

**United Kingdom-Romford: Pathology services**

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust

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**Additional information can be obtained from:**

Official name: Pathology Send Out Tests

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Internet address: [www.lppsourcing.org](http://www.lppsourcing.org)**Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted:** Official name: Pathology Send Out Tests

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Internet address: [www.lppsourcing.org](http://www.lppsourcing.org)**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: no

## **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**

Pathology send out tests.

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

Services

Service category No 25: Health and social services

NUTS code UKI2 Outer 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)**

Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals Trust (BHRUT) are seeking services for the Pathology Department for the provision of send out tests within the specialities of Clinical Biochemistry, Haematology, Immunology and Cytogenetics. Approximately 11 600 tests are sent out annually. This service will be provided by an accredited laboratory with demonstrable expertise and experience in high volume pathology tests, with excellent clinical and analytical service which meets the Trust requirements in terms of quality, cost and technical expertise, and have been providing a comparable service.

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

85111800 Pathology services

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

#### **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**

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

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

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

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Crytogenetics

- 1) Short description**  
Cryogenetics Tests  
Approximate No. of tests per annum — 248.
- 2) CPV code(s)**  
85111800 Pathology services
- 3) Quantity or scope**
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Clinical Biochemistry

- 1) Short description**  
Clinical Biochemistry Tests  
Approximate no. of tests per annum — 4606.
- 2) CPV code(s)**  
85111800 Pathology services
- 3) Quantity or scope**
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 3

Lot title: Haematology

- 1) Short description**  
Haematology Tests  
Approximate no. of tests per annum — 459.
- 2) CPV code(s)**  
85111800 Pathology services
- 3) Quantity or scope**
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 4

Lot title: Immunology

- 1) Short description**  
Immunology Tests  
Approximate no. of tests per annum — 6338.
- 2) CPV code(s)**  
85111800 Pathology services
- 3) Quantity or scope**
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 5

Lot title: Bid for all Lots (Lots 1 -4)

**1) Short description**

Bid for all lots (lots 1,2,3 and 4)  
Approximate 11 600 tests per annum.

**2) CPV code(s)**

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**3) Quantity or scope**

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

**5) Additional information about lots**

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

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

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

Parent Company guarantee if 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**

**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: Any supplier may be disqualified who:

- (a) is bankrupt or is being wound up, where his affairs are being administered by the court, where he has entered into an arrangement with creditors, where he has suspended business activities or is in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure under national laws and regulations;
- (b) is the subject of proceedings for a declaration of bankruptcy, for an order compulsory winding up the administration by the court or of an arrangement with creditors or of any other similar proceedings under national laws and regulations;
- (c) has been convicted by a judgement which has the force of res judicata in accordance with the legal provisions of the country of any offence concerning his professional conduct;
- (d) has been guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means which the contract authorities can demonstrate;
- (e) has not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which he is established or with those of the country of the contracting authority;
- (f) has not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which he is established or with those of the country of the contracting authority;
- (g) is guilty of serious misrepresentation in supplying the information required under this

Section or has not supplied such information;

(h) has been the subject of a conviction for participation in a criminal organization, as defined in Article 2(1) of Council Joint Action 98/733/JHA;

(i) has been the subject of a conviction for corruption, as defined in Article 3 of the Council Act of 26 May 1972 and Article 3(1) of Council Joint Action 98/742/JHA3 respectively;

(j) has been the subject of a conviction for fraud within the meaning of Article 1 of the Convention relating to the protection of the financial interests of the European Communities;

(k) has been the subject of a conviction for money laundering, as defined in Article 1 of Council Directive 91/308/EEC of 10 June 1991 on prevention of the use of the financial system for the purpose of money laundering.

Successful bidders must demonstrate compliance with and substantive experience of NHS Pathology testing.

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

List and brief description of conditions: (a) appropriate statements from banks or, where appropriate, evidence of relevant professional risk indemnity insurance;

(b) the presentation of balance-sheets or extracts from the balance-sheets, where publication of the balance-sheet is required under the law of the country in which the economic operator is established;

(c) a statement of the undertaking's overall turnover and, where appropriate, of turnover in the area covered by the contract for a maximum of the last 3 financial years available, depending on the date on which the undertaking was set up or the economic operator started trading, as far as the information of these turnovers is available.

Successful bidders must demonstrate substantive, financial capacity and track record to mitigate risk.

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

List and brief description of conditions:

(a) a list of the works carried out over the past five years, accompanied by certificates of satisfactory execution for the most important works. These certificates shall indicate the value, date and site of the works and shall specify whether they were carried out according to the rules of the trade and properly completed. Where appropriate, the competent authority shall submit these certificates to the contracting authority direct;

(c) an indication of the technicians or technical bodies involved, whether or not belonging directly to the economic operator's undertaking, especially those responsible for quality control and, in the case of public works contracts, those upon whom the contractor can call in order to carry out the work;

(d) a description of the technical facilities and measures used by the supplier or service provider for ensuring quality and the undertaking's study and research facilities;

(e) where the products or services to be supplied are complex or, exceptionally, are required for a special purpose, a check carried out by the contracting authorities or on their behalf by a competent official body of the country in which the supplier or service provider is established, subject to that body's agreement, on the production capabilities of the supplier or the technical capacity of the service provider and, if necessary, on the means of study and research which are available to it and the quality control measures it will operate;

(f) the educational and professional qualifications of the service provider or contractor and/or those of the undertaking's managerial staff and, in particular, those of the person or persons responsible for providing the services or managing the work;

(j) an indication of the proportion of the contract which the services provider intends possibly to subcontract;

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#### **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**

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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

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

Restricted

##### **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**

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

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

BHR/14/PSOT

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

no

##### **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**

14.11.2014 - 16:00

##### **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**

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

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.2. Information about European Union funds****VI.3. Additional information**

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**VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body****VI.4.2. Review procedure****VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained****VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

8.10.2014