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Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

It would be greatly appreciated if you could please provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the Clinical Waste Contract/s that your trust currently has in place.

Clarification: this refers to both Healthcare Related Waste (including Clinical Waste) contract and, Reusable Sharps waste contract

Please note – contract for healthcare (including clinical waste) is below – Reusable sharps is a separate contract, this is out to tender evaluation and therefore information cannot be shared at this point.

Please note – healthcare includes general waste as well

The details we require are as follows:

- Suppliers who applied for inclusion on each framework/contract and were successful and not successful at the PQQ & ITT stages no PQQ stage, ITT included 1. General – Biffa, Veolia and Mitie 2. Healthcare Veolia cliniwaste, Mitie, Sharpsmart, SRCL Veolia won both general and healthcare
- Actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub lots), from the start of the contract to the current date estimated annual spend is General 183k per annum and healthcare 439k per annum
- Start date and duration of framework/contract 1/6/23 to 31/11/25 with 2 x 12 months options to extend
- Could you please provide a copy of the service/product specification given to all bidders for when this contract was last advertised? Attached is the spec used at tender
- Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension? Yes two times 12 months
- Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed? Too soon to make that decision
- Does the Trust make use of reusable or disposable sharps containers and who is the service provider? Current provider is Sharpsmart – this tender is at evaluation stage. Two bids received Sharpsmart and SRCL

See attached Staff Structure Chart for all available names and contacts within the Trust

- Who is the Senior Officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract + contact information
- Who is the Infection Control Lead responsible for the Trust + contact information
- Who is the Procurement Lead for Clinical Waste contracts for the Trust + contact information
- Who is the Environmental/Sustainability Lead for the Trust + contact information
- Who is the Waste Management Lead for the Trust + contact information
- Who is the Health and Safety Lead for the Trust + contact information
- Who is the current Clinical Waste incumbent (service provider)?

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