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Tender

NECS375 - Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service - Invitation to Tender

NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Boards

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Boards

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Durham

DH1 3YG

Email

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKC - North East (England)

NHS Organisation Data Service

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/aspx/Home>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/aspx/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/aspx/Home>

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

NECS375 - Home Oxygen Assessment and Review Service - Invitation to Tender

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 County Durham, including Darlington

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

County Durham

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.1) Title

Lot 2: Tees Valley, including Middlesbrough, Redcar and Cleveland

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

Tees Valley

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II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 - Sunderland and South Tyneside

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

Sunderland and South Tyneside

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II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - Gateshead

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

Gateshead

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Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

7 November 2022

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English