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## **Laboratories Managed Service**

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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### **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

#### **Email**

[ggc.tenders@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:ggc.tenders@ggc.scot.nhs.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1412015396

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM82 - Glasgow City

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.nhsggc.org.uk/about-us/procurement/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10722](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10722)

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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<https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.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**

Laboratories Managed Service

Reference number

GGC0691

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

- 71900000 - Laboratory services

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

Services

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

Prior Information Notice concerning NHS GG&Cs intention to re-procure its Labs Managed Service

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

Value excluding VAT: £24,000,000

### **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

Across the main Acute Hospital sites throughout GG&C but the largest site is the QEUH

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

Provision of a managed service agreement for the large majority of analyses performed within the NHS GG&C Laboratory Medicine Department across the full range of laboratory specialties

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

5 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: Yes

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

The Board intend to commence re-procurement of it's Laboratories Managed Service around January 2022 to be tendered via the Open Procedure. The current annual value of the service is circa 24m GBP p/a. The Board is looking at a longer term contract which would allow for potential equipment refresh to be built in. The Board intends to work to a timescale to ensure that the award of contract is complete by 31 October 2022 to allow for an implementation period thereafter, to coincide with the end of the current contract (as extended) of September 2023. The Prior Information Notice is intended to notify suppliers of this forthcoming tender but also to allow for site visits for potential competent bidders in order to assess the available labs footprint and access relevant drawings and other technical information. Covid-19 social distancing restrictions are still in place and additionally the Board has been asked to ensure no external visitors to our sites during the period of the forthcoming COP26 conference in Glasgow between 1-11 November 2021. We would therefore ask that potential bidders keep site visits to a minimum and work with third party suppliers to avoid duplicate site visits wherever possible. Should suppliers wish to request a site visit, please email: [Mike.Kumar@ggc.scot.nhs.uk](mailto:Mike.Kumar@ggc.scot.nhs.uk) in order to submit your request. Due to all of the restrictions previously mentioned, we can offer w/c 22nd November and w/c 29th November as site visit windows. The PIN will be open until the end of December 2021. Prior to publication of the contract notice, if possible we will endeavour to share draft specifications, over-arching terms and conditions and other relevant documents, however cannot guarantee this.

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[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search\\_Switch.aspx?ID=669592](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=669592).

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