

Pressure redistribution equipment, mattresses and cushions

Contract duration: 03/04/2013–31/12/2017



North of England
Commercial Procurement Collaborative

Agreement

This framework agreement is for the provision of pressure redistribution equipment, mattresses and cushions (static & dynamic) including repair, decontamination and disposal of these products.

18 suppliers provide all or part of four individual lots:

- Lot 1 – Purchase of pressure relieving equipment
(including an optional auditing service)
- Lot 2 – Rental/lease of pressure relieving equipment
- Lot 3 – Decontamination, servicing and repair
- Lot 4 – Disposal and incineration



Background

Current expenditure on mattresses from members over the last 12 months was in the region of £2m but as spend was fragmented the total spend was expected to be much higher. Expenditure on decontamination was not identified.

A previous mattresses contract had expired and a temporary product trialling agreement which was in place with 3 companies (Recticel, Park House and Direct Healthcare) was due to expire 31st March 2013.

It was felt that savings could be made across the region by procuring a framework which encompassed the different pressure area care requirement from purchase and rental through to decontamination and disposal of end of life products.

The contract is broken into four separate lots:

- Lot 1 – Purchase of pressure relieving equipment (including an optional auditing service)
- Lot 2 – Rental / lease of pressure relieving equipment
- Lot 3 – Decontamination, servicing and repair
- Lot 4 – Disposal and incineration

Benefits

- Cash releasing savings
- Immediate inclusion of new technologies on the framework
- OJEU compliant framework agreement
- Ongoing NOE CPC support throughout the life of the agreement.

Appointed suppliers

- Arjo UK Ltd (formerly Arjo Huntleigh UK)
- Bartram Associates Ltd

- Direct Healthcare Services Ltd
- Drive DeVilbiss Healthcare Ltd (formerly Park House Healthcare Ltd)
- Drive DeVilbiss Sidhill Ltd (formerly Sidhil Limited)
- Frontier Medical Group
- Gerald Simonds Healthcare Ltd
- Harvest Healthcare Ltd
- Healthcare Environmental Services Ltd
- Hill-Rom
- Invacare Limited
- IQ Medical Ltd (formerly Shelden Healthcare Ltd)
- Karomed Limited
- Linet UK
- Millbrook Healthcare
- Sumed International UK Ltd
- Talley Group Ltd

Any questions?

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