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## **Market Engagement to inform the procurement of a new Integrated Urgent Care Hub within St Albans Hospital**

NHS Herts Valleys Clinical Commissioning Group

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Prior information only

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

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

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**I.3) Communication**

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

[https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rw/entrance\\_s.asp?PID=39597&B=NHSSBS](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rw/entrance_s.asp?PID=39597&B=NHSSBS)

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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Market Engagement to inform the procurement of a new Integrated Urgent Care Hub within St Albans Hospital

Reference number

HVCCG\_IUCH\_Sep21

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

NHS Herts Valleys Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) are finalising their intentions for a new Integrated Urgent Treatment Care Hub (IUCH) service and have yet to finalise any decision in regard to the service model, specification, budget and the procurement process. Market engagement is being undertaken at this time to seek the views and opinions of those organisations that may be interested in providing the future service.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

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

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This Market Engagement Questionnaire (MEQ), and any subsequent information provided in response to it, does not form an integral part of any potential future procurement exercise and should be considered as an invitation by the CCG to engage with the potential market in order to explore relevant issues, understand the level of interest and ensure early understanding by the market of the intentions for this new service.

Participation in the engagement exercise is not a mandatory requirement for participating in any potential future procurement; however, responses received will assist to inform as to the level of interest from the market and will be used to evidence a decision as to the most appropriate process to award a contract for the new IUCH service. **CONFIRMATION OF YOUR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST IS THEREFORE IMPORTANT.**

Please return your completed Market Engagement Questionnaire (MEQ) via the EU-Supply e-procurement portal (46083), by no later than Noon, 18th October 2021. Later responses than this are welcomed, but please note that they may not be considered fully.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

3 January 2022

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## **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: No