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Planning

## **Privacy Enhancing Technology**

NHS England

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038020

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

NHS England

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Leeds

LS2 7UE

#### **Contact**

Senior Procurement Manager

#### **Email**

[england.commercialqueries@nhs.net](mailto:england.commercialqueries@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

## **Region code**

UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.england.nhs.uk//>

Buyer's address

<https://www.england.nhs.uk//>

## **I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Privacy Enhancing Technology

Reference number

C105025

### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 72322000 - Data management services

### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4) Short description**

NHS England is planning to go to the market for Privacy Enhancing Technology (PET). PET will apply privacy to data via various mechanisms, supporting the use of data by individuals and NHS Bodies who have a legitimate need to process data.

The PET platform will be a Software as a Service (SaaS) solution that will be centrally located on cloud, with components or local version deployments supported to integrate with on-premise data sources.

The PET must perform three key functions (which will be further detailed in subsequent tender documentation):

- Discovery – automated identification and classification of PII and sensitive data
- Protection – making sensitive data available to legitimate consumers in a secure format
- Audit and Management – auditing and monitoring the use of sensitive data across NHS England

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### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £35,000,000

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 72322000 - Data management services

- 48211000 - Platform interconnectivity software package
- 48613000 - Electronic data management (EDM)
- 72322000 - Data management services
- 72310000 - Data-processing services
- 48000000 - Software package and information systems

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE4 - West Yorkshire

Main site or place of performance

The NHS in England.

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

It is anticipated that the scope of this procurement will solely include Privacy Enhancing Technology (PET).

The route to market is to be determined. NHS England will select a route to market that best suits its needs.

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

NHS England is issuing a Request for Information in relation to the project and accompanying high-level scoping document which will be made available to suppliers. 'Suppliers' means entities or groups of entities which offer the provision of services on the market.

Please note that this PIN is NOT a call for competition.

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

1 July 2022

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## **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