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CONTRACT NOTICE

Services

SECTION I: CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

I.1) NAME, ADDRESSES AND CONTACT POINT(S)

County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust
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Internet address(es)

General address of the contracting authority <http://www.cddft.nhs.uk>

Further information can be obtained at: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained at: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

I.2) TYPE OF THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY AND MAIN ACTIVITY OR ACTIVITIES

Body governed by public law
Health

SECTION II: OBJECT OF THE CONTRACT

II.1) DESCRIPTION

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority

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II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance

Services

Service category: No 7

Main place of performance County Durham & Darlington NHS Foundation Trust.

NUTS code UKC1

II.1.3) The notice involves

A public contract

II.1.4) Information on framework agreement

II.1.5) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (CDDFT) is currently seeking to implement an integrated Care Record System (CRS) capable of interfacing with the contracting authorities ICT products and systems, in a series of phases. We envisage that the first phase will include order communications, results reporting,

documentation to support discharge incorporating take out medications. We envisage that the second phase will incorporate electronic drug management including e-prescribing and drug administration for patient care. The trust reserves the right to extend or reduce the scope of the phases following dialogue discussions with shortlisted suppliers.

II.1.6) **Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)**

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II.1.7) **Contract covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

Yes

II.1.8) **Division into lots**

Yes

tenders should be submitted for one or more lots

II.1.9) **Variants will be accepted**

Yes

II.2) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE OF THE CONTRACT**

II.2.1) **Total quantity or scope**

The contract is for an initial term of 84 months with the option to extend for up to a further 36 month period.

II.2.2) **Options**

II.3) **DURATION OF THE CONTRACT OR TIME-LIMIT FOR COMPLETION**

Duration in months: 120 (from the award of the contract)

INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS

LOT NO: 1

TITLE Phase One CRS

1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**

2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**

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3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**

4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**

5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

Division into lots will be at the contracting authority's absolute discretion.

LOT NO: 2

TITLE e-Prescribing

1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**

2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**

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3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**

4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**

5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

Division into lots will be at the contracting authority's absolute discretion.

SECTION III: LEGAL, ECONOMIC, FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

III.1) **CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE CONTRACT**

III.1.1) **Deposits and guarantees required**

The contracting authority reserves the right to require deposits, guarantees, bonds, insurance cover and/or other forms of security cover it deems appropriate.

III.1.2) **Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions regulating them**

Further details will be provided to those who express interest in this opportunity and/or are invited to tender.

III.1.3) **Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**

Groupings of bidders may be required to form a separate limited company and/or that one takes full responsibility and/or that each takes joint and several liability.

III.1.4) **Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject**

No

III.2) **CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION**

III.2.1) **Personal situation of economic operators, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met: Please see pre-qualification questionnaire and for those shortlisted, the invitation to tender.

III.2.2) **Economic and financial capacity**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met: Please see pre-qualification questionnaire and for those shortlisted, the invitation to tender.

III.2.3) **Technical capacity**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:
Please see pre-qualification questionnaire and for those shortlisted, the invitation to tender.

III.2.4) **Reserved contracts**

No

III.3) **CONDITIONS SPECIFIC TO SERVICES CONTRACTS**

III.3.1) **Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession**

No

III.3.2) **Legal entities should indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff responsible for the execution of the service**

Yes

SECTION IV: PROCEDURE

IV.1) **TYPE OF PROCEDURE**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Competitive dialogue

IV.1.2) **Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate**

Envisaged minimum number 3 maximum number 7

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: As outlined in the pre-qualification questionnaire.

IV.1.3) **Reduction of the number of operators during the negotiation or dialogue**

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated Yes

IV.2) **AWARD CRITERIA**

IV.2.1) **Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of the criteria stated in the specifications, in the invitation to tender or to negotiate or in the descriptive document

IV.2.2) **An electronic auction will be used**

No

IV.3) **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

IV.3.1) **File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

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IV.3.2) **Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract**

No

IV.3.3) **Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents**

IV.3.4) **Time-limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

29.7.2010 - 17:00

IV.3.5) **Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

IV.3.6) **Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up**

English.

IV.3.7) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

IV.3.8) **Conditions for opening tenders**

SECTION VI: COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

VI.1) **THIS IS A RECURRENT PROCUREMENT**

No

VI.2) **CONTRACT RELATED TO A PROJECT AND/OR PROGRAMME FINANCED BY EU FUNDS**

No

VI.3) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Tenders and all supporting documents must be priced in sterling and all payments made in relation to the project will be made in sterling.

Any resulting contract will be considered as a contract made in England according to English Law and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts. All discussions will be in English.

The contracting authority does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to cancel this award procedure at any time.

The contract award criteria will be provided in the invitation to tender.

The contracting authority shall not be liable for any costs incurred by those expressing interest in, negotiation or tendering for this opportunity.

The successful tenderer will be required to give an undertaking that it will comply with all UK and EC legislation, standard and applicable guidance.

All dates detailed in this Contract Notice are approximate and are subject to change. Division into lots and variations are at the contracting authority's absolute discretion and whether these options will be pursued will be detailed by the contracting authority in due course.

TUPE may apply, further information will be provided to those invited to tender.

VI.4) **PROCEDURES FOR APPEAL**

VI.4.1) **Body responsible for appeal procedures**

VI.4.2) **Lodging of appeals**

VI.4.3) **Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained**

VI.5) **DATE OF DISPATCH OF THIS NOTICE:**

16.6.2010