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Planning

## **NHS National Generic Pharmaceuticals - Wave 15c**

NHS England

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

C382266

### **Description**

NHS National Framework for Generic Pharmaceuticals - Wave 15c

Offer reference number: CM/PHG/23/5699

Period of framework agreement: Dates detailed below, with an option or options to extend (at the discretion of the Authority) up to maximum of 24 months.

Potential periods of call-offs under the framework agreement:

CM/PHG/23/5699/01 Oral (plus non-parenteral) products

Lot 1 - CESW/LSNE/NWLN 01/06/2026 to 31/05/2027 (12 months)

CM/PHG/23/5699/02 Hospital only products

Lot 1- DLS: 01/06/2026 to 31/05/2028 (24 months)

Lot 2 -DNE: 01/06/2026 to 31/05/2028 (24 months)

CM/PHG/23/5699/03 Hospital only (housekeeping) products

Lot 1- DLN/DNW 01/06/2026 to 31/01/2027 (8 months)

Lot 2- DCE/DSW 01/06/2026 to 30/09/2027 (16 months)

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £557,571,000 excluding VAT
- £669,085,200 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 June 2026 to 31 May 2028
- Possible extension to 31 May 2030
- 4 years

## **Main procurement category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

## **Contract locations**

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKI - London
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

29 August 2025

### **Engagement process description**

NHS England is advising suppliers of an upcoming tender for the NHS National Framework Agreement for the supply of Generic Pharmaceuticals, Wave 15c to

commence on 1st June 2026 for varying dates of up to 24 months with the option to extend for a further 24 months.

This procurement will largely consist of hospital only products in the London South and North East regions, and will also include hospital only products in the remaining regions and oral products (plus non-parenterals) in all regions.

The purpose of this notice is to inform existing and potential new suppliers of this procurement.

Useful information for suppliers can be found here:

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/medicines-2/medicines-value-and-access/medicines-procurement-and-supply-chain/> and the current generics workplan here: <https://www.england.nhs.uk/publication/generics-framework-workplan-by-product-report/> .

Specific information regarding the products included in this procurement will be provided in the ITO, which will be issued shortly.

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## Participation

### Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## Submission

### Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

2 September 2025

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## Contracting authority

### NHS England

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDPT-3135-BWWY

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKI45 - Lambeth

Organisation type: Public authority - central government