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Provision of Fetal Cell Count Kits (IQP-363) for the Welsh Blood Service

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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Scope

Description

Provision of IQ Products Fetal Cell Count Kit (IQP363) to the Welsh Blood Service for fetomaternal haemorrhage estimation using a flow cytometer. This kit is used as part of the confirmatory FMH estimation service provided for hospital blood banks in line with BSH guidelines. Kit cannot be purchased direct from the manufacturer. The Supplier is the sole distributor of the Fetal Cell Count Kit (IQP363) in the UK. Kit is CE marked and established as appropriate for use during prior validation. Due to the established quality of this kit, there will be no issues with assay response and assay failure will be minimised. WBS FMH service will remain robust and results provided in a timely manner.

Contract 1. Provision of Fetal Cell Count Kits IQP-363

Supplier

- CALTAG MEDSYSTEMS LIMITED

Contract value

- £21,040 excluding VAT
- £25,248 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

20 November 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 December 2025 to 30 November 2029
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits

Contract locations

- UKL - Wales

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales