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Tender

Derby Integrated Community Equipment Services (DICES)

NHS Derby & Derbyshire Integrated Care Board

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Scope

Description

NHS Derby and Derbyshire Integrated Care Board (referred to as the Commissioner) are inviting suitably qualified and experienced providers to express their interest in delivering an Integrated Community Equipment Service.

Derby Integrated Community Equipment Service (DICES) provides a range of equipment on loan to people of all ages ordinarily resident in the city of Derby, following assessment and prescription by a recognised prescriber.

The service being commissioned relates to the logistics of supplying, collecting and maintaining the equipment. Clinical input to the service is provided through the pool of recognised prescribers, a clinical commissioning function provided by DDICB, and a multi-agency Equipment Review Group. The provider will work within this framework, ensuring that the agreed clinical governance arrangements, both for individual items of equipment and strategic decisions about the equipment to be provided/policies and procedures for equipment provision, are followed appropriately.

The contract will be for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for up to a further two years.

Please note there is a financial threshold associated with this procurement. Please refer

to procurement documentation for further details can be found within the procurement documentation.

To register your interest and submit a bid, please follow the link below, and search for the project reference as detailed: <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Project Reference: C357208

Project Name: Derby Integrated Community Equipment Service - Procurement

Total value (estimated)

- £12,820,000 excluding VAT
- £15,384,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2029
- Possible extension to 30 April 2031
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract will be for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for up to a further two years.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services
- 75200000 - Provision of services to the community
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services
- 33196200 - Devices for the disabled
- 33190000 - Miscellaneous medical devices and products
- 33100000 - Medical equipments
- 33196100 - Devices for the elderly
- 35820000 - Support equipment

Contract locations

- UKF11 - Derby

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

As described in the procurement documentation.

Technical ability conditions of participation

As described in the procurement documentation.

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
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Submission

Enquiry deadline

1 September 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

11 September 2025, 5:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

25 November 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type
Quality (Technical/Project specific)	Quality
Commercial (Cost / Financial)	Price

Weighting description

Full details of the award criteria can be found within the procurement documents

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

NHS Derby & Derbyshire Integrated Care Board

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXJD-6284-VTGG

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Region: UKF11 - Derby

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

NHS Arden and Greater East Midlands Commissioning Support Unit

Summary of their role in this procurement: NHS Arden and Greater East Midlands CSU (AGCSU) is acting as an agent for and on behalf of Derby and Derbyshire Integrated Care Board and is supporting the procurement process.

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLVR-6647-BVMM

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