

Membership of the Hub

Benefits Summary (1)



Aggregated Collaborative Procurement

The Hub offers:

- A regional procurement work plan focused on delivering quality products and services at the lowest available price.
- Cash releasing savings opportunities.
- Market management and category specialism in key clinical/non-clinical spend areas.
- Regional stakeholder group management.
- Access to frameworks from the three other NHS hubs.

Contract Management

The Hub offers:

- On going contract management and benefits realisation.
- Development of key supplier relationships and market management.
- Continued benefits realisation.

Pharmacy

The Hub offers:

- A dedicated pharmacy team to work on an agreed pharmacy work plan with all East of England NHS organisations and in conjunction with existing pharmacy networks.

Clinical Procurement Support

The Hub offers:

- A dedicated clinical procurement resource focused on supporting the development, award, implementation and uptake of contracts at Trust and regional level.
- Provision of bespoke product evaluation solutions and clinical implementation plans.
- Support for national priorities which aim to reduce clinical risk, support innovation and new technology and deliver best outcomes for patients and staff.

Engagement and Stakeholder Management

The Hub offers:

- A link to a range of NHS organisations by leading and supporting project stakeholder groups.
- Engagement strategies to maximise input and outcomes for procurement projects.
- Links to the Department of Health, NHS Supply Chain, Crown Commercial Service and other national organisations enabling input into national projects.

Training and Education

The Hub offers:

- Access to specialist seminars and procurement training for Trust teams on a range of subjects.
- Specialist training for CCGs and CSUs.
- Conferences and briefings on specific subject areas.

Delivering real value for

the NHS in the East of England

Working to deliver procurement benefits for NHS Trusts in Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire, Essex, Hertfordshire, Norfolk and Suffolk

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