

**United Kingdom-Sheffield: Breast prostheses**  
**OJ S 33/2021 17/02/2021**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Supplies**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: The Collaborative Procurement partnership LLP acting on behalf of Supply Chain Coordination Ltd, a Management Function of NHS Supply Chain

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

National or federal agency/office

**I.5. Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

External Breast Prosthesis, Bras, and Associated Products

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

33184400 Breast prostheses

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4. Short description**

The framework agreement will look to include the following range of products — whole breast prostheses, partial breast prostheses, soft form and leisure breast prostheses, bras, and accessories for bras and prostheses. It is anticipated that initial expenditure will be in the region of GBP 1 000 000 in the first year of this framework agreement, however this is approximate only and the values may vary depending on the requirements of those bodies purchasing under the framework agreement. The estimated value over the total Framework Agreement term is GBP 4 148 000 to GBP 5 625 000.

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

This contract is divided into lots: yes

#### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 4 148 000,00 GBP

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Whole Breast Prostheses

Lot No: 1

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

33184400 Breast prostheses

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

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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

This lot is for whole breast form prostheses to be used outside of the breast, inside a pocketed bra or adhered directly to the surface of the skin. Made predominantly from silicone they may be formed from an outer polyurethane layer filled with silicone gel or a solid or foam silicone. Used to mimic a whole/full breast when the whole breast has been surgically removed, in a variety of shapes, sizes, colours and weights to suit the specific requirements of the individual.

- gel filled: usually formed from a polyurethane film filled with silicone gel. The prosthesis is pre- shaped and available in a range of weight, fullness, shape and size, to mimic a natural breast. Gel filled prosthesis may be made from standard silicone gel, incorporate temperature balancing mechanisms through additives to the silicone or be adjustable to improve fit and accommodate changing breast shape and size.

- traditional gel filled,

- temperature balancing; containing temperature balancing mechanisms. Temperature balancing mechanisms include additives to silicone gel to promote cooling and heat transference. In addition to the temperature balancing mechanisms within the breast it may have a flat back to sit against the skin or moulded backing to improve air circulation and moisture evaporation,

- adaptable: adjustable to accommodate chest wall swelling, uneven scar or breast tissue and /or compensate for changing breast size during breast expander/reconstruction surgery. It is desirable to incorporate temperature balancing technology. It may have a flat back to sit against the skin or moulded 3D type backing to improve air circulation and moisture evaporation and be with or without adhesive properties and available in a range of weights.

- 100 % silicone or non-gel filled: may be solid or foam type silicone, pre-shaped and in a range of sizes, shapes, symmetry, fullness and weight to mimic a whole breast. Products may come with a flat backing (skin facing surface) or moulded 3D effect backing, with or without adhesive and in a range of weights.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Sales, service and quality / Weighting: 21

Quality criterion - Name: Product research and development / Weighting: 4

Quality criterion - Name: Inventory assessment / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Marketing / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 9

Cost criterion - Name: Financial evaluation / Weighting: 50

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This framework agreement will have the option to extend incrementally for a further period of up to 24 months in addition the initial 24 months set out in the framework agreement.

#### **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**

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Partial Breast Prostheses

Lot No: 2

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

33184400 Breast prostheses

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

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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

This lot is for partial breast form prosthesis, enhancers, overlays and nipples to be used outside of the breast. Partial breast prostheses are made from a polyurethane layer filled with silicone gel. May be worn inside a pocketed bra. Used to provide symmetry to a breast post-surgery when only a portion of tissue has been removed. Required in a variety of asymmetric and symmetrical shapes, sizes and weights to suit the specific requirements of the individual.

- gel filled: usually formed from a polyurethane film filled with silicone gel. The prosthesis is pre-shaped and available in a range of weight, fullness, shape and size, to mimic a natural breast. Gel filled prosthesis may be made from standard silicone gel, incorporate temperature balancing mechanisms or be adjustable to improve fit and accommodate changing breast shape and size. Products may be supplied with a flat, smooth backing (skin facing surface) to sit against the skin or moulded backing (skin facing surface) with 3D effect. The moulded backing is comprised of channels or raised beads in a variety of configurations to improve air circulation and moisture evaporation. Products with a moulded backing reduce sweating and moisture build up. The skin facing surface may include adhesive to secure prosthesis and enhance weight distribution.

— traditional Gel filled

- temperature control: containing temperature balancing mechanisms. Temperature balancing mechanisms include additives to silicone gel to promote cooling and heat transference. In addition to the temperature balancing mechanisms within the breast it may have a flat back to sit against the skin or moulded backing to improve air circulation and moisture evaporation.
- Adaptable: adaptable to accommodate chest wall swelling, uneven scar or breast tissue and /or compensate for changing breast size during breast expander/reconstruction surgery. It is desirable to incorporate temperature balancing technology. It may have a flat back to sit against the skin or moulded 3D type backing to improve air circulation and moisture evaporation and be with or without adhesive properties and available in a range of weights.

- enhancers and overlays: used for enhancing the natural breast when a breast form is used on the opposite side or as an alternative to partial prosthesis or asymmetric requirements for local excision.
- self-adhesive nipples: used with breast prosthesis or on natural breast when required to provide symmetry depending on the individual patient requirements.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Sales, service and quality / Weighting: 21  
 Quality criterion - Name: Product research and development / Weighting: 4  
 Quality criterion - Name: Inventory assessment / Weighting: 10  
 Quality criterion - Name: Marketing / Weighting: 6  
 Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 9  
 Cost criterion - Name: Financial evaluation / Weighting: 50

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This framework agreement will have the option to extend incrementally for a further period of up to 24 months in addition the initial 24 months set out in the framework agreement.

#### **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**

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Soft Form and Leisure Breast Prostheses  
 Lot No: 3

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

33184400 Breast prostheses

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

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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

This lot is for soft form and leisure style breast prostheses to be used outside of the breast, inside a pocketed/non-pocketed bra.

Soft form prostheses are required in an alternative material to silicone and intended for immediate post mastectomy use. Required in a variety of asymmetric and symmetrical shapes and sizes to suit the specific requirements of the individual. Unweighted breast prosthesis may be used on a short term or temporary basis such as immediately after surgery or during radiotherapy treatment.

Breast prosthesis suitable for use during leisure activities may be made from a variety of materials, suitability for use when swimming in chlorinated or salt water is desirable.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Sales, service and quality / Weighting: 21  
 Quality criterion - Name: Product research and development / Weighting: 4  
 Quality criterion - Name: Inventory assessment / Weighting: 10  
 Quality criterion - Name: Marketing / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 9  
Cost criterion - Name: Financial evaluation / Weighting: 50

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This framework agreement will have the option to extend incrementally for a further period of up to 24 months in addition the initial 24 months set out in the framework agreement.

#### **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**

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Bras

Lot No: 4

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

33184400 Breast prostheses

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

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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

This lot is for bras suitable for use to support the breast after various surgical procedures.

Bras are grouped by style:

- encapsulation style — with separate cups to cradle each breast,
- compression style — holds the bosom to the chest.

Suitability of one style over another is dependent on its intended use.

Bras may be used to hold a prosthesis following breast removal or reduce and restrict breast movement to protect breast implant positioning, reduce mechanical drag in sternotomy or compress breast tissue in cases of lymphoedema. In addition, bras suitable for wearing during radiotherapy treatment should have minimal seams and where possible no metal fastenings.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Sales, service and quality / Weighting: 21

Quality criterion - Name: Product research and development / Weighting: 4

Quality criterion - Name: Inventory assessment / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Marketing / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 9

Cost criterion - Name: Financial evaluation / Weighting: 50

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This framework agreement will have the option to extend incrementally for a further period of up to 24 months in addition the initial 24 months set out in the framework agreement.

#### **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**

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Accessories for Bras and Prosthesis

Lot No: 5

##### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

33184400 Breast prostheses

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

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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

Products specifically designed to adapt or maintain fit of bras for use with prosthesis or care of prosthesis.

Bra accessories: products used to improve fit or comfort of bra or adapt a bra for use after breast surgery

- additional bra straps: used to adjust a prosthesis bra by extending the back/chest band length,
- bra strap shoulder pads: pads to cushion and provide width to shoulder straps,
- breast form pockets: pockets to sew into non-pocketed bras/swimwear to hold a breast prosthesis;
- drainage pouch holder/cover: pouch or holder/cover for storing drainage pouch and tubes in a bra.

Prosthesis accessories: products used to maintain, care for or adapt breast prosthesis

- prosthesis cover: envelope style fabric cover for breast prosthesis to improve comfort and product maintenance,
- prosthesis cleansing materials: products designed for maintaining adhesive barrier of silicone whole breast prosthesis,
- polyester fibre fill/medical fleece: Additional polyester fibre/medical fleece to add in to soft form temporary, if extra filling is required.
- cover for adhesive prosthesis backing: cover which can be applied to the adhesive backing of a whole breast adhesive prosthesis to allow the prosthesis to be worn loose from the skin (as a non-adhesive prosthesis),
- adhesive backing for silicone whole breast prosthesis; an adhesive pad that can be attached to the back of a silicone whole breast prosthesis to enable it to be worn attached directly to the skin as an adhesive prosthesis.

##### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Sales, service and quality / Weighting: 21

Quality criterion - Name: Product research and development / Weighting: 4

Quality criterion - Name: Inventory assessment / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Marketing / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 9

Cost criterion - Name: Financial evaluation / Weighting: 50

##### **II.2.11.**

### **Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

This framework agreement will have the option to extend incrementally for a further period of up to 24 months in addition the initial 24 months set out in the framework agreement.

### **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: [2020/S 029-068825](#)

#### **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**

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Lot No: 1

Title:

Whole Breast Prostheses

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

### **V.2. Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

14/08/2020

#### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Amoena (UK) Ltd

Town: Eastleigh

NUTS code: UKJ35 South Hampshire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Trulife Ltd

Town: Sheffield

NUTS code: UKE32 Sheffield

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Womanzone (UK) Ltd

Town: Wigan

NUTS code: UKD4 Lancashire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Anita UK Ltd

Town: Milton Keynes

NUTS code: UKJ12 Milton Keynes

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd

Town: Tunbridge Wells

NUTS code: UKJ4 Kent

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 3 105 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 3 105 000,00 GBP

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

**Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No: 2**

**Lot No: 2**

**Title:**

Partial Breast Prostheses

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

**V.2. Award of contract**

**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

**V.2.2.**



**Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Amoena (UK) Ltd

Town: Eastleigh

NUTS code: UKJ3 Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Trulife Ltd

Town: Sheffield

NUTS code: UKE32 Sheffield

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Womanzone (UK) Ltd

Town: Wigan

NUTS code: UKD4 Lancashire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Anita UK Ltd

Town: Milton Keynes

NUTS code: UKJ12 Milton Keynes

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd

Town: Tunbridge Wells

NUTS code: UKJ4 Kent

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 662 400,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 662 400,00 GBP

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting****Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** 3

**Lot No:** 3

**Title:**

Soft Form and Leisure Breast Prostheses

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

## **V.2. Award of contract**

### **V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Amoena (UK) Ltd

Town: Eastleigh

NUTS code: UKJ3 Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Anita UK Ltd

Town: Milton Keynes

NUTS code: UKJ12 Milton Keynes

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd

Town: Tunbridge Wells

NUTS code: UKJ4 Kent

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Trulife Ltd

Town: Sheffield

NUTS code: UKE32 Sheffield

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Womanzone (UK) Ltd

Town: Wigan

NUTS code: UKD4 Lancashire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 207 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 207 000,00 GBP

### **V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

## **Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** 4

**Lot No:** 4

**Title:**

Bras

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

**V.2. Award of contract**

**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

**V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 12

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Amoena (UK) Ltd

Town: Eastleigh

NUTS code: UKJ3 Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Anita UK Ltd

Town: Milton Keynes

NUTS code: UKJ12 Milton Keynes

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Eurosurgical Ltd

Town: Guildford

NUTS code: UKJ2 Surrey, East and West Sussex

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: H&R Healthcare Ltd

Town: Kingston-upon-Hull

NUTS code: UKE11 Kingston upon Hull, City of

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Haddenham Healthcare Ltd

Town: Long Crendon

NUTS code: UKJ13 Buckinghamshire CC

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Healthcare 21 (UK) Limited

Town: Cork  
NUTS code: IE05 Southern  
Country: Ireland  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Medasun Limited  
Town: Stourbridge  
NUTS code: UKG3 West Midlands  
Country: United Kingdom  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Nagor Limited  
Town: Douglas  
NUTS code: UKZ Extra-Regio NUTS 1  
Country: United Kingdom  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Theya Healthcare  
Town: Dublin  
NUTS code: IE061 Dublin  
Country: Ireland  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd  
Town: Tunbridge Wells  
NUTS code: UKJ4 Kent  
Country: United Kingdom  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Trulife Limited  
Town: Sheffield  
NUTS code: UKE32 Sheffield  
Country: United Kingdom  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Womanzone (UK) Ltd  
Town: Wigan  
NUTS code: UKD4 Lancashire  
Country: United Kingdom  
The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 160 000,00 GBP  
Total value of the contract/lot: 160 000,00 GBP

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

**Contract No:** 5

**Lot No:** 5

**Title:**

Accessories for Bras and Prostheses

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

### **V.2. Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

#### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Amoena (UK) Ltd

Town: Eastleigh

NUTS code: UKJ3 Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Anita UK Ltd

Town: Milton Keynes

NUTS code: UKJ12 Milton Keynes

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd

Town: Tunbridge Wells

NUTS code: UKJ4 Kent

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Thuasne UK Ltd

Town: Sheffield

NUTS code: UKE32 Sheffield

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

#### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Womanzone (UK) Ltd

Town: Wigan

NUTS code: UKD4 Lancashire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 13 600,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 13 600,00 GBP

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

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

Official name: CPP LPP

Town: Sheffield

Postal code: S4 2UQ

Country: United Kingdom

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

12/02/2021