

United Kingdom-London: Laboratory services

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: UCLPartners Procurement Services

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Town: London

Postal code: EC1V 7LQ

Country: United Kingdom

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Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <https://www.lpp sourcing.org>

Additional information can be obtained from:

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

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I.2. Type of the contracting authority

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: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

PR2498 — Histopathology and Cytopathology Laboratory Service — WH.

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

Services

Service category No 25: Health and social services

NUTS code UKI1 Inner London

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)

UCL Partners Procurement Services, on behalf of Whittington Health, is seeking to develop strategy for the future of its pathology service with a view to achieving service provision which supports optimum patient care, in line with the Department of Health's view on the delivery of effective pathology services as outlined in the 2008 Carter Report. As part of this, we wish to explore further the potential advantages of a histopathology and cytopathology laboratory service that is delivered by an external provider.

We are seeking a provider for a full laboratory service for processing histology specimens and diagnostic cytology specimens from receipt of sample to release of glass slides, and for processing gynaecological cytology specimens from receipt of sample to release of reports (excluding those cases that require consultant reporting), at the most advantageous arrangement.

The Trust is seeking a financially robust solution which will be a Managed Services Contract (MSC), initially for a period of 5 years. Tenderers should be prepared to verify the robustness of their proposals against the requirements of HMRC.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

71900000 Laboratory services

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.1.8. 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

N/A.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

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

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

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

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

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

III.2. Conditions for participation

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

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

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: no

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Restricted

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

Envisaged number of candidates: 3

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

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated no

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Criteria below

1. Price (whole life costs). Weighting 30
2. Quality/Technical. Weighting 70

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

0995

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

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

Payable documents: no

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

12.9.2016 - 23:59

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

26.9.2016

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

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

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

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

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Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: As above

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VI.4.2. Review procedure

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

Official name: As above

Country: United Kingdom

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

10.8.2016