

**United Kingdom-Manchester: Health and social work services**  
**OJ S 67/2016 06/04/2016**  
**Contract notice**  
**Services**

**Directive 2004/18/EC**

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS England Lancashire and Greater Manchester  
Postal address: 4th Floor, 3 Piccadilly Place  
Town: Manchester  
Postal code: M1 3BN  
Country: United Kingdom  
Contact person: Procurement, Healthcare Procurement and Market Management  
E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)  
Telephone: +44 138255200

**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.england.nhs.uk>  
Address of the buyer profile: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/necs/asp/Home>  
Electronic access to information: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/necs/asp/Home>  
Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/necs/asp/Home>

**Additional information can be obtained from:**

Official name: North of England Commissioning Support Unit  
Postal address: Teesdale House, Thornaby  
Town: Stockton-on-Tees  
Postal code: TS17 6BL  
Country: United Kingdom  
Contact person: Procurement Department, Healthcare Procurement and Market Management  
E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)  
Telephone: +44 1642746916  
Internet address: <http://www.necsu.nhs.uk>

**Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:**

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**Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted:** Official name: North of England Commissioning Support Unit  
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## **I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.3. Main activity**

Health

## **I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: NHS Oldham Clinical Commissioning Group

## **Section II: Object of the contract**

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### **II.1. Description**

#### **II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

GP Practice Services (APMS).

#### **II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 25: Health and social services

Main site or place of performance: Lancashire and Greater Manchester and Oldham Areas.

NUTS code UKD3 Greater Manchester

#### **II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The notice involves a public contract

#### **II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

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

North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) is a commissioning support service hosted by NHS England and is managing this process for and on behalf of NHS England Lancashire and Greater Manchester and NHS Oldham Clinical Commissioning Group.

The basic principles that mirror that of the Open Procurement route will be followed for this procurement to test the capacity, capability and technical competence of tenderers in accordance with The Public Contracts Regulations 2006 (as amended). Regulation 120 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provides for a temporary exemption and saving for certain NHS procurements. Regulation 120 provides that nothing in the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 affects any contract award procedure that relates to the procurement of health care services for the purposes of the NHS within the meaning and scope of the National Health Service (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) (No 2) Regulations 2013(b), that is commenced before 18.4.2016 and any subsequent contract awarded as a result of such a procedure. The current Part B regime of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006 (as amended) and NHS (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) (No 2) Regulations 2013(b) will continue to apply to the commissioning of these services until 18.4.2016.

NHS England Lancashire and Greater Manchester are accountable for the provision of local General Practitioner (GP) services in the Lancashire and Greater Manchester area. Under the

co-commissioning arrangements in place from April 2015, Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) have delegated responsibility and together with NHS England Lancashire and Greater Manchester are currently reviewing a number of practices in the Greater Manchester Area. NHS England Lancashire and Greater Manchester in conjunction with NHS Oldham CCG are proposing to commission 4 Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) under Lots, which are currently delivered from:

Hill Top Medical Practice, Fitton Hill Neighbourhood Centre, Fircroft Road, Fitton Hill, Oldham, OL8 2QD: List size W 4038 / R 3497;

Hollinwood Medical Practice, 1 Clive Street, Hollinwood, Oldham, OL8 3TR: list size W 3787 / R 3343;

John Street Practice, 1 John Street, Oldham, OL8 1DF: list size: W 3303 / R 3765;

The Village Medical Practice, Crompton Health Centre, High Street, OL2 8ST: list size W 3015 / R 2952.

Please note the list size provided relates to both the weighted (W) and raw (R) list taken as of 1.1.2016.

It will be a requirement that all services are offered from the existing premises.

The aim of the services are to deliver essential, additional and enhanced services to registered patients of each practice as well as the local quality scheme known as EQALS Plus.

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

Tenderers can tender for 1 or more or all Lots and the Contracting Authorities in line with market expectations have a preference to award all 4 lots to a single provider, however if it is not possible to award all 4 lots to a single provider under the most economically advantageous tender criteria, the Contracting Authorities will have the option to award whatever combination of lots or individual lots that meet the most economically advantageous tender criteria.

Lot 1: Hill Top Medical Practice;

Lot 2: Hollinwood Medical Practice;

Lot 3: John Street Practice;

Lot 4: The Village Medical Practice;

Lot 5: The combination of all 4 Lots.

To express an interest in this tender opportunity, please follow the instructions in section VI.3) of this notice.

Please be aware that all communications and submissions will be conducted via the NECS In-Tend portal only.

The closing time and date for tender returns is 12:00 on 13.5.2016.

#### **II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

85000000 Health and social work services, 85120000 Medical practice and related services, 85121000 Medical practice services, 85121100 General-practitioner services, 85140000 Miscellaneous health services, 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

#### **II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

#### **II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

### **II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

## **II.2. Scope of the procurement**

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

Initial contract value for initial 5 year term.

Lot 1 1 544 790 GBP;

Lot 2 1 449 091 GBP;

Lot 3 1 263 906 GBP;

Lot 4 1 153 568 GBP;

All of the above Lot 5 5 411 357 GBP;

Optional extension period of 5 years 5 411 357 GBP.

Initial 5 years 5 411 357 GBP.

Total potential contract value 10 822 714 GBP.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 5 411 357 and 10 822 714 GBP

### **II.2.2. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options: It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

### **II.2.3. Information about renewals**

This contract is subject to renewal: no

## **II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

Information about lots

Lot No: 3

Lot title: John Street Practice

#### **1) Short description**

1 John Street, Oldham, OL8 1DF.

#### **2) CPV code(s)**

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#### **3) Quantity or scope**

List size: W 3303 / R 3765 as of 1.1.2016.

W 252781 GBP / R 288 060 GBP per annum.

Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 263 906 GBP

#### **4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

## 5) Additional information about lots

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

Lot No: 4

Lot title: The Village Medical Practice

### 1) Short description

Crompton Health Centre, High Street, OL2 8ST.

### 2) CPV code(s)

85000000 Health and social work services, 85120000 Medical practice and related services, 85121000 Medical practice services, 85121100 General-practitioner services, 85140000 Miscellaneous health services, 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

### 3) Quantity or scope

List size W 3015 / R 2952 as of 1.1.2016;  
W 230713 GBP / R 225 857 GBP per annum.  
Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 153 568 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

## 5) Additional information about lots

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Hill Top Medical Practice

### 1) Short description

Hill Top Medical Practice, Fitton Hill Neighbourhood Centre, Fircroft Road, Fitton Hill, Oldham, OL8 2QD.

### 2) CPV code(s)

85000000 Health and social work services, 85120000 Medical practice and related services, 85121000 Medical practice services, 85121100 General-practitioner services, 85140000 Miscellaneous health services, 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

### 3) Quantity or scope

List size W 4038 / R 3497 as of 1.1.2016;  
W 308958 GBP / R 267 555 GBP per annum.  
Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 544 790 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

## 5) Additional information about lots

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

Lot No: 5

Lot title: All 4 Lots

### 1) Short description

Lot 1 Hill Top Medical Practice, Fitton Hill Neighbourhood Centre, Fircroft Road, Fitton Hill, Oldham, OL8 2QD;

Lot 2 Hollinwood Medical practice, 1 Clive Street, Hollinwood, Oldham, OL8 3TR;

Lot 3 John Street Practice, 1 John Street, Oldham, OL8 1DF;

Lot 4 The Village Medical Practice, Crompton Health Centre, High Street, OL2 8ST.

### 2) CPV code(s)

85000000 Health and social work services, 85120000 Medical practice and related services, 85121000 Medical practice services, 85121100 General-practitioner services, 85140000 Miscellaneous health services, 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

### 3) Quantity or scope

Lot 1 List size W 4038 / R 3497 as at 1.1.2016;

W 308958 GBP / R 267 555 GBP per annum.

Lot 2 List size W 3787 / R 3343 as at 1.1.2016;

W 289818 GBP / R 255 772 GBP per annum.

Lot 3 List size W 3303 / R 3765 as at 1.1.2016;

W 252781 GBP / R 288 060 GBP per annum.

Lot 4 List size W 3015 / R 2952 as at 1.1.2016;

W 230713 GBP / R 225 857 GBP per annum.

Total Lot 5 List size W 14145 / R 13557 as at 1.1.2016;

W 1082271 GBP / R 1 037 246 GBP per annum.

Estimated value excluding VAT: 5 411 357 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

## 5) Additional information about lots

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Hollinwood Medical Practice

### 1) Short description

1 Clive Street, Hollinwood, Oldham, OL8 3TR.

### 2) CPV code(s)

85000000 Health and social work services, 85120000 Medical practice and related services, 85121000 Medical practice services, 85121100 General-practitioner services, 85140000 Miscellaneous health services, 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

**3) Quantity or scope**

List size W 3787 / R 3343 as of 1.1.2016;  
W 289818 GBP / R 255 772 GBP per annum.  
Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 449 091 GBP

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

Start 1.10.2016. Completion 30.9.2021

**5) Additional information about lots**

It is proposed that the terms and conditions of service, including tariff arrangements, will reflect those contained in General Medical Services (GMS) contracts. The Contract term will be for an initial period of 5 years from the commencement date with the option to extend the contract by a further period of 5 years subject to NHS England Efficiency Controls Committee approval and at the discretion of NHS Oldham CCG and subject to satisfactory contractual and financial performance and adherence to any contractual break clauses that may be applicable.

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**Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

**III.1. Conditions related to the contract**

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

As stated in the tender documents.

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

As stated in the tender documents.

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

As stated in the tender documents.

**III.1.4. Contract performance conditions**

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: yes  
Description of particular conditions: As stated in the tender documents.

**III.2. Conditions for participation**

**III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: As stated in the tender documents.

**III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: As stated in the tender documents.  
Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: As stated in the tender documents.

**III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:  
As stated in the tender documents.  
Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:  
As stated in the tender documents.

### **III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

### **III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

#### **III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

#### **III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract: yes

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open

#### **IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

#### **IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

### **IV.2. Award criteria**

#### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used: no

### **IV.3. Administrative information**

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

NHSE28

#### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Prior information notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 247-449725](#) of 22.12.2015

#### **IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

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

13.5.2016 - 12:00

#### **IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

#### **IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English.

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

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 13.5.2016 - 14:00

Place:

Via timed locked e-tendering system.

## Section VI: Complementary information

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### VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 2021 or 2026.

### VI.2. Information about European Union funds

### VI.3. Additional information

Please note that the tender documents will not be available on In-Tend until 4.4.2016 this is to allow sufficient time for this notice to be published in OJEU.

This procurement will be conducted via NECS e-tendering system (In-Tend) accordingly there will be no hard copy documents issued to tenderers and all communications between tenderers and NECS, including tender submissions, will be conducted via the In-Tend portal. NECS will only accept documents for tenders or quotations placed on its e-tendering system to be received electronically unless explicitly stated otherwise in the tenderers instructions.

To express an interest in tendering for this procurement, and (if you have not already done so) please register on the e-tendering portal, which can be found at: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/necs>

Once registered, you will be able to view details of the tender opportunity by selecting the Tenders tab, and then selecting Current, scroll down through the tender lists until you come to GP Practice Services (APMS). To view further information on this specific tender opportunity, click the button marked View Details.

From this area, you will be able to express your interest in this tender opportunity by selecting the button marked Express Interest.

Please note that it is free to register on the portal, which can be accessed at any time of day as long as you have a working internet connection.

If you require further assistance, a help guide can be found on the portal by clicking on the tab marked Guidance for Suppliers.

Alternatively, (should tenderers have any queries) a dedicated help desk is available and can be contacted on +448442728810, Monday to Friday, 8:30 to 17:00 or email:

[support@in-tend.co.uk](mailto:support@in-tend.co.uk)

(MT Ref:172149).

### VI.4. Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: North of England Commissioning Support Unit

Postal address: Teesdale House, Westpoint Road, Thornaby

Town: Stockton-on-Tees

Postal code: TS17 6BL

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

Telephone: +44 1642746916

Internet address: <https://in-tendorganiser.co.uk/necs/asp/ITLogin.aspx>

#### VI.4.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The Contracting Authorities will act in accordance with Regulation 32 and Part 9 of the Public Contract Regulations 2006 (SI 2006 No 5) as amended by the Public Contract (Amendment) Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No 2992). Part 9 of these Regulations provides for appeals to be made to the High Court subject to the time limitations and other required procedural steps. The rules relating to appeal are complex and a dissatisfied tenderer is advised to take their own prompt legal advice.

**VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: Royal Courts of Justice — The High Court

Postal address: Strand

Town: London

Postal code: WC2A 2LL

Country: United Kingdom

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

1.4.2016