

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/032937-2024>

Contract

## **PSR (C&C) Heart Valves via Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service**

University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-032937

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04abac

Published 14 October 2024, 11:16am

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

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

University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust

Leicester Royal Infirmary

Leicester

LE1 6WW

#### **Contact**

Ali Babu

#### **Email**

[ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk](mailto:ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

**National registration number**

RWE

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**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**

PSR (C&C) Heart Valves via Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85110000 - Hospital and related services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

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

Provider Selection Regime Direct Award C contract for Heart Valves.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £1

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

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

This is a provider selection regime contract award through direct award route c for Heart Valves.

The service will provide Tissue and Cellular Products that comply with current regulations and UK Guidelines and provide products in a timely manner. They are licensed by the Human Tissue Authority (HTA) to procure, process, test, store and distribute Tissues and Cells for human application. The service will require as much notice as possible and in the case of non-urgent requests will require a minimum of three days notice. The service will provide tissues and cells that are labelled with unique barcodes for traceability from the donor to the recipient and vice versa, and records will be kept for a minimum of 30 years after clinical use.

The service is priced on cost by case with no usage over the past 12 months. £1.00 has been placed as a placeholder value for FTS.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

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

Provider Selection Regime (PSR) - Intention to Award

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 24/10/2024. The contract has not yet been formally awarded, this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Award decision makers involved in this process include-

Ali Babu - Procurement Graduate Trainee

Dan Bromley - Category Manager

Jade Mall - Assistant Contract Manager

Nicola Coleman - Leicester Bone & Tissue Bank General Manager

Shaiba Kalsi - Service Manager

Dan Barley - Group Head of Financial Management

There were no declared con

Representations should be sent to - [ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk](mailto:ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk).

---

## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Direct Award Route C - This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations made by providers must be made to the relevant authority by 24/04/2024. This contract has not yet formally been awarded, this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

---

## Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 October 2024

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Scottish National Blood Transfusion Services

Jack Copland Centre, 52 Research Ave N, Edinburgh, Currie

Edinburgh

EH14 4BE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

---

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Provider Selection Regime (PSR) - Intention to Award

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 24/10/2024. The contract has not yet been formally awarded, this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Award decision makers involved in this process include-

Ali Babu - Procurement Graduate Trainee

Dan Bromley - Category Manager

Jade Mall - Assistant Contract Manager

Nicola Coleman - Leicester Bone & Tissue Bank General Manager

Shaiba Kalsi - Service Manager

Dan Barley - Group Head of Financial Management

There were no declared conflicts of interest

The service is priced on cost by case with no usage over the past 12 months.

Any representations should be sent to - [ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk](mailto:ali.babu@uhl-tr.nhs.uk).

## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust

Leicester Royal Infirmary

Leicester

LE1 6WW

Email

[sarah.holliehead@uhl-tr.nhs.uk](mailto:sarah.holliehead@uhl-tr.nhs.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

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