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Tender

## **Provision of Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction (qPCR) Machine**

University of South Wales

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

1977

### **Description**

The University of South Wales (USW) requires a new Quantitative Polymerase Chain Reaction (qPCR) Machine to replace an existing machine. USW mainly use it to quantify antimicrobial resistance genes from environmental samples; however, its scope may be expanded to include forensic applications. Samples are quantified alongside standards to get concentrations of ARGs. These are then used to work out gene copy numbers using external software.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £30,000 excluding VAT

- £36,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 23 June 2025 to 31 July 2025
- 1 month, 8 days

### **Main procurement category**

Goods

### **CPV classifications**

- 38950000 - Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) equipment
- 38900000 - Miscellaneous evaluation or testing instruments

### **Contract locations**

- UKL15 - Central Valleys

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## Submission

### Enquiry deadline

10 June 2025, 12:00pm

### Tender submission deadline

13 June 2025, 12:00pm

### Submission address and any special instructions

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

ITT Reference to access - itt\_117430

### Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

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## Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price	Cost	100.00%

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## Procedure

## Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

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## Contracting authority

### University of South Wales

- Charity Commission (England and Wales): 1140312

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Region: UKL15 - Central Valleys

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales