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Contract

Clarivate Analytics: (WOS 2026) Web of Science platform

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through UK Health Security Agency

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Scope

Reference

C390277

Description

UKHSA has awarded a direct award contract for the provision of access to the Web of Science Platform from Clarivate Analytics via Jisc Services Limited. The contract supports research and citation indexing services essential for UKHSA's scientific and academic work. The agreement runs approximately three years, starting on 25 November 2025 and ending on 30 September 2028, under a direct award procedure above threshold.

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Supplier

• Jisc Services Limited

Contract value

- £120,810 excluding VAT
- £144,972 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

25 November 2025

Contract dates

- 26 November 2025 to 30 September 2028
- 2 years, 10 months, 5 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

•	79980000	- Subscri	ption	services
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Contract locations

• UK - United Kingdom

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights

Direct award is made under Schedule 5, Paragraph 5 of the Procurement Act 2023, as only Clarivate can provide access to the Web of Science platform due to exclusive intellectual property rights. UK access is available solely via Jisc under a sector-wide agreement confirmed by Clarivate. No reasonable alternative exists, and the platform is essential to meet UKHSA's statutory research and evidence-based analysis requirements.

Supplier

Jisc Services Limited

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Bristol

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Region: UKK11 - Bristol, City of

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown

through UK Health Security Agency

• Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBMQ-7576-DVGW

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKI42 - Tower Hamlets

Organisation type: Public authority - central government