conditions of the contract as set out in the tender documents and that save for matters of clarification or consistency, HEIW will not negotiate the terms.

All tender costs and any liabilities incurred by bidders shall be the sole responsibility of the bidders. HEIW reserves the right to

award the Contract in whole or in part. HEIW reserves the right to pause, halt, abandon and/or annul the tendering process and not to award

any or all the Contracts.

NOTE: The authority is using eTenderwales to carry out this procurement process. To obtain further information record your interest on Sell2Wales at [https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search\\_switch.aspx?ID=142729](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search_switch.aspx?ID=142729)

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

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