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Tender

NHS National Framework for the supply of Tocilizumab Injection

NHS England

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Scope

Description

Project title: NHS National Framework for the supply of Tocilizumab Injection - 01 March 2026

Offer reference number: CM/TNS/25/5723

Period of framework: 1 March 2026 to 31 August 2027 with an option or options to extend (at the Authority's discretion) for a period or periods up to a total of 24 months.

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Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £188,195,000 excluding VAT
- £225,834,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 March 2026 to 31 August 2027
- Possible extension to 31 August 2029
- 3 years, 6 months

Description of possible extension:

Option or options to extend (at the Authority's discretion) for a period or periods up to a total of 24 months.

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)
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Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

Unlimited

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Please refer to the ITO Documents for the Operation Description

Award method when using the framework

With competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Please refer to Document No. 09 in the ITO Documents for the list of Purchasing Points.

Contracting authority location restrictions

- UKC - North East (England)
 - UKD - North West (England)
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 - UKH - East of England
 - UKJ - South East (England)
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Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

29 October 2025, 1:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 November 2025, 1:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge at <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Additional info obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders must be submitted to the abovementioned address

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

27 November 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Price is not the only award criterion	Price is not the only award criterion	Price	100.00%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

[Document No. 01 - Invitation to offer covering letter CM-TNS-25-5723.docx](#)

[Document No. 02 - Terms of offer CM-TNS-25-5723 \(1\).docx](#)

[Document No. 03 - Framework Agreement and Terms and Conditions CM-](#)

[TNS-25-5723.docx](#)

[Document No. 04 - Quality Assurance Process CM-TNS-25-5723.docx](#)

[Document No. 05 - Selectt offer schedule instructions.docx](#)

[Document No. 05a Selectt offer schedule - CM_TNS_25_5723.xml](#)

[Document No. 05b Tender Product Listing & Usage - CM_TNS_25_5723.xlsx](#)

[Document No. 06 - Form of offer CM-TNS-25-5723.docx](#)

[Document No. 07 - Quality control technical sheet CM-TNS-25-5723.doc](#)

[Document No. 08 - Confidential information schedule - CM-TNS-25-5723.xls](#)

[Document No. 09 - Pharmacy Purchasing Points List - CM-TNS-25-5723.xls](#)

[Document No. 10 - C386455 - Requirement Section 1. Procurement Specific Questionnaire \(PSQ\) CM-TNS-25-5723.xlsx](#)

Contracting authority

NHS England

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government