



After Hours Service Procurement

A Note to respondents:

Please note an updated version of the procurement plan is available as a supporting document to this Registration of Interests - Version 1.3 dated 20th March 2015. This version supersedes version 1.2 dated 27th February 2015 that was previously circulated.

There have been three amendments to the procurement plan since version 1.2 that appear in version 1.3:

1. A minor correction to Appendix 1, Service Specifications, Section 13.1.2.14 Additional Obligations. The final bullet point in this section has been corrected to align with the information provided in the main body of the plan in section 7.1.3 service Objectives.

PREVIOUS TEXT:

- **Ensure patients are charged fees equally irrespective of enrolment status.**- Implementation of universal After hours fee structure across all providers in the network

REVISED TEXT:

- Ensure co-payments are reflective of GP co-payments – Co-payments consistent with 70% of local providers within a 5km radius.

2. An additional evaluation criterion has been included to evaluate sustainability aspects of the service as per the information requested from respondents. This has resulted in a slight adjustment to the weightings of all evaluation criterion.

Additional Criterion:

Demonstrates awareness of the key elements required to provide a sustainable service, this should include evidence of resource and capacity to ensure sustainability.

3. Section 13.1.3.1 Quality Framework Reporting Requirements, point c(II). The categories by age have been corrected to align with that listed in Section 13.1.3.

PREVIOUS TEXT:

(II) by age (Under 6, 6-12, 13-17, 18-64, 65+)

REVISED TEXT:

(II) by age (under 13, 14-17, 18-65, 65+)