

Description

NHS North East London Integrated Care Board 'the ICB' (under delegated commissioning on behalf of NHS England) is seeking to procure GP Primary Medical Services and additional services under APMS Contracts delivered from the following sites:

- **Lot 1** – Main Site - 5 Elms Medical Centre, Five Elms Lane, Dagenham, RM9 5TT & Branch Site - Victoria Medical Centre, 1 Queens Road, Barking, IG11 8GD
- **Lot 2** - Main Site - Rainham Health Centre, Upminster Road South, North Rainham, RM13 9AB and Branch Site - Upminster Medical Centre, 224-226 St. Mary's Lane, Upminster, RM14 3DH.
- **Lot 3** – Becontree Medical Centre, 645 Becontree Avenue, Dagenham, RM8 3HP
- **Lot 4** – The Firs Surgery - 26 Stephenson Road, Walthamstow, London, E17 7JT
- **Lot 5** – The Forest Surgery – 2 Macdonald Road, Walthamstow, London, E17 4BA
- **Lot 6** – Beam Park Health Centre – New Road, Dagenham, RM9 6DE (zero-list new development)

- **Lot 7** – Barking Riverside Medical Centre – Merz Road, Barking Riverside, IG11 0DS. (This address is subject to final confirmation)

The contracts will have an initial term of 5 years (60 months), followed by an optional extension of 5 years (60 months) at the discretion of the commissioner, and followed by a further optional extension of up to 5 years (60 months) at the discretion of the commissioner. If all available extension is taken up in full the contract will have a maximum duration of 15 years (180 months).

Contract values within this notice are indicative.

This is a Prior Information Notice to notify potential providers of the future procurement and to allow providers with sufficient opportunity to become accredited providers on the NHS England APMS PDPS (see details below) in order to be eligible to participate in the upcoming procurement process.

This accreditation can be gained by applying to join the PDPS - please refer to the instructions at the following link:

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/6f4aae1b-7289-4b78-88eb-f5d36757f21c>

For the avoidance of doubt, only those organisations accredited on the PDPS under the London Lot (Lot 1.3) will be invited to participate in the procurement.

No Contracts notice will be published for this procurement as this will be a procurement under an existing dynamic purchasing system. The services in the scope of this procurement fall within Schedule 3 to the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 ("the Regulations") which are not subject to the full regime of the Regulations, but is instead governed by the "Light Touch Regime" contained within Chapter 3, Section 7 of the Regulations (Regulations 74 to 77).

Attachments

Links

- <https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/6f4aae1b-7289-4b78-88eb-f5d36757f21c>
- Bidding documents
- PDPS advert and associated link to apply for accreditation
- <https://forms.gle/8uikgyRpkPzbsbUF8>
- Market Engagement Questionnaire (Deadline 21 February 2023)
- <https://procontract.due-north.com/Register>
- Bidding documents
- Portal for call-off. Accredited Bidders must have a registered account on this portal before they can be invited to bid at the call off stage.

Additional text

The ICB intends to undertake a further competition/call-off under the existing NHS England APMS PDPS (DPS under the Light Touch Regime) for the subsequent procurement. Neither the use of PIN, a Further Competition stage, a DPS, nor the use of any language or terms found in the Regulations, nor the description of the procedure voluntarily adopted by the Authority nor any other indication, shall be taken to mean that the Authority intends to hold itself bound by the Regulations, save those applicable to services coming within the scope of Regulations 74 to 77

The procurement call-off is expected to be published in late March 2023. In order to ensure that providers have their application submissions to join the PDPS evaluated in time for inclusion in the further competition, they should submit their PDPS applications as soon as possible and, in any event, before 3rd March 2023.

Applications received after this date may not be evaluated prior to the further competition publication and therefore the providers that are not accredited before the call-off publication will not be eligible to take part in the call-off process.

For the avoidance of doubt, only those organisations that are accredited on the PDPS by the call-off publication date will be invited to participate in the procurement.

Please direct any questions to the following email address: nelcsu.apms.pdps@nhs.net

Lot 1: A single APMS contract with delivery of services from two sites Main Site - 5 Elms Medical Centre, Five Elms Lane, Dagenham, RM9 5TT & Branch Site - Victoria Medical Centre, 1 Queens Road, Barking, IG11 8GD. The contract start date is 01 January 2024 with the contract end date of 31 December 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). The estimated contract value Incl. NIS: Lot 1 is £878,733.41 annually or £13,181,001.15 over 15 years.

Primary Medical Services to two newly merged lists with a combined registered list of 9,278 patients (weighted list 8,587.65) - to be

delivered from both the two practices' existing sites.
NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 2: A single APMS contract with delivery of services from two sites Main Site - Rainham Health Centre, Upminster Road South, North Rainham, RM13 9AB and Branch Site - Upminster Medical Centre, 224-226 St. Mary's Lane, Upminster, RM14 3DH. The contract start date is 01 January 2024 with the contract end date of 31 December 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). The estimated contract value Incl. NIS: Lot 2 is £889,733.41 annually or £13,348,003.95 over 15 years.

Primary Medical Services to two newly merged lists with a combined registered list of 9,089 patients (weighted list 8,703.14) - to be delivered from both the two practices' existing sites.

NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 3: A single APMS contract with delivery of services from one site; Becontree Medical Centre, 645 Becontree Avenue, Dagenham, RM8 3HP. The contract start date is 01 January 2024 with the contract end date of 31 December 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). The estimated contract value Incl. NIS: Lot 3 is £699,350.08 annually or £10,490,251.20 over 15 years.

Primary Medical Services from one site with a registered list of 7,384 patients (weighted list 6,834.58). NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 4: A single APMS contract with delivery of services from one site; The Firs Surgery, 26 Stephenson Road, Walthamstow, London, E17 7JT. The contract start date is 01 January 2024 with the contract end date of 31 December 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). The estimated contract value Incl. NIS: Lot 4 is £728,007.99 annually or £10,920,119.80 over 15 years.

Primary Medical Services from one site with a registered list of 7,730 patients (weighted list 7,113.70). NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 5: A single APMS contract with delivery of services from one site; The Forest Surgery, 2 Macdonald Road, Walthamstow, London, E17 4BA. The contract start date is 01 January 2024 with the contract end date of 31 December 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). The estimated contract value Incl. NIS: Lot 5 is £676,964.57 annually or £10,154,468.55 over 15 years.

Primary Medical Services from one site with a registered list of 7,189 patients (weighted list 6,614.91). NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 6: A new single APMS contract with delivery of services from one site on a new development; The Beam Park Medical Centre, New Road, Dagenham, RM9 6DE. The initial contract start date is 1 April 2024 with the contract end date of 31 March 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer). This start date is subject to slippage dictated by the availability of the new premises occupancy.

This is a new development zero-list contract for the delivery of Primary Medical Services. Baseline contract value until list size reaches 2,930 patients is £281,000. Contract value then raises in line with list size. NEL Procurement & Contracting Hub is conducting this procurement exercise for and on behalf of the ICB.

Lot 7: A new single APMS contract with delivery of services from one site on a new development area; The Barking Riverside Medical Centre - Merz Road, Barking Riverside, IG11 0DS. (This is subject to final confirmation)

The contract start date is projected to be early 2024 with the contract end date of 2029 (not inclusive of 5+5 extension options that will be included in the contract offer).

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The purpose of this PIN is to inform the market of a possible procurement. In issuing this PIN and engaging with the market, the Authority is not committing to carrying out any procurement.
