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Tender

## **Provision of DNA, Drug & Alcohol and Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)**

Hull City Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

LP/25

### **Description**

Hull City Council (The Authority) is seeking tenders from interested organisations to provide DNA, Drug & Alcohol and Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing. The tender is split into 3 lots. It shall be via the open procedure consisting of a one stage process. The contract is anticipated to commence 1st April 2026 ending by 31st March 2029 with an option to extend for a period of 1 x 12 month period. The Authority has estimated the value of the Services to be £108,380 per annum. The estimated value is given in good faith to assist tenderers in making their submissions, it should not be interpreted as an undertaking to purchase any goods, services or works to any particular value by the Authority and does not form part of the Contract. Further information is contained within the tender documentation. Please ensure all tender submission documents are completed as detailed. Incomplete bids will be eliminated from further process.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £325,140 excluding VAT
- £390,168 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 85145000 - Services provided by medical laboratories

### **Not the same for all lots**

Contract locations and contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

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## **Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - DNA Sampling and Testing**

### **Description**

DNA sampling and testing. Maximum of 3 suppliers shall be awarded a ranked place on Lot 1. The call off shall work on direct award via rotation.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £146,250 excluding VAT
- £175,500 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 1 April 2029
- Possible extension to 1 April 2030
- 4 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend 1 x 12 month period at the sole discretion of the Authority. The estimated value for this lot shall therefore be £195,000 including the extension period.

### **Contract locations**

- UKE11 - Kingston upon Hull, City of

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Sampling and Testing**

### **Description**

Drug and Alcohol Sampling and Testing. Maximum of 3 suppliers shall be awarded a

ranked place on Lot 2. The call off shall work on direct award via rotation.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £146,250 excluding VAT
- £175,500 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 1 April 2029
- Possible extension to 1 April 2030
- 4 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend 1 x 12 month period at the sole discretion of the Authority. The estimated value for this lot shall therefore be £195,000 including the extension period.

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot LOT-0003. Lot 3 - Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)**

### **Description**

Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT). Maximum of 3 suppliers shall be awarded a ranked place on Lot 3. The call off shall work on direct award via rotation.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £32,640 excluding VAT
- £39,168 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 1 April 2029
- Possible extension to 1 April 2030
- 4 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend 1 x 12 month period at the sole discretion of the Authority. The estimated value for this lot shall therefore be £43,520 including the extension period.

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Participation**

### **Conditions of participation**

**Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - DNA Sampling and Testing**

**Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Sampling and Testing**

As stated within the ITT documentation via <https://yortender.eu-supply.com/>

**Lot LOT-0003. Lot 3 - Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)**

As stated within ITT documentation via <https://yortender.eu-supply.com/>

**Particular suitability**

**Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - DNA Sampling and Testing**

**Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Sampling and Testing**

**Lot LOT-0003. Lot 3 - Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)**

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

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**Submission**

**Enquiry deadline**

12 December 2025, 12:00am

**Tender submission deadline**

19 December 2025, 12:00pm

**Submission address and any special instructions**

[https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=99946&TID105206&B=](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=99946&TID105206&B=)

## Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

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## Award criteria

### Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - DNA Sampling and Testing

Name	Type	Weighting
Price Schedule	Price	40%
Relevant Experience	Quality	15%
Delivery Methodology	Quality	15%
Best Practice Training and Safeguarding	Quality	15%
Lot 1 Specific	Quality	10%
Social Value	Quality	5%

### Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Drug and Alcohol Sampling and Testing

Name	Type	Weighting
Price Schedule	Price	40%
Relevant Experience	Quality	15%
Delivery Methodology	Quality	15%
Best Practice Training and Safeguarding	Quality	15%
Lot 2 Specific	Quality	10%
Social Value	Quality	5%

### Lot LOT-0003. Lot 3 - Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT)

Name	Type	Weighting
Price Schedule	Price	40%
Relevant Experience	Quality	15%
Delivery Methodology	Quality	15%
Best Practice Training and Safeguarding	Quality	15%
Lot 3 Specific	Quality	10%
Social Value	Quality	5%

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

### Special regime

Light touch

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## Contracting authority

### Hull City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRNP-1874-YZZR

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Region: UKE11 - Kingston upon Hull, City of

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government