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Planning

Pedagogic Scholarship Scheme (GPeds)

NHS England

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Scope

Reference

C384285

Description

This business case was previously approved in 2024/25 but was paused due to moratorium of spend. Budget has been granted for FY 2025/26 and i was advised to raise a new Business case - previous case reference BC-25369. Budget has been granted for FY 2025/26. The National Genomics Education Programme (GEP) team is responsible for providing and delivering genomics education and training for the entire NHS Workforce, both clinical and non-clinical. Mainstreaming genomics involves the routine integration of genomic testing into clinical care, across the healthcare specialities and professions to inform patient diagnosis and management. However many of the healthcare workers who do not currently work within specialist genomics, do not have the fundamental subject knowledge, understanding and confidence that would enable them to integrate genomics

into their service. The GEP is looking to award a contract/s to one or more HEIs to assemble a team with senior pedagogic leadership, research co-ordinators and clerical staff to develop and deliver CPD courses on pedagogic principles, programmes, CPD and research opportunities in collaboration with the GEP. As part of a structured and multi-tiered approach to providing genomic education, the GEP is proposing to establish a Genomics Pedagogy scheme (GPeds). The purpose of the scheme is to promote and facilitate genomics pedagogic professional development and research.

The scheme will be based on a collaboration between GEP, the Genomic Training Academy (GTAC) and an/several Higher Education Institute/s (HEIs). GPeds will be available to genomic educators within the Genomic Medicine Service (GMS) encompassing the seven regional Genomic Medicine Service Alliances (GMSA) and seven Genomic Laboratory Hubs (GLHs).

Total value (estimated)

- £700,000 excluding VAT
- £840,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 28 October 2025 to 22 February 2029
- 3 years, 3 months, 26 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

21 August 2025

Enquiry deadline

8 September 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

19 September 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

To express interest, please register and apply via Atamis e-sourcing portal <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

13 October 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Technical	60%	Quality	60.00%
Commercial	30%	Price	30.00%
Social Value	10%	Quality	10.00%

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

NHS England

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDPT-3135-BWWY

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government