

Norway-Oslo: Research and development services and related consultancy services
OJ S 232/2019 02/12/2019
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

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I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

National System for Measuring Research and Innovation Results in the Health Trusts and Measuring Research Results in the Research and Competence Centres Outside the Specialist Health Service

Reference number: 16/1097

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The aim of the procurement is to continue and develop further a national measuring system for research results in health trusts, which, from 2020, will be expanded to include innovation

results in the health trusts, as well as research results in research and competence centres outside the specialist health service.

The research results in health trusts form the basis for the distribution of the result-based part of the grant for research in health trusts (cf. chapter 732, item 78). The calculations are then used by the regional health trusts and health trusts for managing and planning their research activities.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 2 641 600,00 NOK

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73200000 Research and development consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO011 Oslo

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The research and competence centres make up an important part of the national authorities' efforts to strengthen research and competence in health and care services. Uniform research indicators and reporting routines were established in 2018 for the research and competence centres' research activities. From 2021, a small share of the research resources for the centres will be reallocated within the limit of the centres, based on scientific publications, submitted doctor degrees and the award of external resources.

Over time the system has been expanded with different indicators. Changes and options in the coming contract period:

— from the National Budget for 2021 (measurements for research activity in 2019, 2018 and 2017), an indicator for clinical treatment studies will be included in the measuring system for health trusts. This involves the establishment of an assessment committee that the tenderer will be part of,

— innovation that is included as a development assignment in this assignment. In 2017 the regional health trusts, on behalf of the ministry, developed an indicator for innovation that consisted of 2 components; activity and usefulness. The first trial report was submitted in 2018. This was limited to the activity component. The assignment in 2019 is to report on both components,

— an option for any changes in the publication indicator in light of Plan S. This would be coordinated with the publication indicator for the university and university college sector,

— an option where incentives will be assessed for universities and university colleges for the commercialisation of research results, with an emphasis on the implications for the health trusts, cf. the health nutrition notification.

See Annex 1 for further details on the delivery.

The entire assignment must be carried out within a financial limit of 660 400 NOK excluding VAT per annum, total 4 622 800 NOK excluding VAT for the years 2020-2024 (+ 4), provided that the Norwegian Parliament grants resources for this. The costs of participating in meetings, establishing any work groups, obtaining data from the Norwegian Science Index, and any use of sub-suppliers for carrying out parts of the assignment, are expected to be covered within the above-mentioned limit for the assignment.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Expertise of the tendered personnel / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Assignment comprehension / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 20

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

The framework for the assignment is 1.1.2020 to 31.12.2024. There is an option to extend the agreement for a further 4 years. If there are any major changes to thematic, organisational or financial prerequisites than those in the tender, the contracting authority will, in cooperation with the tenderer, assess the changes in the content or handling of the assignment.

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

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: [2019/S 180-439682](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Title:

National System for Measuring Research and Innovation Results in the Health Trusts and Measuring Research Results in the Research and Competence Centres Outside the Specialist Health Service

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1.

Date of conclusion of the contract

21/11/2019

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Nordisk institutt for studier av innovasjon, forskning og utdanning (NIFU)

Town: Oslo

NUTS code: NO011 Oslo

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Country: Norway

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the contract/lot: 2 641 600,00 NOK

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**Section VI: Complementary information**

VI.3. Additional information**VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

28/11/2019