

Belgium-Brussels: UCA 22/004 – Blood and urine sample collection and analyses + COVID-19 PCR tests

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Council of the European Union, General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union

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Town: Bruxelles

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Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/general-secretariat/public-procurement/>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=10142>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=10142>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

UCA 22/004 – Blood and urine sample collection and analyses + COVID-19 PCR tests

Reference number: UCA 22/004

II.1.2.

Main CPV code

85145000 Services provided by medical laboratories

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

See II.2.4).

II.1.5. Estimated total value**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2. Description**II.2.1. Title**

Sample collection and medical analyses (blood and urine) as part of employment related annual preventive medical visits.

Lot No: 1

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

85145000 Services provided by medical laboratories

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The object of the contract is the conclusion of a framework contract for the provision of services for a period of one year, with three possible extensions of one year each.

As part of the medical monitoring of GSC staff, medical services regularly requests sample collection and medical analyses (blood and urine).

In practice, the GSC staff member arrives within the scheduled time slot and hands over a medical prescription issued by a GSC medical officer. This document will later be used by the laboratory for periodic invoicing of sample collections and analyses carried out.

Any sample collection and analyse that is not included in the Standardised Programme (see the exhaustive list of analyses in point VI.1.a) of the specifications, p. 4-5) or not expressly requested by the GSC medical officers as an optional analyse (point VI.1.b), p. 5-7), must be invoiced directly to the patient by the laboratory.

All samples and analyses expressly requested by the GSC medical officers with the remarks 'please send the invoice to the person's private address', or prescribed by a non-GSC doctor, must be invoiced directly to the patient by the laboratory.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Criteria below

Price

II.2.6. Estimated value**II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10.

Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

The General Secretariat of the Council does not publish the estimated value of its contracts.
The estimated volume of the contract is indicated in the tender specifications.

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Sample collection and medical analyses (blood and urine) as part of pre-employment medical visits

Lot No: 2

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

85145000 Services provided by medical laboratories

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The object of the contract is the conclusion of a framework contract for the provision of services for a period of one year, with three possible extensions of one year each.

The services to be provided are for sample collection and medical analyses (blood and urine) as part of the obligatory medical monitoring of future officials and servants of the GSC within the European Union.

Other routine medical analyses (blood and urine) that are not listed in the specifications, which could be requested by the medical service, may be the subject of an addendum to the contract upon request for a quote by the GSC, and a price proposal sent by the laboratory.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13.

Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

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The estimated volume of the contract is indicated in the tender specifications.

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Molecular detection tests (PCR) in the context of COVID-19
Lot No: 3

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

85145000 Services provided by medical laboratories

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The object of the contract is the conclusion of a framework contract for the provision of services for a period of one year, with three possible extensions of one year each. COVID-19 PCR molecular samples, in compliance with the protocols established by the Belgian national authorities (to be consulted on www.info-coronavirus.be and www.sciensano.be), or relevant foreign authorities.

In the context of the COVID-19 epidemiological situation, the medical service regularly requests sample collection and analyses using molecular detection tests (PCR) from GSC staff members and of the European Council, and from the staff of external firms and any visitors to Council buildings called upon to take part in official meetings/missions, or whenever the GSC medical service decides to do so.

The service provider must have the capacity to carry out up to 500 tests per day.

The supply of required equipment as well as transportation facilities are at the service provider's expense.

The costs related to the provision of nurse(s) are at the service provider's expense.

The travel costs of the person designated to carry out PCR tests are at the service provider's expense.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

The General Secretariat of the Council does not publish the estimated value of its contracts.
The estimated volume of the contract is indicated in the tender specifications.

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession Reference to the relevant law, regulation or administrative provision:

- the samples are to be collected by a person who is legally authorised by the Belgian Ministry of Health, and accredited to collect blood samples in Belgium;
- COVID-19 PCR molecular samples, in compliance with the protocols established by the Belgian national authorities (to be consulted on www.info-coronavirus.be and www.sciensano.be), or relevant foreign authorities.

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

For operational reasons related to vehicular languages used in Institutions, contacts between the laboratory and the GSC staff must be made in French or in English.

The contracting party will draw up a monthly invoice corresponding to the amount of services provided, enclosing medical prescriptions established by the GSC medical service. The services will be paid by the GSC within 30 days of receipt of invoice. Prices must be expressed in euros excluding VAT, rounded to two decimal places.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement
Framework agreement with a single operator

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.2.

Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 16/03/2022 Local time: 11:00

IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 17/03/2022 Local time: 10:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

In case of unavailability or improper functioning of the electronic means of communication referred to in Section I.3) in the last five calendar days before the time limit for receipt indicated in Section IV.2.2), the contracting authority reserves the right to postpone this time limit and issue a new time limit at the Internet address provided in Section I.3), without having to issue a preceding corrigendum to this notice. Economic operators interested in this procurement are invited to subscribe to the call for tenders at the address in Section I.3) in order to get notified when new information or documents are published.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

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VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Within two months of notice being given to the plaintiff or, should no notice be given, within two months of the date on which the matter in question became known. Lodging a complaint with the European Ombudsman neither suspends this deadline nor creates a new deadline for appeals.

VI.4.4.

Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Council of the European Union, Secrétariat général du Conseil de l'Union européenne

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

04/02/2022