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Tender

Pharmacy Automated Solutions 2021

HealthTrust Europe LLP (HTE) acting as agent for the University Hospitals of Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust (“UHCW”)

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

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

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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

Pharmacy Automated Solutions 2021

Reference number

SF052849

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The Tender is to establish a Framework Agreement for the supply of Pharmacy Automated Solutions, which includes robotics and automated equipment suitable for ward use and pharmacies.

The framework agreement has nine lots:

Lot 1 – Pharmacy Automated Dispensing System

Lot 2- Ward Based Automated Medication Dispensing Cabinets

Lot 2A – Pharmacy and Ward Based Automated Collection Units

Lot 3 – Automated Pharmacy Packaging Solutions

Lot 4 – Point of Care Dispensing Solution Hardware

Lot 5A – Robotic Aseptic Compounding System

Lot 5B – Automated Aseptic Medical Software and Tracking Systems

Lot 5C – Aseptic Cabinets/Isolators

The duration of the Framework Agreement will be 4 years maximum, 2 years initial period,

with the option to extend for up to 48 months.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £170,000,000

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 Pharmacy Automated Dispensing System

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Lot 1 – Pharmacy Automated Dispensing System

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £40,000,000

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

Extension up to 24 months.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 Ward Based Automated Medication Dispensing Cabinets

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.1) Title

Lot 2A Pharmacy and Ward Based Automated Collection Units

Lot No

2A

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000

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Duration in months

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Yes

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 Automated Pharmacy Packaging Solutions

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Lot 3 – Automated Pharmacy Packaging Solutions

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Duration in months

24

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Yes

Description of renewals

Extension up to 24 months.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 Point of Care Dispensing Solution Hardware

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.6) Estimated value

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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

Extension up to 24 months.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 5A Robotic Aseptic Compounding System

Lot No

5A

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Duration in months

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Yes

Description of renewals

Extension up to 24 months.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 5B Automated Aseptic Medical Software and Tracking Systems

Lot No

5B

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Lot 5B – Automated Aseptic Medical Software and Tracking Systems

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 5C Aseptic Cabinets/Isolators

Lot No

5C

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48921000 - Automation system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

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Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

HTE may request such information as may be requested pursuant to Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts

Regulations 2015. Details are provided in the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

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Regulations 2015. Details are provided in the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

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

31 January 2022

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

31 January 2022

Local time

12:01pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

HTE is a central purchasing body who is able to carry out this tender exercise by virtue of its appointment

as an agent of UHCW. Notwithstanding HTE's relationship with UHCW, it is HTE conducting this tender

exercise and will execute the resultant framework agreement with successful bidders. The bodies to whom

the use of this framework agreement will be open include all contracting authorities in the UK as defined in

Regulation 2 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 as may be updated from time to time. In particular,

the following entities in the UK (particularly those of a health and/or social care nature) are envisaged as

framework agreement users: (1) All National Health Service (NHS) bodies in England, including but not

limited to (i) acute trusts (as listed at: <http://www.nhs.uk/servicedirectories/pages/acutetrustlisting.aspx>);

(ii) health and care trusts (as listed at: <http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/CareTrustListing.aspx>); (iii) mental

health trusts (as listed at: <http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/MentalHealthTrustListing.aspx>); (iv)

clinical commissioning groups (as listed at: <http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/CCGListing.aspx>);

(v) ambulance trusts (as listed at:

<http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/CareTrustListing.aspx> (vi)

area teams (as listed at:

<http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/AreaTeamListing.aspx>); (vii) special

health authorities

(<http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/SpecialHealthAuthorityListing.aspx>);

(viii) NHS England; and (ix) clinical senates and strategic clinical networks. (2) All NHS bodies in Wales,

including but not limited to all (i) health boards; (ii) NHS trusts; (iii) the national delivery group; (iv)

community health councils; and (v) NHS Wales shared services partnership (as listed at

<http://www.wales.nhs.uk/nhswalesaboutus/structure>. (3) All NHS bodies in Northern Ireland (known as

Health & Social Care), including but not limited to: (i) health and social care trusts (as listed at:

<http://online.hscni.net/?s=Trust> (ii) health agencies (as listed at:

<http://online.hscni.net/?s=health+agencies> (iii) hospitals (as listed at:

<http://online.hscni.net/?s=hospitals>; and (iv) the Health and Social Care Board. (4) Social enterprises

undertaking some or all of the previous service provider functions of contracting authorities in relation to

health and/or social care services (including charitable incorporated organisations, cooperatives, industrial

and provident societies

and community interest companies listed on the Companies House WebCheck service).

(5) Ministerial departments and non-ministerial departments of central government, non-departmental

agencies and other public bodies, and public corporations (as listed at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations>). (6) Devolved governmental and parliamentary

organisations within the UK, including but not limited to the Scottish Government, Scottish Parliament, and

Scottish public bodies (as listed at:

<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Government/publicbodies/>

about/Bodies), as

well as the Welsh Government, Welsh Assembly and Welsh unitary authorities (as listed at:

<http://www.assembly.wales/en/abthome/role-of-assembly-how-it-works/Pages/governance-ofwales.aspx>

(7) All local authorities (as listed at:

<http://local.direct.gov.uk/LDGRedirect/Start.do?mode=1>)

(8) The Ministry of Defence (as detailed

at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ministry-ofdefence>).

This list includes each organisation's successors and assigns, any equivalent organisations and

associated organisation created due to any organisational changes.

This framework agreement will be open to any bodies or organisations operating in the UK of a health,

and/or social care nature or which have a similar procurement need, and/or any UK based central

government authority listed at Annex I of Directive 2014/24/EU, in respect of any goods or services to any

of the above listed organisation

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

HTE will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is

communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision. The

standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful

tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into.