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Planning

## **Volunteer/Third Sector Framework for Clinical Services**

NHS England

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038699

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

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

NHS England

1st Floor, Quarry House, Quarry Hill

Leeds

LS2 7UE

#### **Email**

[janice.brodie@nhs.net](mailto:janice.brodie@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**

National or federal Agency/Office

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

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Volunteer/Third Sector Framework for Clinical Services

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

NHS England (NHSE) would like to invite all interested stakeholders to participate in an early market engagement exercise relating to a procurement of Volunteer/Third Sector Framework for Clinical Services.

NHSE is seeking market input to inform decisions regarding the procurement and for developing relevant documents in accordance with those decisions.

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

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

NHS England (NHSE) would like to invite all interested stakeholders to participate in an early market engagement exercise relating to a procurement of Volunteer/Third Sector Framework for Clinical Services.

NHSE is seeking market input to inform decisions regarding the procurement and for developing relevant documents in accordance with those decisions.

Before publishing a formal procurement opportunity, NHSE would like to invite interested providers/stakeholders to provide feedback on the draft specification and to understand the capability and capacity of the market to inform any procurement strategy going forward. Interested stakeholders are encouraged to complete the Request for Information (RFI) document supplied as part of this exercise.

To register your interest and access the RFI, which includes a draft specification this market engagement process is being managed by the Atamis system. Please go to the following link <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome> and click on 'View our Live Opportunities'.

An expression of interest within this Market Engagement Exercise will not automatically entitle involvement in any future procurement exercise. This is purely market engagement; any subsequent procurement will be advertised separately and all organisations wanting to participate will need to respond to the procurement advertisement as and when it is published.

The responses received during the market engagement exercise will not be considered in any future evaluation process as part a formal procurement process.

All responses will remain confidential; however, an anonymous summary of responses may be published for information.

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

18 November 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