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Tender

# Framework for the Supply of Viscoelastic Products

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF DERBY & BURTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF DERBY & BURTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

**DERBY** 

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UK - United Kingdom

### **NHS Organisation Data Service**

East Midlands Pharmacy Collaborative

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.empc.nhs.uk/

## I.3) Communication

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

https://emprocurenhs.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.shtml

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://emprocurenhs.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.shtml

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Framework for the Supply of Viscoelastic Products

Reference number

D98 - ITT 29005

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a Framework Agreement for the supply of Viscoelastic products for use in participating Trusts.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No.

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a Framework Agreement for the supply of Viscoelastic products for use in participating Trusts

The contract will be for Sodium hyaluronate syringes for use in ophthalmic surgery.

The East Midlands Pharmacy Collaborative (EMPC) hosted by The University Hospitals of Derby & Burton NHS Foundation Trusts has collated the requirements of the following

Trusts who may or may not be participating in this offer, subject to the terms of any existing agreements. Hereafter all references to Pharmacy Collaborative will incorporate these Trusts also. Inclusion of ICB's / Mental health Trusts across the region may be required at a later stage.

Current Acute Membership is listed below but is subject to change throughout the life of any resulting contract. The following web address provides the most up to date member list.

https://www.empc.nhs.uk/

The Purchasing Collaborative Organisations that are listed under The Specialist Pharmacy Service may participate in this Framework during the Contract period. Please see the current list at:

https://www.sps.nhs.uk/articles/collaborative-purchasing-organisations/

Framework agreement may extend to: All National Health Service (NHS) bodies in England, including but not limited to:

**NHS Provider Directory** 

https://www.england.nhs.uk/publication/nhs-provider-directory/

NHS Foundation Trusts at:

https://www.england.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/Public Registry FT directory 190403.xls

This is a two-year contract with the option to extend for a further 2 years at the discretion of the EMPC and provider(s) agreement.

#### 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

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

There is an option to extend for a further 24 months at the discretion of East Midlands Pharmacy Collaborative and with the agreement of the Suppliers.

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### II.2.14) Additional information

This is a two-year Contract with the option to extend for a further 2 years at the discretion of EMPC and the Supplier's agreement.

The current value with the EMPC members is £65,000 per annum.

The estimated Contract value could be in the region of £800,000 for the 4 year Framework period, depending on Contract take up by the Trusts listed in 11.2.4.

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

## 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

3 November 2023

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

3 November 2023

Local time

1:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

East Midlands Pharmacy Collaborative (EMPC) is a procurement collaborative hosted by University Hospitals of Derby & Burton NHS Foundation Trust, acting on behalf of its member organisations.

The member organisations who may purchase under any Contract awarded through this process are found at

https://www.uhdb.nhs.uk/east-midlands-pharmacy-collaborative-empc

For full access to the Tender documents and to be able to submit a bid, please go to the above e-tender address (Bravo) and register.

Once registered, you can find the Tender documents by searching the reference D98 - Project ITT\_29005.

For any technical problems with the e-tendering portal, please contact the Bravo helpdesk on 0800 069 8630 or email

help@bravosolution.co.uk

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

University Hospitals of Derby & Burton NHS Foundation Trust

East Midlands Pharmacy Collaborative, EMPC, Florence Nightingale Community Hospital, London Road

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