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Tender

Contract Management of Decontamination Services

Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-055511

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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

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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