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Tender

DHSC: Global and Public Health: Express Freight Service (FY 25-26)

DHSC, London

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Scope

Description

The Department of Health & Social Care is procuring for an express/emergency capability to help maintain the uninterrupted supply of medical products where there is an urgent need and/or where a supplier's own supply chains may be disrupted.

Total value (estimated)

- £3,384,000 excluding VAT
- £4,060,800 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

12-month extension only.

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

12-month extension only.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 63100000 Cargo handling and storage services
- 64121000 Multi-modal courier services
- 60600000 Water transport services
- 60423000 Air-charter services
- 60420000 Non-scheduled air transport services

- 64100000 Post and courier services
- 60400000 Air transport services
- 60160000 Mail transport by road
- 63521000 Freight transport agency services
- 64120000 Courier services
- 64121200 Parcel delivery services

Submission

Enquiry deadline

25 July 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

12 September 2025, 5:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Bids are to be submitted to the Authority by 5pm on Friday 12th September 2025. https://atamis-1928.my.salesforce-sites.com/ProSpend__CS_ContractPage?SearchType =Projects&uid=a07Sr00000ZwHVuIAN&searchStr=C374283&sortStr=Recently+Published &page=1&filters=&County=

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

21 November 2025

Award criteria

| Name | Description | Туре | Weighting |
|-------------------------------------|---|---------|-----------|
| Express Freight Service criteria | Criteria includes questions relating to quality and social value. Please refer to document '20250714 Award Questionnaire - Attachment 2.' | Quality | 80.00% |
| Express Freight Service | Criteria includes price. Please refer to document '20250714 Commercial Response - Attachment 3.' | | 20.00% |

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

DHSC, London

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Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Organisation type: Public authority - central government