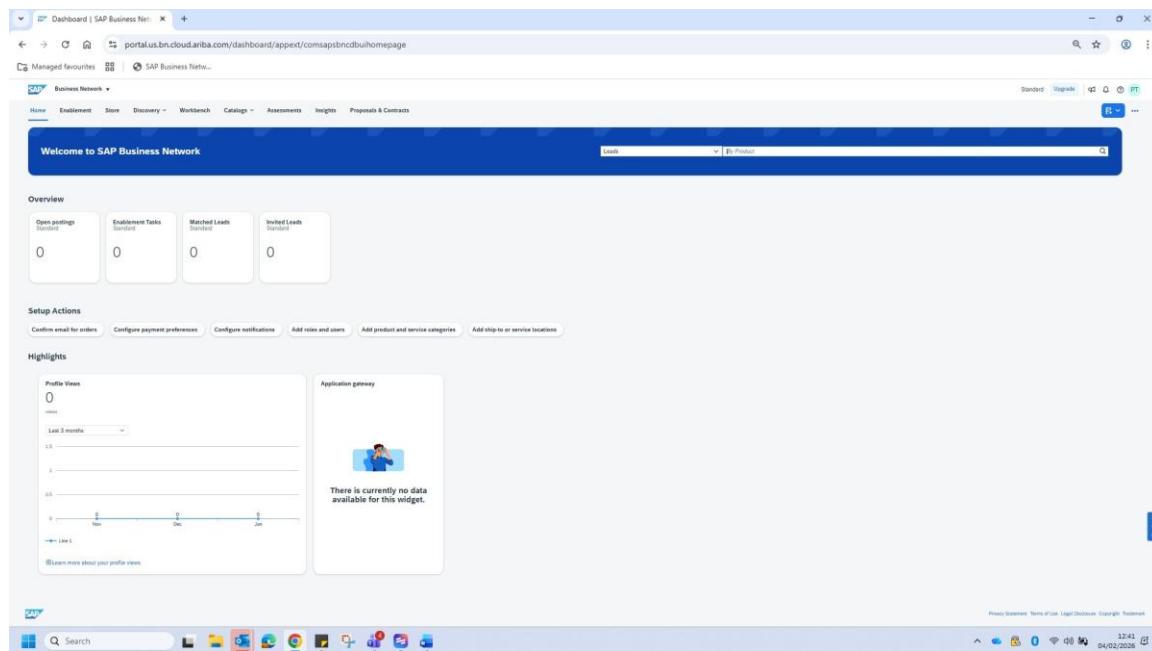
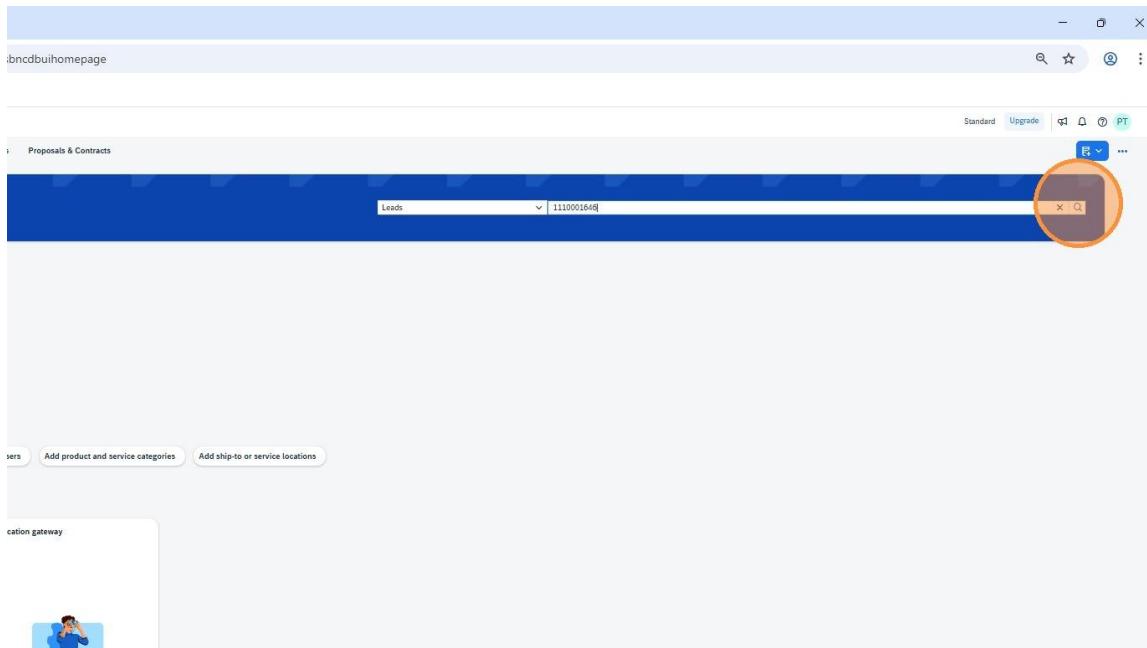


How to access an NHS SBS event directly from your SAP Business Network

If you have not been taken directly to the event, and instead are taken to your homepage
Please follow the following steps to gain access to the event via your SAP Business Network Account:



1. From your Homepage, shown above, please click in the search and enter the Posting ID then click the search icon



Note: the posting ID can be found within the initial discovery URL which is included in the Engagement Section of the notice published on Find-A-Tender

See the example below – The posting ID in this case is 1110001646

Engagement

Engagement deadline

6 February 2026

Engagement process description

NHS Shared Business Services act in an Agency capacity for and on behalf of its customers (Approved Organisations) - existing and new. These comprise of NHS and Social Care organisations (whether acting individually, or on behalf of, or together as members of any consortia) along with any other public or private sector bodies which NHS SBS authorises to use the resulting Framework.

Our Approved Organisation list can be found on:

<https://www.sbs.nhs.uk/services/framework-agreements-categories/>

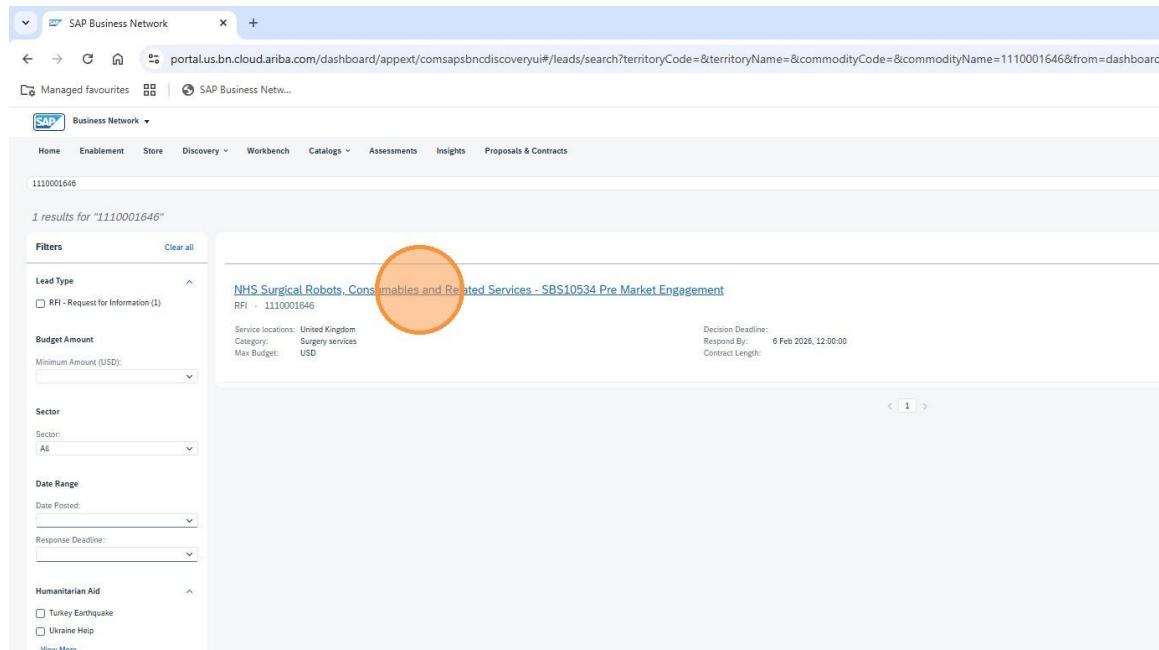
Potential Bidders wishing to be considered for this agreement should express their interest by reading the Preliminary Market Engagement (PME) introduction document and completing and submitting the Preliminary Market Engagement Questionnaire on SAP Ariba before 1200 hours on Friday 6th February 2026, further information regarding the proposed framework can be found within these documents.

The aim of this PME questionnaire is to notify and consult the market of our plans and to gauge interest in this opportunity from potential suppliers. We will be exploring the option of an Open Framework at this stage and this will be confirmed in the UK 4 Tender Notice for this procurement.

NHS SBS also intends to hold market engagement sessions with industry experts and suppliers interested in potentially bidding for the resulting Framework Agreement. This will take place from January 2026 to April 2026.

<https://portaLus.bn.cloud.ariba.com/dashboard/public/appext/comsapsbncdiscoveryui#/RfxEvent/preview/1110001646?anid=ANONYMOUS>

- Once entered and searched you will see the relevant event posting, click the link (a previous NHS SBS event is shown in this guide for illustrative purposes only)



1 results for "1110001646"

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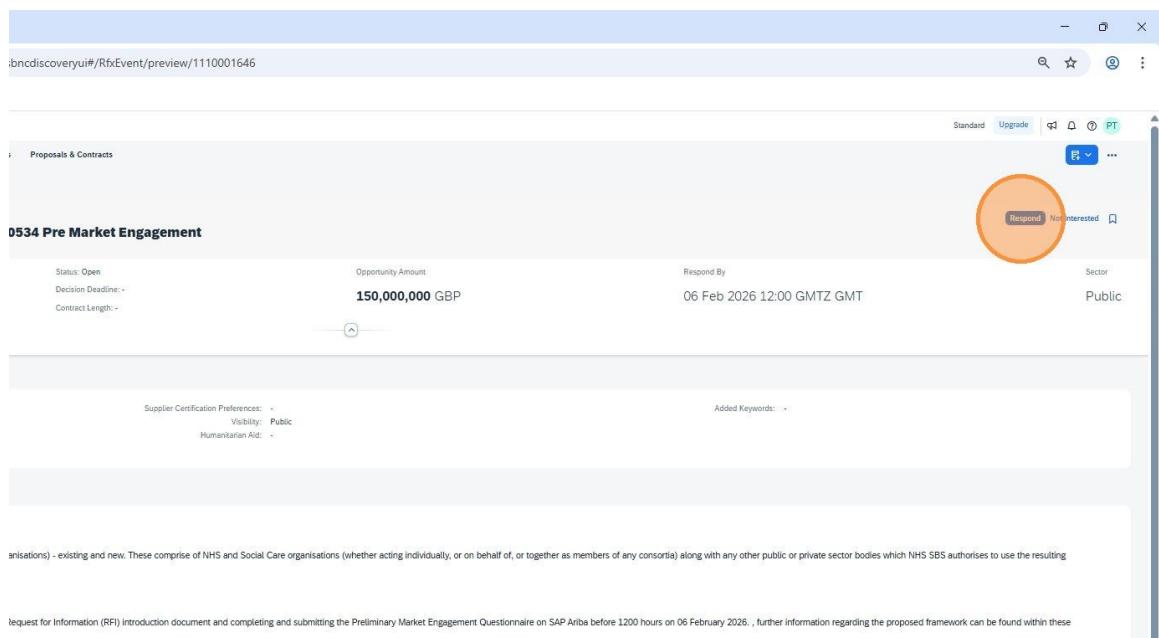
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NHS Surgical Robots, Consumables and Related Services - SBS10534 Pre Market Engagement
RFI - 1110001646

Service locations: United Kingdom
Category: Surgery services
Max Budget: USD

Decision Deadline: 6 Feb 2026, 12:00:00
Respond By: 6 Feb 2026, 12:00:00
Contract Length:

- Once the event posting opens, click the respond icon



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Proposals & Contracts

0534 Pre Market Engagement

Status: Open **Opportunity Amount**: **150,000,000 GBP** Respond By: 06 Feb 2026 12:00 GMTZ GMT
Decision Deadline: - Contract Length: - Sector: Public

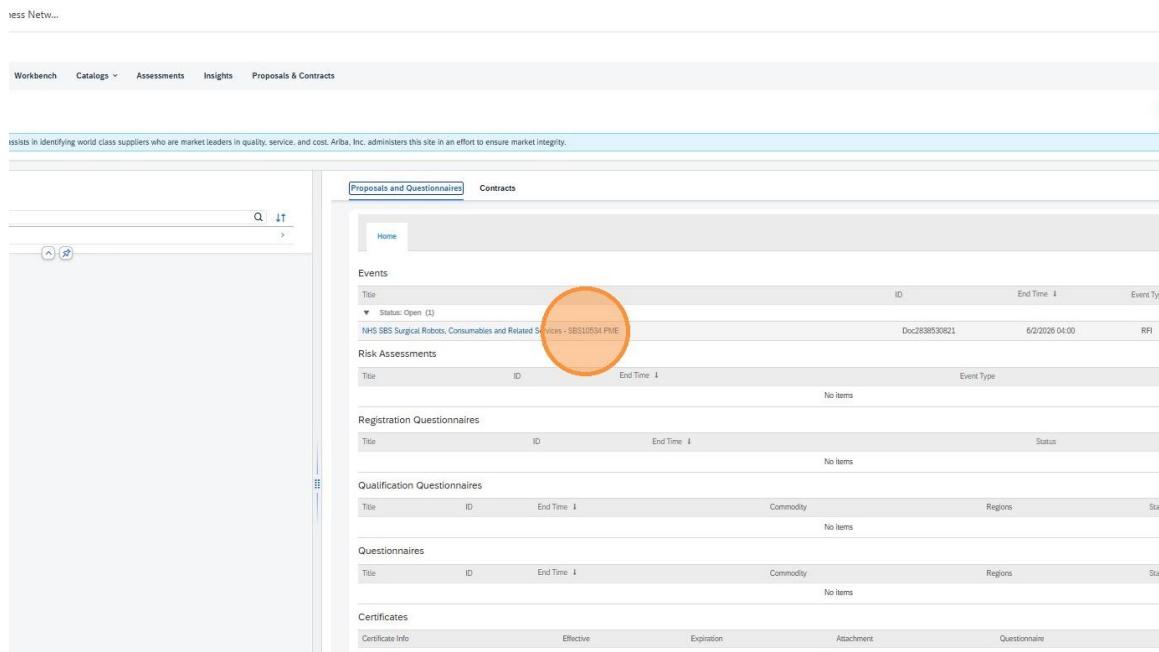
Supplier Certification Preferences: Public **Added Keywords:**
Visibility: Public
Humanitarian Aid:

Instructions: (1) Read the Request for Information (RFI) introduction document and completing and submitting the Preliminary Market Engagement Questionnaire on SAP Ariba before 1200 hours on 06 February 2026. (2) Further information regarding the proposed framework can be found within these instructions from potential bidders. We will be evaluating the notion of an Open Framework at this stage and this will be confirmed in the UK & Tender Notice for this procurement.

4. You will be directed to the event

5. The event is now located in the Proposals & Contracts Section on your homepage

6. The event should be now be visible in Events section



The screenshot shows the Ariba software interface with the 'Proposals and Questionnaires' tab selected. The main content area is titled 'Events' and displays a table with one row. The row is highlighted with an orange circle. The table columns are 'Title', 'ID', 'End Time', and 'Event Type'. The data in the row is: 'NHS SBS Surgical Robots, Consumables and Related Services - SBS1054 PME', 'Dec283830821', '6/2/2026 04:00', and 'RFI'. Below the Events section, there are sections for 'Risk Assessments', 'Registration Questionnaires', 'Qualification Questionnaires', 'Questionnaires', and 'Certificates', each showing a 'No Items' message.

Title	ID	End Time	Event Type
NHS SBS Surgical Robots, Consumables and Related Services - SBS1054 PME	Dec283830821	6/2/2026 04:00	RFI