

**United Kingdom-Newcastle upon Tyne: Health and social work services**  
**OJ S 212/2018 03/11/2018**  
**Contract notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS Newcastle Gateshead Clinical Commissioning Group

Town: Newcastle upon Tyne

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: NE15 8NY

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://www.newcastlegatesheadccg.nhs.uk/>

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS North Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

Town: North Shields

NUTS code: UKC22 Tyneside

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://www.northtynesideccg.nhs.uk/>

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS South Tyneside Clinical Commissioning Group

Postal address: Monkton Hall, Monkton Lane

Town: Jarrow

NUTS code: UKC22 Tyneside

Postal code: NE32 5NN

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://www.southtynesideccg.nhs.uk>

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS Sunderland Clinical Commissioning Group

Town: Sunderland

NUTS code: UKC23 Sunderland

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://www.sunderlandccg.nhs.uk/>

**I.2. Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

### **I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login>

Additional information can be obtained from another address:

Official name: North of England Commissioning Support Unit

Town: Stockton-on-Tees

NUTS code: UKC11 Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.neprocurement@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://www.necsu.nhs.uk>

### **I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

### **I.5. Main activity**

Health

## **Section II: Object**

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### **II.1. Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1. Title**

Patient Transport Booking Service

Reference number: NECS289

#### **II.1.2. Main CPV code**

85000000 Health and social work services

#### **II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4. Short description**

North of England Commissioning Support working for, and on behalf of, NHS Newcastle Gateshead, North Tyneside, South Tyneside and Sunderland Clinical Commissioning Groups (the CCGs), wish to commission a Patient Transport Booking Service covering the CCGs geographical areas.

The provider will book patient transportation to non-urgent, pre-arranged appointments (subject to assessing eligibility criteria,) via the North East Ambulance Service online booking system.

The service will operate between 9:00-5:00 pm Monday-Friday (excluding Bank Holidays).

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

North of England Commissioning Support working for, and on behalf of, NHS Newcastle Gateshead, North Tyneside, South Tyneside and Sunderland Clinical Commissioning Groups (the CCGs), wish to commission a Patient Transport Booking Service covering the CCGs geographical areas.

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The service will operate between 9:00-5:00 pm Monday-Friday (excluding Bank Holidays).

If your organisation would like to submit a bid NECS utilises an electronic tendering tool to manage this procurement. There will be no hard copy documents and communications including submissions, will be via an eTendering portal, Proactis at <https://www.proactisplaza.com/SupplierPortal/?CID=NECS>

Bidders should navigate to NECS289 Patient Transport Booking Service; the tender will be available 1.11.2018. The tender submission deadline is 12:00 noon 3.12.2018.

#### **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**

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Option to extend for up to 2 years at the discretion of the commissioners (subject to satisfactory performance).

#### **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 IV: Procedure**

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#### **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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2018/S 132-301478](#)

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

Date: 03/12/2018 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.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 04/12/2018 Local time: 17:00

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

### **VI.3. Additional information**

(MT Ref:213754)

### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: North of England Commissioning Support Unit

Postal address: Teesdale House, Thornaby

Town: Stockton-on-Tees

Postal code: TS17 6BL

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: <http://www.necsu.nhs.uk>

#### **VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The Contracting Authorities will act in accordance with Part 3 Chapter 5 Regulation 85 to 87 and Regulation 95 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No.:102) (PCR 2015).

Part 3 of the PCR 2015 provides for appeals to be made to the High Court subject to the time limitations and other required procedural steps. The rules relating to appeal are complex and a dissatisfied tenderer is advised to take their own prompt legal advice.

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

Official name: Royal Courts of Justice — The High Court

Postal address: Strand

Town: London

Postal code: WC2A 2LL

Country: United Kingdom

#### **VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

30/10/2018