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Tender

Contract for the Supply, Installation, commissioning, and qualification of VHP Isolator systems

Northumbria Healthcare Facilities Management Limited

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

<https://procontract.due-north.com>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com>

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

Contract for the Supply, Installation, commissioning, and qualification of VHP Isolator systems

Reference number

DN698053

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33000000 - Medical equipments, pharmaceuticals and personal care products

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

It is proposed to establish a Aseptic Medicines Production Hub (AMPH) to be located at Northumbria Healthcare NHS Manufacturing and Innovation Hub, Seaton Delaval, Northumberland, to produce sterile medicines in a ready to administer presentation including:

- Injectable chemotherapy medicines (Systemic Anti-Cancer Treatment – SACT)
- Non-SACT Ready to Administer injectable medicines e.g. antibiotics (RtA)

The planned aseptic manufacturing facility includes a number of isolator cleanrooms suites, with the minimum requirements to include:

2 x Ready to Administer medicines cleanroom suites – isolator room ‘as built’ to grade B / to house up to 7 Vapourised Hydrogen Peroxide (VHP) gassing isolators in each cleanroom suite.

1 x Injectable chemotherapy medicines cleanroom suite - isolator room ‘as built’ to as grade B / to house up to 7 VHP gassing isolators.

1 x Contingency suite consisting of a cleanroom area isolator room ‘as built’ to as grade B / to house up to 7 VHP gassing isolators.

Microbiology cleanroom suite for sterility testing which will house one isolator.

1 x Administration area: offices, meeting rooms and staff welfare areas.

All cleanroom suites will be controlled via separate AHU and a BMS.

The manufacture of aseptic medicines will be performed within GMP grade A isolators within grade C production cleanrooms with associated grade D support rooms. The equipment will utilise Vaporised Hydrogen Peroxide (VHP) for the bio-decontamination of materials and the isolator surfaces.

This process is for the Supply, Installation, commissioning, and qualification of VHP Isolator systems.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Microbiology cleanroom suite for sterility testing which will house one isolator.

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The manufacture of aseptic medicines will be performed within GMP grade A isolators within grade C production cleanrooms with associated grade D support rooms. The equipment will utilise Vaporised Hydrogen Peroxide (VHP) for the bio-decontamination of materials and the isolator surfaces.

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

End date

30 April 2025

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

7 December 2023

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

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Local time

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

Tender documents are available free of charge by registering on the Proactis e-tendering portal

<https://procontract.due-north.com/> Suppliers that are not already registered will need to register to obtain the documents.

It should be noted that publication of this notice does not provide any commercial guarantee that a contract will be concluded. It does not bind the Trust to accept any offer and reserves the right to accept an offer in either whole or part. The Contracting authority is not responsible for any costs incurred by bidders in relation to participation in this process.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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