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Blood Group Genotyping for Sickle Cell and Thalassaemia

NHS England

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Scope

Reference

C369873

Description

Embedding blood group genotyping into routine practice. The primary objective (benefit) of doing so is to ensure patients with rare blood disorders have a minimise risk of adverse reactions through access to blood group genotyping

Contract 1. Blood Group Genotyping for Sickle Cell and

Thalassaemia

Supplier

- NHSBT

Contract value

- £140,671 excluding VAT
- £168,805.20 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

5 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 8 December 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 3 months, 24 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85100000 - Health services

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - technical reasons

Due to an absence of competition for technical reasons. Para 6, Schedule 5 of PA 2023 utilised.

NHSBT have been verified as the only organisation in England that could deliver this service for the planned typing of patients with Sickle Cell Disease blood patients, thalassemia and rare inherited anaemia

Supplier

NHSBT

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1. Blood Group Genotyping for Sickle Cell and Thalassaemia

Contracting authority

NHS England

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government