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Planning

PME - Hand Hygiene and Associated Products and Services

SUPPLY CHAIN COORDINATION LIMITED

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Scope

Reference

Project_1571

Description

NHS Supply Chain intends to launch a National Framework Agreement for the provision of Hand Hygiene and Associated Products and Services. The Framework is likely to include but is not limited to:

- Alcohol Based Hand Rub (ABHR)
- 0% or low alcohol-based Sanitiser
- Hand Wash
- Moisturiser's

- Premium emollients
- Antiseptic hand wipes
- Hand Hygiene Technology & training supplies
- Dispensers & accessories such as belt clips, brackets & drip trays
- Universal offer

The Universal offering will include the provision of a universal dispenser along with appropriately sized refills that are compatible with the dispenser.

The above-listed products will be supplied in the following formats: dispenser refills, free-standing units, and personal-use items.

The Framework Agreement will be between NHS Supply Chain and the supplier.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £73,000,000 excluding VAT
- £87,600,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 12 June 2027 to 11 June 2031
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 33631600 - Antiseptics and disinfectants
- 33711500 - Skin-care products
- 33700000 - Personal care products
- 33741300 - Hand sanitizer
- 33741000 - Hand care products
- 33741100 - Hand cleaner
- 33741200 - Hand or body lotions
- 39831700 - Automatic soap dispensers
- 42968000 - Dispensers
- 33711900 - Soap
- 33631200 - Emollients and protectives
- 33740000 - Hand and nails care products
- 33711430 - Disposable personal wipes

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

27 February 2026

Engagement process description

Prior to commencing a formal procurement process and to help build our strategy/requirements We are seeking to engage with interested suppliers who can supply the Goods detailed in the procurement description.

Interested suppliers can express interest in the opportunity using the following link:

PORTAL ACCESS

-Login with URL <https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//>

-Click on "SQs Open to All Suppliers" and search for the title of the procurement: SQ_599
- Hand Hygiene PME

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

- Click on the 'Response Form' tab.

-Answer the question in the Qualification Envelope at 1.1.1

-Click 'submit response.

On receipt of an expression of interest, the Authority will issue the Supplier with a request for

information (RFI) via a questionnaire format. IMPORTANT NOTE: The RFI document and any further communication in regards of this PME activity only, will be issued via email from email

address "Surgical.PPE@supplychain.nhs.uk". Please ensure you monitor your emails for correspondence from this email address.

The RFI questionnaire is designed to gather information from interested suppliers regarding their offerings and capabilities in Hand Hygiene. This will support the Authority in shaping its procurement approach.

The RFI request is about the interested supplier(s): (1) Product & Market information, (2) Patient Safety, (3) Services & Support, (4) Innovation, (5) Resilience, (6) Sustainability.

All responses to the RFI questionnaire must be completed and returned to the following email address (Surgical.PPE@supplychain.nhs.uk) within 28 days of receiving the questionnaire.

*Suppliers can, at any point during the engagement period request additional individual meetings with the Authority to discuss the Hand Hygiene procurement by way of email to Surgical.PPE@supplychain.nhs.uk

All meeting requests must be made and concluded before 16:00 GMT on 30th January 2026.

In Addition to the RFI questionnaire other pre-engagement activities are intended:

*A supplier webinar to be held in August 2025 to all suppliers who have EOI & completed the RFI questionnaire. Invites will be sent out closer to the time via a link. This webinar will be to discuss the: (1) overview of the products in scope for the procurement activity, (2) Sustainability Five asks, carbon reduction plan (CRP), Social Value, Evergreen & MSAT assessments, expectations of the horizon scanning.

*Following on from the supplier webinar, during September 1-2-1 supplier meetings will be arranged to all suppliers who have expressed an interest to discuss more structured, specific details on the Hand Hygiene procurement. The topics will include: (1) Products & specifications, (2) Training & educational offering, (3) Resilience plans, (4) Sustainability 5 asks, (5) AOB relevant to the procurement.

* Ongoing engagement meetings with suppliers will continue to gather Feedback on the Specification and or Product List for completion up until the deadline date of 27th February 2026.

There is no guarantee that a formal procurement process will be launched because of this early market engagement exercise, nor that any contract(s) will be placed. No remuneration or compensation etc will be paid to organisations who take part in this early market engagement exercise. Suppliers should take part in this process only on the basis that they fully understand and accept this position.

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

2 June 2026

Contracting authority

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