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Tender

## **CLI-FTS-58614 Insulin Pumps, CGM, Associated Diabetes Consumables and Tech**

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

CLI-FTS-58614

### **Description**

This is a national framework for the provision of Insulin Pumps, Continuous Glucose Monitors (CGM), associated diabetes consumables and tech. The framework will be managed by NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership Procurement Services (hosted by the Velindre NHS Trust) "NWSSP" on behalf of the following Organisations, who shall enter into the Agreement: Aneurin Bevan University Health Board, Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board, Cardiff & Vale University Health Board, Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board, Hywel Dda University Health Board, and Swansea Bay University Health Board. The framework will provide nationally contracted pricing and enable NHS Wales to harness improved pricing should Participating Organisations look to utilise commercial offers levied by framework suppliers. Bidders should note that the requirement for Lot 2 (CGM) is for procured product (not prescribed) i.e. the product can be procured and prescribed but it must be available via the procured route. This

framework will only manage procured CGM. In respect of Lot 5 "Smart Insulin Pens" these must be available via the procured route and include technology. The framework will only manage procured smart insulin pens. NHS Wales will accept bids in respect of technology used in automated insulin delivery systems such as hybrid closed looping as well as stand alone technology (eg. a CGM which does not align with HCL).

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £88,280,976 excluding VAT
- £105,937,171 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Main procurement category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 33000000 - Medical equipments, pharmaceuticals and personal care products

## **Lot constraints**

Description of how multiple lots may be awarded:

There is no limitation on the number of lots a supplier can bid for. Each Lot will be evaluated separately. The criteria applicable to each lot is included in the ITT document.

## **Not the same for all lots**

Contract locations and contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 1. Tubed Insulin Pumps**

### **Description**

Tubed Insulin Pumps and their associated consumables.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £7,200,000 excluding VAT
- £8,640,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 February 2026 to 31 January 2029
- Possible extension to 31 January 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

There is an optional 12 month extension. The procurement lead will engage with clinical stakeholders from participating Organisations to determine if the extension option should be utilised. Approval to extend would be sought in line with established NWSSP governance processes.

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 2. CGM**

### **Description**

Procured CGM

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £7,200,000 excluding VAT
- £8,640,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 February 2026 to 31 January 2029
- Possible extension to 31 January 2030
- 4 years

### Description of possible extension:

There is an optional 12 month extension. The procurement lead will engage with clinical stakeholders from participating Organisations to determine if the extension option should be utilised. Approval to extend would be sought in line with established NWSSP governance processes

### Contract locations

- UKL - Wales

### Same for all lots

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## Lot 3. Patch Pumps

### Description

Tubeless Insulin Pumps

### Lot value (estimated)

- £7,200,000 excluding VAT
- £8,640,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 February 2026 to 31 January 2029
- Possible extension to 31 January 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

There is an optional 12 month extension. The procurement lead will engage with clinical stakeholders from participating Organisations to determine if the extension option should be utilised. Approval to extend would be sought in line with established NWSSP governance processes

## **Contract locations**

- UKL - Wales

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 4. Data Portals**

### **Description**

This Lot relates to stand alone data portals where the data portal provides visibility of data from a range of diabetes tech providers.

Bidders who provide a proprietary data portal i.e. only used with their own diabetes technology will be required to provide details of same within the specific tech lot so should not bid for this lot.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £270,244 excluding VAT
- £324,292 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 February 2026 to 31 January 2029
- Possible extension to 31 January 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

There is an optional 12 month extension. The procurement lead will engage with clinical stakeholders from participating Organisations to determine if the extension option should be utilised. Approval to extend would be sought in line with established NWSSP governance processes

### **Contract locations**

- UKL - Wales

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 5. Smart Insulin Pens**

## **Description**

Pens must incorporate technology and be available via the procured route.

## **Lot value (estimated)**

- £200,000 excluding VAT
- £240,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 February 2026 to 31 January 2029
- Possible extension to 31 January 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

There is an optional 12 month extension. The procurement lead will engage with clinical stakeholders from participating Organisations to determine if the extension option should be utilised. Approval to extend would be sought in line with established NWSSP governance processes

## **Contract locations**

- UKL - Wales

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all



lots.

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## **Framework**

### **Maximum number of suppliers**

50

### **Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

0%

### **Justification for framework term over 4 years**

NA

### **Framework operation description**

The framework will look to provide national pricing for NHS Wales. Bidders will also have the option to offer banded pricing by Health Board. Direct Award is anticipated to be the preferred method of business award for each participating Organisation. Each participating Organisation has the option of being able to buy directly from the Framework for up to the 4-year period based on the information and product pricing provided by each Bidder. Bidders are able to submit value based proposal as part of the tender submission and should their bid be successful, throughout the life of the contract. The value based proposal will not form part of the tender evaluation.

### **Award method when using the framework**

Without competition

## **Contracting authorities that may use the framework**

Establishing party only

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## **Participation**

### **Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation**

#### **Lot 1. Tubed Insulin Pumps**

As detailed in the conditions of participation and the ITT

#### **Lot 2. CGM**

#### **Lot 3. Patch Pumps**

#### **Lot 4. Data Portals**

#### **Lot 5. Smart Insulin Pens**

As stated in the conditions of participation and the ITT

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

#### **Lot 1. Tubed Insulin Pumps**

#### **Lot 5. Smart Insulin Pens**

As detailed in the technical specification included in the ITT

#### **Lot 2. CGM**

#### **Lot 3. Patch Pumps**

## **Lot 4. Data Portals**

As stated in the ITT

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

4 September 2025, 12:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

11 September 2025, 12:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

The tender opportunity will be managed via the eTender Wales Portal

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.shtml>

All associated documentation will be made available via the website. Bidders should note that late bids will not be accepted. Deadlines are clearly stated within the ITT.

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

**Award decision date (estimated)**

9 January 2026

**Recurring procurement**

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 June 2030

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**Award criteria****Lot 1. Tubed Insulin Pumps****Lot 2. CGM****Lot 3. Patch Pumps****Lot 4. Data Portals**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	As per the technical specification detailed in the ITT	Quality	60.00%
Cost	As per the commercial evaluation criteria stated in the ITT	Cost	40.00%

**Lot 5. Smart Insulin Pens**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	Quality criteria as stated in the ITT	Quality	60.00%
Commercial	As detailed in the Commercial Evaluation criteria included in the ITT	Cost	40.00%

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## **Other information**

### **Payment terms**

All information is provided within the ITT document including the e-trading requirements and the NHS Wales No Purchase Order No Pay Policy. The specification includes information relating to Purchase Order and Invoice management.

### **Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

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## **Contracting authority**

**NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)**

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Region: UKL13 - Conwy and Denbighshire

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales