

United Kingdom-Macclesfield: General-practitioner services

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Eastern Cheshire CCG

Postal address: NHS Eastern Cheshire Clinical Commissioning Group, 1st Floor West Wing,
New Alderley House, Victoria Road

Town: Macclesfield

NUTS code: UKD6 Cheshire

Postal code: SK10 3BL

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: eccccg.primarycare@nhs.net**Internet address(es):**Main address: <https://ardengemcsu.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.html>**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://ardengemcsu.bravosolution.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://ardengemcsu.bravosolution.co.uk>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5. Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

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

Extended Access General Practice in Eastern Cheshire

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85121100 General-practitioner services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The recently published 'Refreshing NHS Plans for 2018/19' requires all CCGs to provide extended access to general practice to their whole population by 1.10.2018. The initiative aims for all patients to have improved access to General practice services including sufficient routine appointments at evenings and weekends to meet locally determined demand. NHS Eastern Cheshire CCG is looking for a provider of Primary care services as part of this NHS England initiative.

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- timing of appointments,
- capacity,
- measurement,
- advertising and ease of access,
- digital,
- inequalities,
- effective access to wider whole-system services.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKD6 Cheshire

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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In order to implement the Extended access initiative, NHS Eastern Cheshire CCG wishes to procure a General practice extended access service for patients living within Eastern Cheshire. This service will be accessible by all of the patients of the 24 GP practices that are covered by NHS Eastern Cheshire CCG. The General practice extended access service will improve access and experience for patients by providing additional capacity for pre-bookable and book on the day General practice appointments, which are more convenient for patients

and offer shorter waits, both during and outside traditional general practice hours. These appointments will include evening appointments from Monday to Friday and also during Saturdays and Sundays.

Bidders must submit their ITT submissions via the BravoSolution e-tendering portal. Potential suppliers should be aware that their ITT submissions should be submitted by Thursday 12th July (by 23:59 hours), clarifications to the documents should be submitted by 3.7.2018 (by 23:59 hours), reflecting the urgency of identifying suitable and capable providers in order to deliver the required go-live date of the 1.10.2018. Bidders should note that whilst the CCG does not intend to depart from the timetable provided, it reserves the right to do so at any time. There will be a contract period of 6 months. The Contract value is set at 609 885 GBP for the period of the Contract.

Submission of the Selection questionnaire and Procurement specific information: this exercise will be conducted using 'Document 2 Procurement bid questions template' available via the BravoSolution e-tendering portal.

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: 6

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

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

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: 12/07/2018 Local time: 23:59

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

English

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 13/06/2018 Local time: 00:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Eastern Cheshire CCG

Town: Macclesfield

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

12/06/2018