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Award

(Maintenance of) Leica equipment

Swansea Bay University Health Board

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Scope

Reference

PS0548/25 (SBU)

Description

This is a renewal of the maintenance contract for Leica diagnostic equipment located at Singleton Hospital, within Swansea Bay University Health Board. This highly specialised equipment, supplied by Leica Microsystems Ltd, is essential to supporting cancer diagnostic pathways by ensuring the accurate analysis of clinical material. The contract provides Gold, Silver, and Bronze levels of maintenance cover, including planned preventative maintenance (PPM), all call-outs and repair costs, as well as access to OEM parts and expert technical support to maintain service continuity. As the original equipment manufacturer, Leica Microsystems Ltd is the sole provider capable of delivering the specialist maintenance and support required to ensure optimal equipment performance, safeguard diagnostic integrity, and minimise the risk of service disruption within this critical department.

Contract 1. Maintenance of Leica Equipment

Supplier

- Leica Microsystems (UK) Limited

Contract value

- £193,523.19 excluding VAT
- £232,227.83 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

30 October 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 November 2025 to 31 October 2028
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services

Contract locations

- UKL18 - Swansea

Other information

Description of risks to contract performance

Without a valid maintenance contract, the Leica diagnostic equipment may fail, risking disruption to critical cancer diagnostic pathways and compromising patient care. Leica Microsystems Ltd is the sole provider capable of delivering specialist maintenance and rapid response to repairs, minimizing equipment downtime. This contract renewal is essential to mitigate risks of equipment failure, ensure uninterrupted diagnostic services, and maintain high standards of patient safety and operational efficiency.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

- Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights
- Single supplier - technical reasons
- Single supplier - unique work of art or performance

This is specialist equipment with only Leica Microsystems Ltd(the manufacturer) approved to maintain/service the equipment.

Supplier

Leica Microsystems (UK) Limited

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBQX-1155-WWNY

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1. Maintenance of Leica Equipment

Contracting authority

Swansea Bay University Health Board

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales

Other organisation

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

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership

Summary of their role in this procurement: Undertaking procurement exercise

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXWV-6492-CGMN

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