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**Planning** 

# PIN (Prior Information Notice) Advanced Practice, Mental Health Training Course

Health Education England

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02e837

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Health Education England

1st Floor, Blenheim House, Duncombe Street

Leeds

LS1 4PL

#### Contact

Sarah Ambrose

#### **Email**

sarah.ambrose@hee.nhs.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKI31 - Camden and City of London

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.hee.nhs.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.hee.nhs.uk

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

http://health.atamis.co.uk

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

PIN (Prior Information Notice) Advanced Practice, Mental Health Training Course

Reference number

C47325

#### 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 England (HEE - the Commissioner) are putting out this notice as a PIN (Prior Information Notice) with a view to completing a Direct Award. Please note that this is not a Tender opportunity and that the contracting authority intends to direct award the contract to the following providers London South Bank University; Sheffield Hallam University; University of Salford; University of Huddersfield and University of Coventry.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £2,160,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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

5 October 2021

## 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: Yes