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# **Contract Management of Decontamination Services**

Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Papworth Road Cambridge Biomedical Campus Cambridge

Cambridge

CB2 0AY

#### **Email**

purchasing.papworth@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.royalpapworth.nhs.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.royalpapworth.nhs.uk

## 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

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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

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## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

## I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Contract Management of Decontamination Services

Reference number

RPH2025066

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

79994000 - Contract administration services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Royal Papworth Hospital requires a dedicated and expert decontamination contract management supplier to oversee and manage its decontamination services. These services are essential for patient safety and must meet stringent compliance, governance, and performance requirements.

This role will ensure all decontamination—sterile services, endoscopes, mattresses, ultrasound and TOE probes—is managed according to HTMs, the Health and Social Care Act, and other national and local standards. The provider must support governance arrangements, manage risk, and lead continuous service improvement to prevent healthcare-associated infections.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £422,400

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH1 - East Anglia

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

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To contract manage the below services:

- Surgical instrument sterilisation (CSSD)
- Mattress decontamination
- Endoscope reprocessing
- Ultrasound and TOE probe decontamination
- Management of associated water quality, environmental monitoring, and equipment validation
- Emergency response for contamination incidents
- · Waste decontamination, segregation, and disposal

#### 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: £422,000

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

Start date

1 November 2025

End date

31 October 2028

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 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

13 August 2025

Local time

10:00am

### 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

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

26 June 2025

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom**