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Pipeline

Inpatient Catering Meals and Services

Norfolk Community Health and Care NHS Trust
Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust

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Scope

Description

Provision of Inpatient catering meals and associated services to an NHS Trust. This managed service includes the provision and delivery of cook chill and or cook frozen patient meals to a number of mental health ward environments. Please note that this procurement is likely to be run as a further competition from the NHS Supply Chain Food framework offerings. Any dates listed in this notice are working estimates only and are subject to change.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £7,500,000 excluding VAT

- £9,000,000 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 November 2025 to 31 October 2028
- Possible extension to 31 October 2030
- 5 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 55520000 - Catering services

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 October 2025

Procedure

Above or below total value threshold

Above or equal to threshold

Contracting authorities

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