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## **Pulse Oximetry Consumables**

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

F02: Contract notice

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

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

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**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](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**

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

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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#### **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**

Pulse Oximetry Consumables

Reference number

NP102/22

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

- 33140000 - Medical consumables

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

Supplies

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

The supply and delivery of Pulse Oximetry Consumables including disposable and reusable probes 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).

Note: The authority is using PCS-Tender to carry out this procurement process. Please note this is a separate website and if you are not already

registered, registration will be required

To access PCS-Tender, record your interest in this notice and access the tender documentation please visit

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk> and search for project Code 21983 within the appropriate area.

If you have already registered on Public Contracts Scotland and PCS-Tender and paired your accounts you can access PCS-Tender through

your Public Contracts Scotland Control Panel.

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

Value excluding VAT: £6,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots  
3

## **II.2) Description**

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

Single use / disposable pulse oximeter sensors

Lot No

2

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

- 33140000 - Medical consumables

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

Single use / disposable pulse oximeter sensors for Neonatal, Infant, Paediatric and Adult use.

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

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **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**

Adult reusable pulse oximeter sensors

Lot No

1

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

- 33140000 - Medical consumables

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

Supply of Adult reusable pulse oximeter sensors including adapter cables and extension cables

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

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **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**

Handheld Pulse Oximeters

Lot No

3

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

- 33195000 - Patient-monitoring system

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

Supply of Handheld Pulse Oximeters and accessories.

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

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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

Variants will be accepted: No

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Options: No

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

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

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition if they are in breach of any of the situations referred to in regulation 58 of the

Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

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

List and brief description of selection criteria

It is a requirement of this contract that bidders hold, or can commit to obtain prior to the commence of any subsequently awarded contract, the

types and levels of insurance indicated below:

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

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Employers (Compulsory) Liability Insurance GBP 5,000,000 minimum

Public Liability Insurance GBP 5,000,000 minimum

Professional Indemnity Insurance GBP 2,000,000 minimum

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

List and brief description of selection criteria

Applicable to all lots;

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

- All tendered products must fully comply with the Requirement Documents included within the tender.

- If awarded to the Framework Potential Framework Participants must provide evidence that all products tendered are UKCA (& CE) marked, with attached copies of the

certification. UKCA (& CE) certification must be provided for each unique model tendered.

Medical Device Directive 93/42/EEC. Evidence should be in form of a certificate of compliance issued by a UKAS (or equivalent) accredited

independent third party.

- If awarded to the Framework Potential Framework Participants must provide certification to confirm that the manufacturing organisation hold

ISO 13485 certification or equivalent. All companies within the supply chain are approved to ISO9001 or equivalent, or ISO 13485 or

equivalent.

- If awarded to the Framework Potential Framework Participants must provide certification to confirm that the manufacturer meets the

Environmental standard ISO 14001 or equivalent.

- All tendered pricing must be inclusive of delivery.

- Potential Framework Participants must confirm they are able to meet all mandatory requirements as detailed within the ITT.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 15

#### **IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used

**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**

Date

2 September 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

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

Date

2 September 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

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

Golden Jubilee Hospital (National Waiting Times Centre Board),

- NHS 24,
- NHS Ayrshire and Arran,
- NHS Borders,
- NHS Dumfries and Galloway,
- NHS Education of Scotland,
- NHS Fife,
- NHS Forth Valley,
- NHS Grampian,
- NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde,
- NHS Health Scotland,
- NHS Highland,
- NHS Lanarkshire,
- NHS Lothian,
- NHS Orkney,
- Healthcare Improvement Scotland,

- NHS Shetland,
- NHS Tayside,
- Scottish Ambulance Services,
- The Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service,
- The State Hospitals for Scotland

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<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343>

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see:  
<https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

Potential framework participants are required to summarise any proposed community benefits that will be developed and delivered as part

of this contract is successful, or, alternatively potential framework participants confirm they will engage with the NHS Scotland's

Community Benefit Gateway( CBG ). This gateway, developed through requests from suppliers seeking opportunities to support the

delivery of community benefits within the contracting region, provides information on community benefit opportunities. The CBG is a free

and easy to use online service that connects NHS Scotland suppliers with third sector community organisations within Scotland and will be

used for tracking and reporting and is approved compliant route to the realisation of community benefits.

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

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

Sheriff Court House

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Edinburgh

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Telephone

+44 131225252

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Authority will notify economic operators who submitted a tender or (where no deselection notification has previously been made)

applied to be selected to tender, of its decision to award the framework agreement which notification will contain among other information,

a summary of the reasons why the economic operators was unsuccessful. The notification will incorporate a 'standstill period' of a

minimum of 10 clear calendar days (or a minimum of 15 if the communication method used is not electronic) between the date on which

the Authority dispatches the notice(s) and the date on which the Authority proposes to conclude the relevant framework agreement. The

bringing of court proceedings against the Authority during the standstill period will automatically continue the prohibition on entering into

the framework agreement until the court proceedings are determined, discontinued or

disposed of, or the court, by interim order, brings to

an end the prohibition. The remedies that may be awarded by the courts before the framework agreement has been entered into include the

setting aside of the decision to award the framework agreement to the winning tenderer(s). The bringing of court proceedings against the

Authority after the framework agreement has been entered into will not affect the framework agreement unless grounds for the imposition

of special penalties under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 can be established. Otherwise, the remedies that may be

awarded by the courts where the framework agreement has been entered into are limited to the award of damages