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Planning

## **Provision of Anti-Racism Consultancy Services**

NHS Blood and Transplant

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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

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

NHS Blood and Transplant

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Bristol

BS16 7FG

#### **Contact**

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#### **Email**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

## **Region code**

UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://www.nhsbt.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**

Body governed by public law

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

Health

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Provision of Anti-Racism Consultancy Services

Reference number

C221524

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

NHS Blood and Transplant wishes to engage with the market to gain insight into appointing an expert supplier to partner with us on Project 3 of our Forward Together Programme. Therefore, we are looking to hold a market engagement event on Friday 17th November starting at 10 am. If this is something you would be interested in, please complete this form <https://forms.office.com/e/StfKbQG6JG>

Project 3 aims to drive cultural change through organisation development interventions. We need a supplier who can identify our deeper needs, design, and deliver a comprehensive organisation-wide learning and development solution, and provide strategies and tools to practice and embed intentionally inclusive and anti-racist behaviours across our organisation.

The solution needs to include topics such as anti-racism, racial equity, social justice, civility, cultural intelligence, and active bystander and inclusion as a minimum. However, we are open to exploring what else should be on this topic list to ensure we can deliver the programme outcomes outlined below.

Our Vision for NHSBT is an organisation that is intentionally inclusive and anti-racist, placing its people at the heart of all activities.

We will know we have succeeded when:

- Our people have a greater understanding of race equity, and the ability to practically apply these understandings at individual, team, and directorate levels.
- All our people have equitable access to career opportunities: through intentionally inclusive

recruitment progression and development.

- Colleagues are not disadvantaged by their characteristics.
- We provide fair, compassionate, and equitable treatment for all our people when things do not go right.
- We have the mechanisms in place to learn and exceed the minimum to be compliant with the Equality Act.

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

Value excluding VAT: £100,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services
- 79411000 - General management consultancy services
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 79414000 - Human resources management consultancy services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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We also have a draft specification, which we would like to share with the market. In order to receive a copy please email the above email address.

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

6 November 2023

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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: No