

United Kingdom-Ashford: Mattresses
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Contract notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Ashford and St Peters Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
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Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.ashfordstpeters.nhs.uk>

Electronic access to information: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com>

Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com>

Additional information can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

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

the abovementioned address

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

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: yes

Official name: Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Postal address: Egerton Road

Town: Guildford

Postal code: GU2 7XX

Country: United Kingdom

Official name: Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust

Postal address: Frimley Park Hospital, Portsmouth Road

Town: Frimley

Postal code: GU16 7UJ

Country: United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

The Provision of a Planned Rental Pressure Area Care Service in an Acute Hospital Setting to Ashford and St Peters Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust.

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

Services

Service category No 25: Health and social services

NUTS code UKJ23 Surrey

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)

Mattresses. Medical furniture. Ashford and St Peters Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust are seeking a value for money planned rental service that improves our ulcer incidence rates and contributes to initiatives to reduce patient length of stay. The Trusts intend to award a 3 year contract with two 12 month extension options.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

39143112 Mattresses, 33192000 Medical furniture

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

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

The Trusts wish to invite offers under 3 lots:

— Lot 1 — Planned Rental Service.

The Trusts require a planned rental service for the provision of various Pressure Area Care mattresses and Alternating Pressure cushions.

— Lot 2 — Static Foam Mattresses and Covers.

The Trusts require static foam mattresses and covers over the contract period.

— Lot 3 — Pressure Area Care Solution.

The Trusts require a total solution for its Pressure Area Care needs incorporating Alternating Pressure devices and static foam devices. This may include 'hybrid' mattresses.

Note: if 'hybrid' mattresses form part of the solution then the Trusts intend to carry out a 6-month evaluation on 2 wards at each acute site to determine the clinical effectiveness of the mattress as part of the winning contract. Decision as to roll out of a 'hybrid' offering would be dependent on the clinical results of such an evaluation.

Please see attached PQQ questionnaire for the means of proof required for your Economic and Financial Standing and Technical Capacity.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options: 2 12-month extension at the end of the contract period, subject to policy needs and contract appraisal.

Provisional timetable for recourse to these options:
in months: 36 (from the award of the contract)

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

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

Duration in months: 36 (from the award of the contract)

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Planned Rental Service

1) Short description

A planned rental service for the provision of various Pressure Area Care mattresses and Alternating Pressure cushions.

2) CPV code(s)

33192000 Medical furniture, 39143112 Mattresses, 39516110 Cushions

3) Quantity or scope

A low air loss (or equivalent system). An alternating pressure system. A dynamic pressure relieving seat cushion.

Both the mattress replacement systems and the cushions shall be designed to reduce the incidence of pressure ulcers for patients at very high risk and that are suitable for patients with up to and including a Stage 4 pressure ulcer (EPUAP classification).

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Static Foam Mattresses and Covers

1) Short description

The Trusts require static foam mattresses and covers over the contract period.

2) CPV code(s)

33192000 Medical furniture, 39143112 Mattresses, 39512300 Mattress covers

3) Quantity or scope

The Trusts require static foam mattresses and covers over the contract period.

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 3

Lot title: Pressure Area Care Solution

1)

Short description

A total solution for Pressure Area Care needs incorporating Alternating Pressure devices and static foam devices. This may include 'hybrid' mattresses.

2) CPV code(s)

33192000 Medical furniture, 39143112 Mattresses, 39512300 Mattress covers, 39516110 Cushions

3) Quantity or scope

A total solution for Pressure Area Care needs incorporating Alternating Pressure devices and static foam devices. This may include 'hybrid' mattresses.

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

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: yes
Description of particular conditions: The invitation to tender (ITT).
The NHS Terms and Conditions of Contract.

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: See PQQ document for details.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: See PQQ document for details.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:
See PQQ for details.

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

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Restricted

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

Envisaged minimum number 5

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: As required by the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

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

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

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

ASP/TE/15/06

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

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

14.1.2016 - 12:00

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

25.2.2017

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

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

The contracting Authority adheres to the mandatory time-scales, and acknowledges that the spirit of the Directive must be followed. The contracting Authority understands that is obliged to publish an award notice. The short-listing of expressions of interest will be undertaken by evaluation of your submission to the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) which has also been submitted on the Delta eTendering system. Please ensure that the full contact details (including e-mail address) of the person responsible for completion of the PQQ are included. The expiry date for completion of PQQ questionnaire will be the same as the expiry date of the Contract Notice.

Please note that the ITT document within the PQQ is for information only.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Ashford:-Mattresses./33P3WNS96M>

To respond to this opportunity, please click here: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com/respond/33P3WNS96M>

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VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Ashford and St Peters Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Postal address: Ashford Hospital, London Road

Town: Ashford

Postal code: TW15 3AA

Country: United Kingdom

VI.4.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The authority will incorporate a minimum of 10 day standstill period from the day after information on the award of contract is communicated to tenderers. This period allows the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge or seek further debriefing from the contracting authority before the contract is entered into. If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland). Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months). Where a contract has not been entered into, the contract award proceedings will be immediately suspended.

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

14.12.2015