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## **GP Spirometry Services**

University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust

F01: Prior information notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04bd61

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

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

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UKG3 - West Midlands

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

## **I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from 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

## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

GP Spirometry Services

Reference number

PROC.102

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

GP Spirometry Services

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

Value excluding VAT: £100,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 33157000 - Gas-therapy and respiratory devices
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- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG31 - Birmingham

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

The contract is for the provision of GP Spirometry Services. The provider will be responsible for delivering assessment for diagnostics, therapy/ interventions & monitoring of respiratory conditions with the aim to increase activity and reduce wait list numbers and waiting times for patients.

The Authorities intention to to award the contract under the "Most Suitable Provider" Process under the Provider Selection Regime.

The term of the contract shall run from 21st January 2025 to 31st March 2025.  
The anticipated maximum value of the contract is £100,000.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

20 January 2025

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to approach notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the Avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of expressions of interest to be considered for the "most suitable provider". Assessment against the key criteria will occur and period of standstill will apply following an intention to award notice. This contract has not yet formally been awarded, this notice services as an intention to approach under the PSR.

The award decision makers in respect of this process are:  
Randeep Bains- General Manager Respiratory Medicine  
Theresa Cunnington- Chief Respiratory Physiologist  
Jodie Hunt- Service Lead Lung Function & Sleep

Conflicts of Interest Declarations have been received and no conflicts have been identified in respect of this process.

The Authority has proposed the following key criteria for providers to be assessed against:

KC1- Quality and Innovation

KC2- Value

KC3- Integration, Collaboration & Service Sustainability

KC4- Improving Access, Reducing Health Inequalities & Facilitating Choice

KC5- Social Value

The rationale for this is based on the requirement for a quality service provision in line with Trust clinical governance, is affordable in the context of the Trust's financial recovery plan and can provide a flexible multi-site service to enable a seamless continuation of care and reduce inequalities of access for patients.

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Providers wishing to be considered for the "most suitable provider" should express an interest in this process via the Health Family Single eCommercial System Portal (Atamis). Further details of the assessment criteria and specification is available on the opportunity. On conclusion of this intention to approach notice, assessment of the key criteria will take place.