

Netherlands-Utrecht: Research and experimental development services
OJ S 211/2017 03/11/2017
Contract notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

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I.2. Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

In the case of joint procurement involving different countries, state applicable national procurement law:

This PCP is carried out by UMC Utrecht, appointed as lead procurer to coordinate and lead the joint procurement in the name and on behalf of the buyers group. Dutch procurement law is applicable.

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://www.nightingale-h2020.eu/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://www.nightingale-h2020.eu/>

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

Pre-commercial procurement (PCP) to buy R&D (research and development) services for better monitoring of vital signs in high-risk patients.

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73100000 Research and experimental development services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

This contract notice invites interested operators to submit tenders to a procurement. The procurement aims to trigger new solutions to be developed and tested to address the following challenge: There is a huge unfulfilled need for better monitoring of vital signs in high-risk patients who are on regular patient wards in the hospital or at home. Therefore Nightingale is aiming to connect patients and carers by developing and using wearable sensor technology and self-learning, context-sensitive software. We invite every interested party to visit the Nightingale website: <http://www.nightingale-h2020.eu> for more information and participate in the open market consultation.

This PCP procurement is a joint procurement by different procurers across Europe that are all facing the same common challenge and are thus looking for similar solutions (so-called 'buyers group').

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 3 000 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NL31 Utrecht

Main site or place of performance: At least 50 % of the contracted R&D services in EU Member States or Horizon 2020 associated countries.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The procurement will take the form of a pre-commercial procurement (PCP) under which R&D service contracts will be awarded to a number of R&D providers in parallel in a phased approach. This will make it possible to compare competing alternative solutions.

Each selected operator will be awarded a framework agreement that covers 3 R&D phases.

The 3 phases are:

- R&D up to solution design;
- R&D up to a prototype;
- R&D up to original development, validation and testing of a limited set of first products or services.

After each phase, intermediate evaluations will be carried out to progressively select the best of the competing solutions. The contractors with the best-value-for-money solutions will be offered a specific contract for the next phase.

The procurement is expected to start in February 2018 (deadline for submitting proposals is 12.1.2018) and will end in November 2020 (the expected completion date of this PCP).

The selected operators will retain ownership of the intellectual property rights (IPRs) that they generate during the PCP and will be able to use them to exploit the full market potential of the developed solutions i.e. beyond the procurers.

This procurement is exempted from the WTO Government Procurement Agreement (GPA), the EU public procurement directives and the national laws that implement them. This is because it concerns the procurement of R&D services where the benefits do not accrue exclusively to the contracting authority for its use in the conduct of its own affairs.

Publication of this contract notice in the EU Official Journal is not to be understood as a waiver of this exemption. Publication is made on a voluntary basis and the procurement will not follow the procedures under the EU public procurement directives, but rather the procedure described in the tender documentation.

The open procedure was chosen for formal reasons only. This is because it is not possible to publish a contract notice without selecting 1 of the listed procedures.

Offers may be submitted in English. All communication (before, during and after the procurement) can be made in English.

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

Start: 15/02/2018 End: 01/11/2020

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:
yes

Identification of the project:

II.2.14. Additional information

Participation in the open market consultation that was held as part of the preparation for this procurement is not a prerequisite for submitting a tender.

This procurement is exempted from the WTO Government Procurement Agreement (GPA), the EU public procurement directives and the national laws that implement them.

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:

For further information please read 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

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

For further information please read the tender documents.

III.2.3. 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

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years: Minimum number of framework agreements that Nightingale PCP plan to award: 8.

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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2017/S 022-037335](#)

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

Date: 12/01/2018 Local time: 12:00

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

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 15/01/2018 Local time: 12:00

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

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VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The procurement is exempted from the EU public procurement directives (including the EU procurement remedies directives Council Directive 89/665/EEC and Council Directive 92/13/EEC — see above) and the national laws that implement them.

Publication of this notice in the Official Journal is not to be understood as a waiver of this exemption by the contracting authority.

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

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

01/11/2017