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Tender

ESNEFT2711 Intellectual Property Advice

East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust

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Scope

Reference

ESNEFT2711

Description

ESNEFT is an acute NHS Foundation Trust that runs both Colchester and Ipswich hospitals, including sites in the Community.

The Trust has a dedicated innovation team who are responsible for supporting staff with the successful implementation of new ideas, which lead to improved health outcomes, increased efficiency and/or financial benefit.

The ESNEFT innovation team offers a range of services to support with the development of innovation from concept through to implementation and works with the following:

- teams and departments
- individuals
- deliver Trust-wide innovation.

The Trust would like to invite quotes for innovation management services, to support healthcare innovators throughout the product development journey, from concept through to implementation. This would include expertise and advice on the management/exploitation of intellectual property.

Total value (estimated)

- £54,000 excluding VAT
- £64,800 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2029
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security
- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

Participation

This procurement is reserved for

- Suppliers from Essex
- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSEs)

Conditions of participation

The ability to supply to ESNEFT

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

4 December 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 December 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Please attach quotations within your response

Tenders may be submitted electronically

No

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Financial Weighting	Evaluation of the proposal against cost vs specification criteria	Cost	100.00%

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Documents

Associated tender documents

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

ESNEFT2711 - IP advice and expertise specification

Contracting authority

East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJQH-1423-GWPM

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government