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# Wheelchairs, Specialist Seating and Related Services

NHS Supply Chain

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Country

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#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health

## I.3) Communication

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

https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

# I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Wheelchairs, Specialist Seating and Related Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 33193000 - Invalid carriages, wheelchairs and associated devices

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

#### **Supplies**

#### II.1.4) Short description

"NHS Supply Chain seeks to establish a Framework for the supply of Wheelchairs, Specialist Seating and Related Services. Lot 1 includes powered wheelchairs, manual wheelchairs, specialist seating systems, paediatric buggies, accessories and cushions. Lot 2 includes repairs, maintenance, fully managed services and wheelchair loan services.

It is anticipated that in the first 12 months of the Framework Agreement the value of purchases will be circa £19,250,000 (approximate only). The figures for the total estimated value are based on initial expenditure and include a forecast for growth."

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £77,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Wheelchairs and Specialist Seating Products

Lot No

01

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

- 33193000 Invalid carriages, wheelchairs and associated devices
- 33193100 Invalid carriages and wheelchairs
- 33193120 Wheelchairs
- 33193121 Motorised wheelchairs
- 33193200 Parts and accessories for invalid carriages and wheelchairs

- 33193220 Parts and accessories for wheelchairs
- 33193221 Wheelchair cushions
- 33193223 Wheelchair seats
- 33193225 Wheelchair tyres

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 1 includes the following products / sub-lots:

Sub-Lot 1.1 - Powered Wheelchairs

Sub-Lot 1.2 - Manual Wheelchairs

Sub-Lot 1.3 - Specialist Seating Systems and Wheelbases

Sub-Lot 1.4 - Paediatric Buggies

Sub-Lot 1.5 - Spares and Accessories

#### 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: £50,000,000

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

Start date

9 June 2025

End date

8 June 2029

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: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will have an initial term of 24 months with an option to extend incrementally for up to a total period of 24 months.

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Wheelchair Managed Services

Lot No

02

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

• 50421100 - Repair and maintenance services of wheelchairs

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 2 includes the following services / sub-lots:

Sub-Lot 2.1 - Repairs and Maintenance

Sub-Lot 2.2 - Fully Managed Wheelchair Service

Sub-Lot 2.3 - Wheel Chair Loan Service

#### 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: £27,000,000

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

Start date

9 June 2025

End date

8 June 2029

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

17 January 2025

Local time

3:00pm

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

English

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

Date

15 January 2025

Local time

9:00am

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

Submission of expression of interest and procurement specific information:

This procurement exercise will be conducted on the NHS Supply Chain eTendering portal at <a href="https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//">https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//</a>

Candidates wishing to be considered for this contract must register their expression of interest and provide additional procurement-specific information (if required) through the NHS Supply Chain eTendering portal as follows:

Registration.

- 1. Use URL <a href="https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//">https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//</a> to access the NHS Supply Chain Procurement portal.
- 2. If not yet registered:
- Click on the 'Not Registered Yet' link to access the registration page.
- Complete the registration pages as guided by the mini guide found on the landing page.

Portal access.

If registration has been completed:

- Login with URL <a href="https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//">https://nhssupplychain.app.jaggaer.com//</a>.
- Click on ITTs Open to All Suppliers.
- Select from the following ITTs:

ITT\_1589, ITT\_1585, ITT\_1586 - Wheelchairs, Specialist Seating and Related Services. Please note: you must respond to the ITT Header Number in addition to any lots you intend to respond to.

Click on Express Interest.

— If you intend to respond select Intend to Respond.

Applicants are encouraged to download the supplier handbook located within the eProcurement portal by following the 'Supplier Helpcentre' link within the Useful Links section of the Dashboard.

For any technical help with the portal please contact:

Tel: 0800 069 8630 or email: help\_uk@jaggaer.com

Please refer to Section III.1.1 for additional information.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Supply Chain Operated by Supply Chain Coordination Ltd (SCCL)

London

Country

**United Kingdom**