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# **South Tyneside General Practice Out-of-hours Service**

NHS South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

NHS South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

Monkton Hall, Monkton Lane

**Jarrow** 

**NE32 5NN** 

#### **Email**

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKC - North East (England)

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.necsu.nhs.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.southtynesideccg.nhs.uk

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

# 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 another address:

North of England Commissioning Support

John Snow House

Durham

DH1 3YG

**Email** 

necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

UKC - North East (England)

Internet address(es)

Main address

#### https://www.necsu.nhs.uk

# 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

South Tyneside General Practice Out-of-hours Service

Reference number

NECS390

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) are working for and on behalf of NHS South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) (the Contracting Authority) who are conducting a Request for Information (RFI) exercise to engage with the market in order to inform the further development of draft proposals for the future service delivery of General Practice Out-of-hours Service for South Tyneside area.

The Contracting Authority is interested to hear from providers who could deliver General Practice Out-of hours Service in South Tyneside geographical area.

The Request for Information (RFI) documentation will be available on 26 November 2021 to all interested parties who have registered an interest.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

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

• 85120000 - Medical practice and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKC22 - Tyneside

Main site or place of performance

South Tyneside

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

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#### II.2.14) Additional information

To register an interest in responding to this market engagement exercise and obtain a copy of the Request for Information documentation please go to the Intend portal: <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/aspx/home">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nhsnecsu/aspx/home</a>.

NECS is utilising an electronic tendering tool (In-Tend) (e-Tendering system) to manage this market engagement exercise and communicate with potential bidders in accordance with Regulation 22 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (as amended)

It is free to register on In-Tend, which can be accessed at any time of day providing you have a working internet connection. Should you have any queries, or you are having

problems registering please contact the In-Tend helpdesk

via: <a href="mailto:support@in-tend.com">support@in-tend.com</a> or call us on 0845 557 8079 / +44 (0) 114 407 0065.

The helpdesk is open Monday - Friday between 9 a.m.- 5.30 p.m.

Please note that the deadline for RFI responses is 5:00 p.m. on 17 December 2021.

Please note that all communications and RFI submissions will be conducted via the In-Tend portal only.

Please note that this exercise is not part of any pre-qualification process. It is intended as an awareness, communication and information gathering exercise offering an opportunity for provider organisations to help inform potential future service models and/or commissioning intentions.

Please note that the RFI documents can be accessed via the In-Tend portal from 26 November 2021.

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

23 September 2022

### 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