



DPS Benefits

- Easy access to a range of solutions to meet the changing needs of public sector bodies
- Flexibility for customers and suppliers
- Free access to a DPS that will save procurement time and cost
- Proven suppliers across a range of specialisms
- Compliance and good governance
- Suppliers can apply to join the DPS at any time, enabling compliant contracting
- Fully compliant with UK and EU regulations

Commercial Procurement Services

The provision of Audit & Assurance Services Multi Supplier National Dynamic Purchasing System
Reference DPS07/AUD/20/IB
Find a Tender Service Notice ref: 2021/S 000-002416

What...

The Countess of Chester Hospital Commercial Procurement Services has awarded a multi-supplier, multi-Lot national dynamic purchasing system for the provision of Audit and Assurance Services. This DPS will deliver compliance and assurance that good governance practices are followed. The Lots are:

- Lot 1 Internal audit & assurance
- Lot 2 External audit
- Lot 3 Counter-fraud & investigation
- Lot 4 Other independent assurance

Who...

The DPS offers a fully compliant route for all UK Public Sector bodies. Services are offered by a wide range of providers. New suppliers can apply to join the DPS at any time.

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How...

The DPS will operate for a period of four years. Users must run a completely electronic further competition inviting all capable suppliers to take part. The high-level process is:

- 1 Develop a Statement of Needs / initial Project Specification
- 2 Decide approach to selecting Suppliers
- 3 Participant workshops / Pre-competition engagement (optional)
- 4 Develop the Call for Competition Bid Pack
- 5 Supplier Capability Assessment
- 6 Issue a Call for Competition
- 7 Evaluate tenders
- 8 Provide feedback and evaluation scores to Suppliers
- 9 Request a Unique Reference Number
- 10 Award the contract to the successful supplier and confirm the award to Commercial Procurement Services