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Tender

EEAST - Private Ambulance Framework (24-T21)

East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-059547

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Whiting Way

Melbourn

SG8 6EN

Email

tenders@eastamb.nhs.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.eastamb.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.eastamb.nhs.uk/>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

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

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

EEAST - Private Ambulance Framework (24-T21)

Reference number

C386643

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85143000 - Ambulance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of Private Ambulance Services for Emergency (A&E/Blue Light) and Non-Emergency Patient Transport (PTS)

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £16,000,000

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

Internal Use Only

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85143000 - Ambulance services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKH - East of England

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Provision of Patient Transport Services

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: £3,000,000

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

Start date

1 December 2025

End date

30 November 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract is valid for 12 months with the option to extend for a further period of up to 12 months

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

ITT Documents - Both Lots

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85143000 - Ambulance services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKH - East of England

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

For the provision of A&E Ambulance Services

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: £13,000,000

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

Start date

1 December 2025

End date

30 November 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract is valid for 12 months with the option to extend for a further period of up to 12 months

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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

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

3 October 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

3 October 2025

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court and Court of Appeal of England and Wales

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Email

internationalrelationsrjudicialoffice@judiciary.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.judiciary.uk/>

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Any review proceedings should be promptly brought to the attention of the Chief-Executive Officer of East of England Ambulance Services, Ambulance Headquarters, Whiting Way, Melbourn, SG8 6NA and will be dealt with in accordance with the requirements of the Provider Selection Regime. Any review proceedings must be brought within the timescales specified by the applicable law. The Trust will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period from the date information on the award of the contract is communicated to bidders.