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## **The Provision of a Laboratories Managed Service on behalf of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde**

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-020978

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0357e6

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The closing date and time has been changed to:

**4 October 2022, 9:00am**

See the [change notice](#).

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

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

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

Procurement Department, Glasgow Royal Infirmary, 84 Castle Street

Glasgow

G4 0SF

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKM82 - Glasgow City

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/13715750>

Buyer's address

<https://www.nhsggc.scot/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<http://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/13715750>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<http://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/13715750>

**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**

The Provision of a Laboratories Managed Service on behalf of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 71900000 - Laboratory services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

NHS Shared Business Services (NHS SBS) are acting as an agent on behalf of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde, to obtain a Contractor for The Provision of a Laboratories Managed Service.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £393,548,112

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

Greater Glasgow and Clyde - Across the main Acute Hospital sites throughout GG&C but the largest site is the QEUH

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde (NHS GG&C) require a Provider/Contractor to provide a Managed Laboratory Service for the large majority of analyses performed within the NHS GG&C Laboratory Medicine Department across the full range of laboratory specialties. The maximum affordability limit for the total Contract (including any potential extensions) is 393,548,112 GBP and the Contract will be for the duration of a 7 year initial period with either the option to extend for 2 further periods of 7 years and 2 years or a single further period of 2 years only, with a service commencement date of 12th September 2023. NHS GG&C is the largest of 14 territorial NHS Boards in Scotland. It serves a population of 1.2 million and employs circa 39,000 staff. Therefore it is essential that the proposed solution to provide the Managed Service is customised to the operational and clinical requirements of all Departments. The individual requirements for the Procurement are:-

- A - General - includes Board IT Requirements
- B - Biochemistry & Immunology - includes electrophoresis & POCT
- C - Haematology and H&I - includes electrophoresis & POCT
- D - Genetics
- E - Pathology
- F - Microbiology, Virology and Reference Laboratories - includes POCT
- G - Blood / Urine / Fluid Collection Systems
- H - Ultra Low Freezers/Incubators/Centrifuges/Gases

It is anticipated that the proposed solution will provide new equipment and therefore any costs related to this should be costed within the submission. Further information on the full services required can be found within the Tender pack and Providers wishing to express an interest in participating in this Invitation to Tender (ITT) should register their interest on <http://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/13715750> to access the documentation required to provide the Service. The ITT documentation should be completed and submitted by 3pm on 20th September 2022.

NHS GG&C are happy to offer site visits to help the bidders in their tender preparation. These will be available from 8th August until 2nd September 2022. Bidders can access these by contacting Lesley O'Donnell at [lesley.o'donnell@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:lesley.o'donnell@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

## II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £393,548,112

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

Start date

12 September 2023

End date

11 September 2039

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contract will be for the duration of a 7 year initial period with either the option to extend for 2 further periods of 7 years and 2 years or a single further period of 2 years only, with a service commencement date of 12th September 2023.

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

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Options: No

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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

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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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Originally published as:

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20 September 2022

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9:00am

See the [change notice](#).

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

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

20 September 2022

Local time

4:00pm

Place

NHS SBS on behalf of NHS GG&C

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure

NHS SBS on behalf of NHS GG&C

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

A PIN notice has been advertised using the below references:-

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FTS 025194-2021

To view a copy of the PIN, please use the PIN link here:

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/show/search\\_view.aspx?ID=OCT430003](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/show/search_view.aspx?ID=OCT430003).

Adverts have been placed on Contract Finder and PCS also

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

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

Glasgow Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

1 Carlton P

Glasgow

G5 9DA

Country

United Kingdom