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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-international-development/about/procurement>

I.2) Joint procurement

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://supplierportal.dfid.gov.uk/selfservice/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://supplierportal.dfid.gov.uk/selfservice/>

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

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

Other activity: International Development

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:

Health Pooled Fund 3
Reference number: 7990

II.1.2) Main CPV code

75211200

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description:

The UK Department for International Development (DFID) is seeking to appoint a supplier to effectively manage and deliver the 'Health Pooled Fund 3 (HPF3)' programme in South Sudan.

The Supplier or a consortium of Suppliers will deliver all Fund Manager services for HPF3 as set out in the procurement documents to ensure the provision of essential and equitable healthcare through a network of state-run health facilities augmented with outreach activities and community level care to people in more remote areas.

The HPF3 programme is part of the Essential Services portfolio. This programme will effectively merge two current health programmes - Health Pooled Fund 2 (HPF2) which provides healthcare at health facility level and the Integrated Community Case Management 2 (ICCM2) programme which provides healthcare to children under-five within more remote communities. This will be a multi-donor programme with existing HPF2 donors expected to continue their support.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 69 750 000.00 GBP

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title:

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code: UKM95

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

The Supplier will be expected to manage the delivery of all parts of the programme alongside providing specialist technical assistance on priority areas set out below. The Supplier will contract NGO implementing partners to deliver activities on the ground .

The programme will be implemented in eight out of the former 10 states in South Sudan, namely: Western Bahr el Ghazal, Northern Bahr el Ghazal, Unity, Lakes, Warrap, and Eastern, Central and Western Equatorias. Suppliers should propose how they would efficiently and effectively manage the delivery of health services and outreach activities to facilities and communities in the eight target states.

The supplier will be required to provide effective programme management and specialist technical assistance. The supplier will be required to manage disbursement of funds for NGO implementing partners and funds for pharmaceutical procurement collectively amounting to a value of £376.5 million (excluding procurement of vaccines, misoprostol, malaria treatments, therapeutic foods and family planning commodities which will be handled by other partners)

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

Value excluding VAT: 69 750 000.00 GBP

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 90

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: yes

Description of options:

DFID will award a contract for an initial term of 60 months. The contract will include extension options of up to an additional 30 months. DFID reserves the right to scale back or discontinue this programme at any point in line with the Terms and Conditions. DFID may also scale up the programme should it prove to be having a strong impact and has the potential to yield better results

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

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 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:

Mandatory and discretionary exclusion, economic and financial standing, technical and professional ability, modern slavery act 2015 requirements, minimum insurance requirements, tenderers past performance, duty of care, international aid transparency initiative, confirmation of having signed up to the UN Global Compact, acceptance of DFID terms and conditions, and DFID statement of priorities and expectations / code of conduct, as outlined in document in the tender documentation.

A Tenderer must meet the selection criterion in relation to reliability namely that DFID must be satisfied that (i) the contracts on the list to be provided by the Tenderer have been satisfactorily performed in accordance with their terms or,

(ii) where that has not occurred, the reason or reasons why that has not occurred in relation to any such contract, will not recur in the performance of the contract to be awarded.

A Tenderer that fails to meet this selection criterion will not proceed further in this competition.

The contract will be governed by English Law. Prices must be quoted in GBP. All payments for the contract will be made in GBP Sterling. DFID reserves the right to annul the process at any point and not award the contract. Legal form to be taken by the grouping of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded - Joint and several liabilities. DFID reserves the right to require joint ventures to form a single legal entity.

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.1.5) Information about reserved contracts

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.1) Information about a particular profession

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:

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**

IV.1.4) **Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

IV.1.6) **Information about electronic auction**

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**

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

Date: 11/04/2018

Local time: 10:00

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

IV.2.7) **Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 11/04/2018

Local time: 10:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) **Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2) **Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) **Additional information:**

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

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VI.4.2) **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

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

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

28/02/2018