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## **Provision of preventative, responsive and emergency pest control services**

2Gether Support Solutions Limited

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0416fa

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

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

2Gether Support Solutions Limited

William Harvey Hospital, Kennington Road, Ashford

Kent

TN24 0LZ

#### **Contact**

Senior Category Manager - Corporate & Facilities (C220462))

#### **Email**

[2gether.corporateprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:2gether.corporateprocurement@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKJ44 - East Kent

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.2gethersupportsolutions.org/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.2gethersupportsolutions.org/>

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to 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 preventative, responsive and emergency pest control services

Reference number

C220462

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

- 90922000 - Pest-control services

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

Services

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

2gether Support Solutions Ltd. (herein referred to as "our" or "us" or "we") was formed in April 2018 as a new, wholly owned subsidiary company of one of the largest NHS Foundation Trusts in the UK, East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (the "Trust"). We provide essential support services to the Trust, from facilities and property management to catering, procurement and portering.

We are seeking to appoint a professional, competent and suitably experienced provider to deliver effective pest control services across our core customer's hospitals sites on a preventative, responsive and emergency basis.

Further information about the requirements, including how the contract will be awarded, is available from the published Bid Pack within the Atamis e-sourcing portal.

If you are a professional, competent and suitably experienced pest control services provider, are capable of delivering the requirements described and interested in helping support us, then you are invited to submit a bid in accordance with the instructions set out in the Additional information section of this notice.

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

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 90922000 - Pest-control services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ44 - East Kent

Main site or place of performance

As identified in the procurement documents

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

We are seeking to appoint a professional, competent and suitably experienced provider to deliver effective pest control services across our core customer's hospitals sites on a preventative, responsive and emergency basis.

The supplier will be expected to follow-up any preventative, responsive or emergency pest management with sound professional advice on how to effectively manage the pest situation should it be (or become) a recurring problem.

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

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

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

up to 24 months, not to exceed 60 months

**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

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **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.2.1) Information about a particular profession**

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession

Reference to the relevant law, regulation or administrative provision

As stated in the procurement documents.

#### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

As stated in the procurement documents,

#### **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

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## **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

15 December 2023

Local time

4:00pm

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

English

**IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 1 April 2024

**IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

4 December 2023

Local time

10:00am

Place

Procurement Offices, William Harvey Hospital, Kennington Road, Willesborough, Ashford, Kent TN24 0LZ

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 60 months

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

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

2gether Support Solutions Ltd. reserves the right not to award this contract opportunity or to award only part (or a different arrangement) of the opportunity described in this notice.

Further information about 2gether Support Solutions Ltd. is available from <https://2gethersupportsolutions.org>

To express interest and participate in the tender, please register and apply via Atamis e-sourcing portal <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>.

Should Tenderers have any queries, or having problems using the portal, they should contact Helpdesk at:

Phone: 0800 9956035

E-mail: [support-health@atamis.co.uk](mailto:support-health@atamis.co.uk)

This contract opportunity may be used by other Contracting Authorities including any of the following:

1a) other public sector bodies located in, or around, Kent and Medway, including Clinical Commissioning Groups or GP Practices and any other provider of primary medical services; or local authorities or NHS Foundation Trusts / NHS Trusts; or social enterprises or subsidiary companies of any of the above; and

1b) any statutory and any other successor organisations to the above and any of the foregoing contracting authorities.

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

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

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters, Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Ethelbert Road

Canterbury

CT1 3NG

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

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

### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

2Gether Support Solutions Limited

William Harvey Hospital, Kennington Road, Ashford

Kent

TN24 0LZ

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.2gethersupportsolutions.org/>

### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

2Gether Support Solutions Limited

William Harvey Hospital, Kennington Road, Ashford

Kent

TN24 0LZ

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.2gethersupportsolutions.org/>