

United Kingdom-Oxford: Medical imaging 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: NHS Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group

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Town: Oxford

NUTS code: UKJ14 Oxfordshire

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Country: United Kingdom

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Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/scwcsu/asp/Home>

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**

Oxfordshire CCG Community Echocardiography Service.

Reference number: SCW/NHS10QCCG/00000478/2017

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85150000 Medical imaging services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group (OCCG) is seeking tenders from interested parties for a community diagnostics service specifically providing echocardiograms and Cardiac Event Monitoring (CEM). This service is to be delivered across several locations so as to be easily accessible to the whole of Oxfordshire.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1 317 305,00 GBP

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKJ14 Oxfordshire

Main site or place of performance: Oxfordshire.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group (OCCG) is seeking tenders from interested parties for a community diagnostics service specifically providing echocardiograms and Cardiac Event Monitoring (CEM). This service is to be delivered across several locations so as to be easily accessible to the whole of Oxfordshire. The service will be directly accessible for all Oxfordshire GPs and will only be requested via e-referrals using OCCG Templates. The Proposal Objectives: — To provide a local service for patients closer to home; — To provide increased patient choice; — To resolve patient outcomes more quickly; — Compliance with NICE guidance and optimum management of patients; — Reduction in referrals to the acute trust for diagnostic investigation and out-patient appointments; — Reduction in duplication of treatment pathways; — Integrated care pathways / holistic care Expected Outcomes; — Improved patient access to diagnostic services across the localities; — Reduction in waiting times; — Increased patient choice for services; — Reduction in duplication of treatment pathways; — Integrated care pathways / holistic care; — Provision of care closer to home; — Rapid, responsive service to facilitate optimum medical management; — Good communications with referring GPs and acute Trusts, patients and carers; — Continuity of care and shared learning amongst the MDT. Scope of the service: The service will provide GPs with direct access to the following: Echocardiogram and report Echocardiogram with management plan delivered by GP cardiologist Cardiac Event Monitoring Exclusions Patients under 18 years of age. Acutely unwell patients (to be admitted to hospital via usual channels, not via this service). Treatments and interventions listed by Oxfordshire CCG as low priority should not be implemented without the specific written agreement of the referring GP and after appropriate approval has been obtained from the CCG. The service should only provide services in line with local and national clinical guidelines or based on best practice recommendations, such as NICE guidance. Inappropriate referrals where the request is not the right choice of diagnostic. Patients who are medically unfit to undergo the diagnostic. Onward referral for private or alternative treatment should not be made without the explicit written agreement of the GP. Location: The echocardiogram service is to be provided across Oxfordshire with bases within all of the locality areas (See attached for locality map): City North, North East, South East, South West and West. The contract is expected to be for 3 years with the option to extend for 2 further years, and will commence on 1.2.2018. The contract value stands with a confirmed total financial envelope of 382 208 GBP for the initial 3-

year period, but with a potential envelope of 787 705 GBP (over 3 years) in the event the current Integrated Cardiology Service pilot is successful. Bids must be received by 13:00 20.10.2017.

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

Value excluding VAT: 1 317 305,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Option to extend for 2 years.

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 III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

As per the tender documents.

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

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: yes

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 20/10/2017 Local time: 13:00

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

English

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: 20/10/2017 Local time: 13:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

Please note that this service is a healthcare service within the meaning and scope of the National Health Service (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) (No 2) Regulations 2013 and as such is governed by these regulations and the 'light touch' regime under the UK Public Contract Regulations 2015. The CCG will not be bound by any regulations beyond those which explicitly apply to procurements for such services and any references to processes or procedures (e.g. 'the open procedure') should not be taken to mean the CCG intends to be held to any beyond those stated above.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group

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VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group

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Postal code: OX4 2LH

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

15/09/2017