

Ex-ante publicity notice in negotiated procurement procedure

Subject: “Evaluation of two Disease Programmes: Influenza and other Respiratory Viruses Programme (IRV) and Food and Waterborne Diseases and zoonoses (FWD)” – NP/2018/OCS/9745

Short description

The purpose of the assignment is to conduct the evaluation of two disease programmes of ECDC:

- Food- and waterborne diseases and zoonoses Programme – <https://ecdc.europa.eu/en/about-us/who-we-are/disease-programmes/food-and-waterborne-diseases-and-zoonoses-programme>
- Influenza and other Respiratory Viruses Programme – <https://ecdc.europa.eu/en/about-us/who-we-are/disease-programmes/influenza-and-other-respiratory-viruses-programme>

This will be an interim evaluation of the programmes in order to assess how the programmes have been addressing current MS (Member States) needs, and fulfilling their objectives, and also to identify key areas for improvement to increase their added value, alignment with similar initiatives from the Commission and other international organisations working in the field, etc.

The evaluations will be based on a common assessment protocol, which includes key evaluation questions, indicators and data sources.

Description of the procedure:

This ex-ante publicity is the first stage of a negotiated procurement procedure below 135,000 euros with a minimum of 5 candidates, through which ECDC may award the above-mentioned contract.

All economic operators interested in providing the services described above should express their interest **before 7/11/2017, 16h00 CET**, by e-mail to tenders@ecdc.europa.eu with the same subject reference as indicated above.

In their expression of interest interested economic operators should demonstrate their ability to provide the relevant services and provide the following information:

- Name
- Address
- Contact person
- E-mail
- Description of main area of business/expertise (max 500 words)

This information will be taken into account by ECDC in order to identify potential candidates.

The Request for Offers and related documents will be provided by e-mail only to the identified candidates.

Please note that ECDC reserves the right not to launch the negotiated procedure.