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## **Supply, Delivery, Installation, Commissioning and Post-Warranty Maintenance of an Automated System for the Embedding of Tissue Samples in Paraffin Wax including Tracking, Transport and Storage and Retrieval of Wax Tissue Blocks**

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

ADD/PU/EW/25/33

### **Description**

Framework Call-Off for Supply, Delivery, Installation, Commissioning and Post-Warranty Maintenance of an Automated System for the Embedding of Tissue Samples in Paraffin Wax including Tracking, Transport and Storage and Retrieval of Wax Tissue Blocks

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

- £2,000,000 excluding VAT
- £2,400,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2033
- Possible extension to 31 March 2036
- 10 years

Description of possible extension:

An option to extend for a period of further 3 years at the Authority's discretion

### **Main procurement category**

Goods

### **CPV classifications**

- 48921000 - Automation system

### **Contract locations**

- UK - United Kingdom

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## **Participation**

## **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

29 December 2025, 1:00pm

### **Submission type**

Tenders

### **Tender submission deadline**

2 January 2026, 1:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

Jaggaer One

<https://eoecph.ukp.app.jaggaer.com>

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

### **Award decision date (estimated)**

28 February 2026

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### **Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Technical Requirements	Quality	75%
Whole Life Costs	Cost	25%

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### **Other information**

#### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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### **Procedure**

#### **Procedure type**

Competitive flexible procedure

#### **Competitive flexible procedure description**

Call-off from HealthTrust Europe Framework for Anatomical Pathology Automation

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## Contracting authority

### **CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST**

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government