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# EU4Health Programme

Health and Digital Executive Agency (HaDEA)



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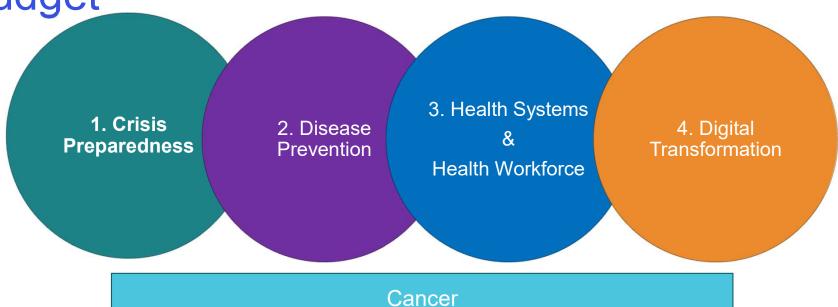


#### Public Procurement – main features

## Purchase of works, supplies and services by public bodies

- Initiative and control lie entirely with the contracting authority who produces the detailed specifications.
- The results of the action remain the property of the contracting authority.
- The contractor's invoice is only paid in exchange of the delivered services, as per the contract signed by both parties.

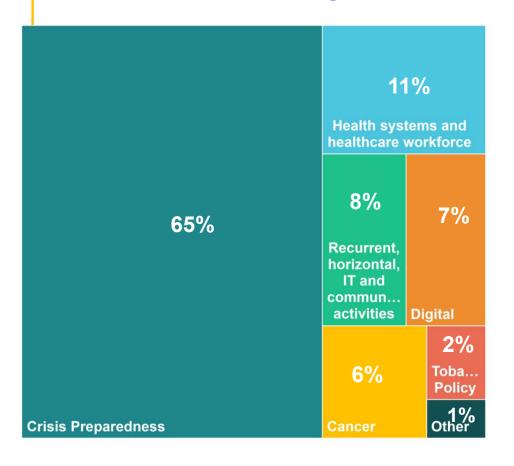
Annual Work Programme – Strands and budget \_\_\_\_



Total Budget Available under Annual Work Programme 2023 (grants and procurements): EUR 735.79 million



#### Annual Work Programme 2023 – Procurement budget



The budget allocated to procurement procedures under the AWP 2023 of the EU4Health is of 176.4 million EUR and it accounts for 24.6% of the total indicative budget.



#### Procurements – which contracts in HaDEA?

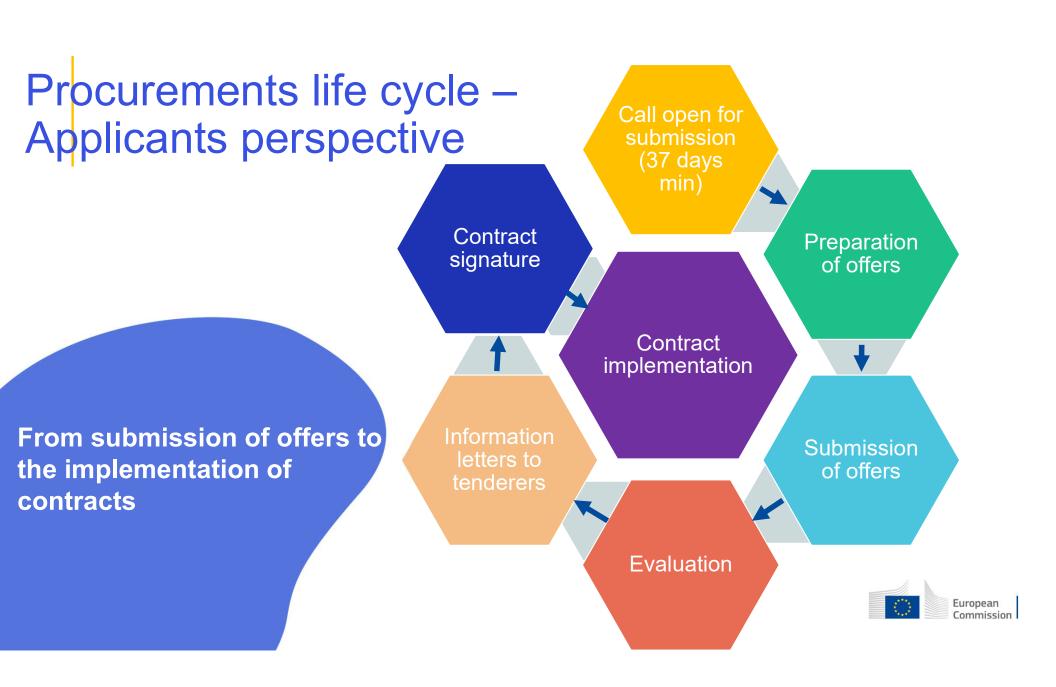
#### **Direct contracts**

Any economic operator who is interested may submit a tender.

# Framework contract specific contract

Establishes the general outline of the services or supplies to be delivered. Requires an additional step to make the actual purchase, i.e. a request for service. The invitation to submit a tender is only sent to the economic operators that are part of the framework contract.





# Prepare and submit your offer (open procedure)



#### **Publication of calls**

Ted eTendering is the EU institutions' eProcurement platform based on EU Directives on public procurement.

Allows free electronic access to call documents for tenders such as contractual documentation, technical specifications, annexes, questions and answers, etc.





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#### What is TED eTendering?

TED eTendering is an EU institutions' eProcurement platform based on EU Directives on public procurement. Allowing free electronic access to call for tenders' documents such as contractual documentation, technical specifications, annexes, questions and answers etc., TED eTendering effectively represents an added-value extension to TED (Tenders Electronic Daily), the online version of the "Supplement to the Official Journal of the European Union".

How can I benefit from TED eTendering?

TED eTendering provides free electronic access to calls for tenders published by EU institutions, agencies and other bodies. It is integrated and synchronized with TED eNotices and TED website, where public procurement notices are published.

TED eTendering users can benefit from the following services:

#### **Contracting Authorities**

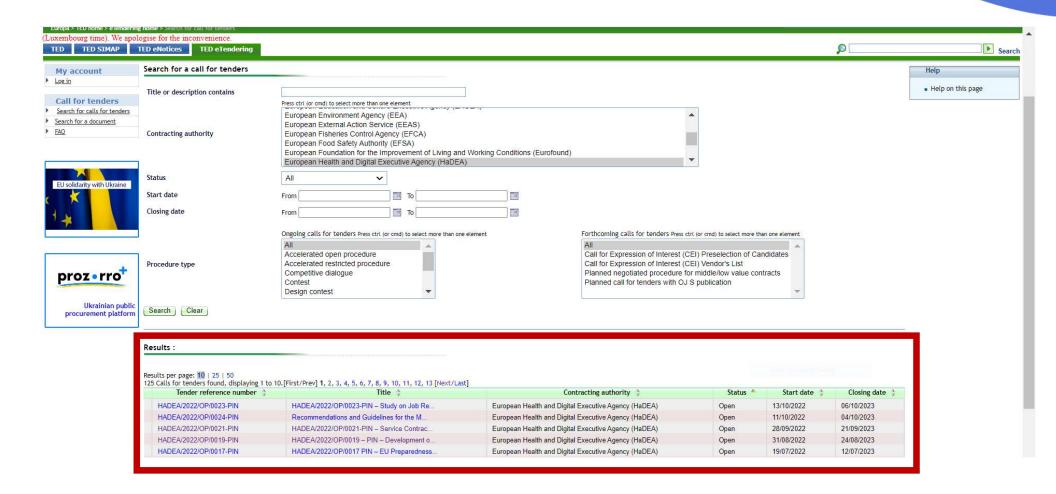
- A collaborative eProcurement environment for preparing and publishing call for tenders' documentation
- Easy management of the preparation and publication of questions and answers
- Synchronization with the contract notice filled in on TED eNotices and published on TED website
- Automatic publication of the call for tenders on the same day as the contract notice
- Generation of reports, statistics on documents downloaded, subscribers etc.
- Possibility to publish calls for tenders for all types of procedures, even lower value procedures independently form TED website

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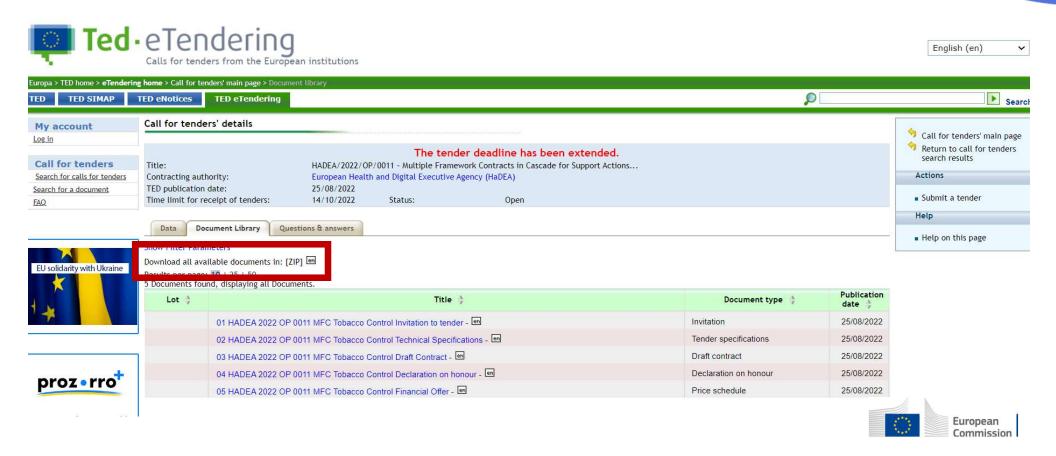
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## Calls are open for submission

#### Download all the relevant documents



#### Tender specifications

Tenderers should **read carefully** the tender specifications, which include:

- Description of the service / supply to be purchased by the contracting authority
- Procedure used for the procurement (open / restricted / competitive with negotiation)
- Minimum requirements, selection and exclusion criteria
- Award criteria
- List of documents that the tenderer will need to submit with its offer



#### General information on tendering

- Economic operators can submit a tender either as a sole tenderer or as a group of tenderers.
- A joint tender is a situation where a tender is submitted by a group (with or without legal form) of economic operators regardless of the link they have between them. The group as a whole is considered a tenderer.



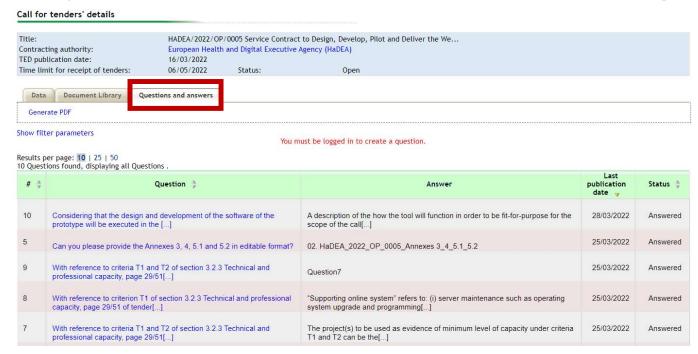
#### Sub-contracting

- Subcontracting is the situation where the contractor enters into legal commitments with other
  economic operators which will perform part of the contract on its behalf. The contractor
  retains full liability towards the Contracting authority.
- All contractual tasks may be subcontracted unless the Technical specifications expressly reserve
  the execution of certain critical tasks to the sole tenderer itself, or in case of a joint tender, to a
  member of the group.
- Tenderers are required to give an indication of the proportion of the contract that they intend
  to subcontract, as well as to identify and describe briefly the envisaged contractual
  roles/tasks of subcontractors meeting any of these conditions for performance of the contract as
  a whole.
- Any such subcontractor must provide the tenderer with a commitment letter.
- Changes concerning subcontractors identified in the tender (withdrawal/replacement of a subcontractor, additional subcontracting) during the procurement procedure (after the submission deadline and before contract signature) require the prior written approval of the Contracting authority subject to verifications.



#### Questions and answers

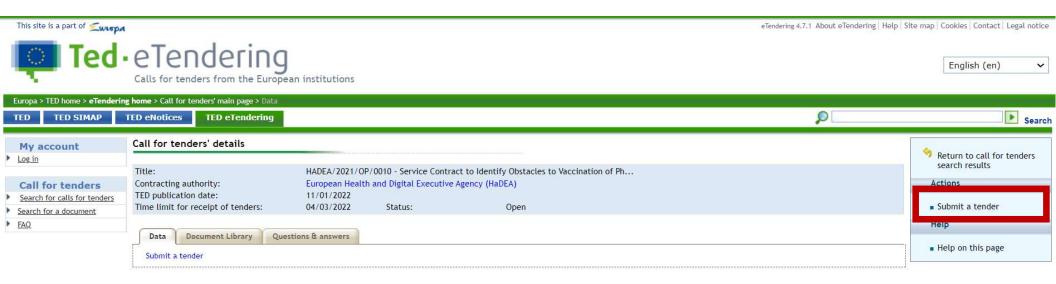
- Contacts with tenderers are forbidden!
- The only tool available is the Q&A section on e-Tendering





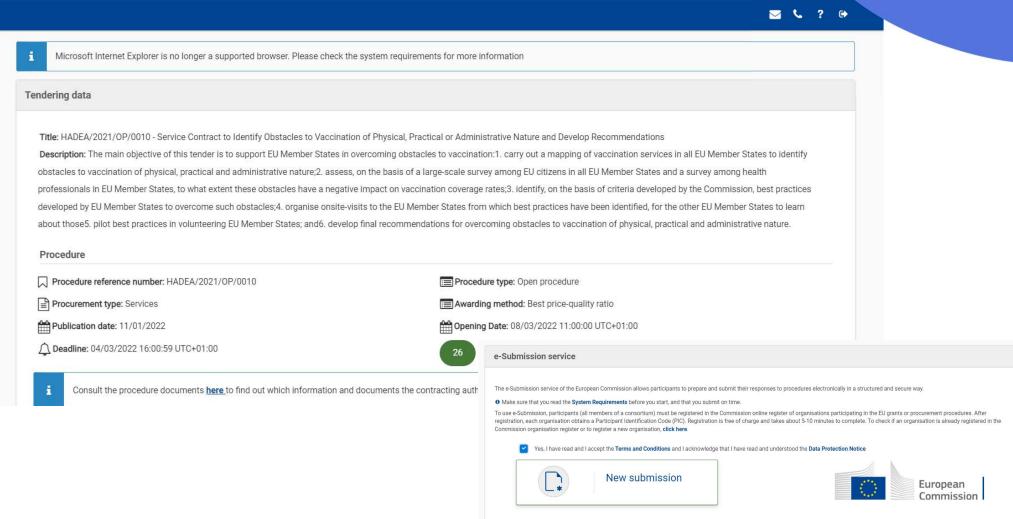
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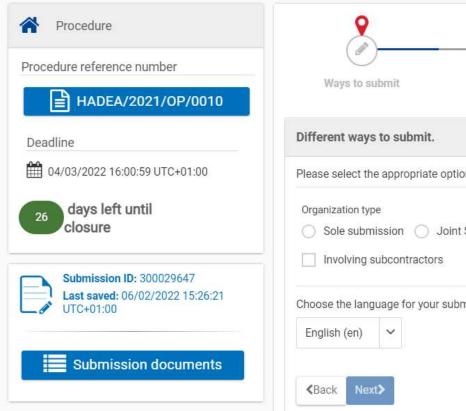


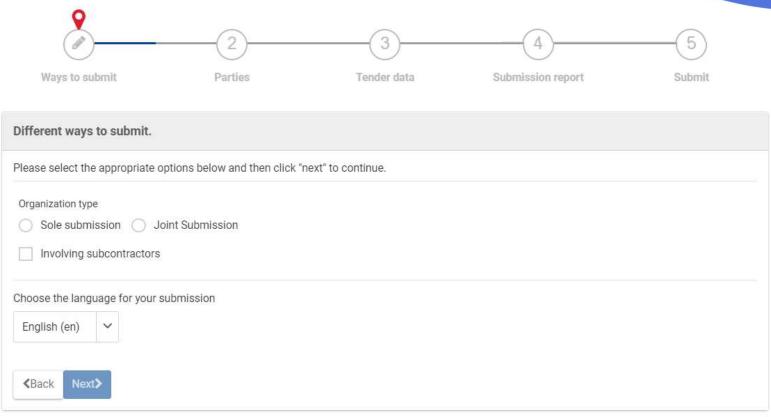














**Evaluation** 

#### Evaluation of tenders

- The evaluation of the tenders that comply with the submission conditions consists of the following elements:
  - Check if the tenderer has access to procurement (see Section 2.2)
  - Verification of administrative compliance (e.g. signed by duly authorised representative(s)
    of the tenderer)
  - Verification of non-exclusion of tenderers on the basis of the exclusion criteria
  - Selection of tenderers on the basis of selection criteria
  - Verification of compliance with the minimum requirements defined in the tender specifications
  - Evaluation of tenders on the basis of the award criteria



#### Exclusion & selection criteria

- The objective of the exclusion criteria is to assess whether the tenderer is in any of the exclusion situations listed in Article 136(1) of the Financial Regulation. As evidence of non-exclusion each tenderer needs to submit with its tender a Declaration on Honour (Annex 2)
- The objective of the selection criteria is to assess whether the tenderer has:
  - Legal and regulatory capacity
  - Economic and financial capacity
  - Technical and professional capacity



#### Informing the tenderers

- ALL tenderers are informed about the results of the procedure, whether they are successful or unsuccessful
- The letter will include the outcomes of the assessment of the offer they have submitted



#### Contract signature

- The successful tenderer will receive the contract for their signature
- HaDEA uses QES (qualified electronic signature)
- If the contractor does not have QES, they will have to sign in blue ink and send the signed contract to HaDEA for a countersignature
- The contract enters into force when both parties will have signed it



## Open calls

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# Current procedures still open for applications (budget 2022)

N.	Title	Amount (EUR)	Deadline for submit offers
1	Single Framework Contract to Provide Services to Support the Assessment of Characterising Flavours in Tobacco Products	3 000 000	11 April 2023



# Upcoming calls

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## 1. Crisis Preparedness (CP) - 1

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
CP-p-23-10	Table-top exercise on cross border health emergencies	1 000 000	Q2 2023
CP-p-23-15	Support to speed up the development of, access to and/or uptake of innovative technologies and critical medicines - vaccines	94 000 000	Q2 2023
CP-p-23-15	Support to speed up the development of, access to and/or uptake of innovative technologies and critical medicines – other MCMs	84 000 000	
CP-p-23-16	Support innovation and access to antimicrobials - coordination network	2 000 000	Q2 2023
CP-p-23-16	Support innovation and access to antimicrobials - <b>reserve capacities</b> for the production or access to targeted AM MCMs	20 000 000	Q2 2023



## 1. Crisis Preparedness (CP) - 2

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
CP-p-23-14	Support to the Commission on identifying priority threats and medical countermeasures	1 000 000	Q2 2023
CP-p-23-02	Feasibility study on integrated surveillance systems on Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) and antimicrobial use from the human, veterinary and plant production and environmental sectors	500 000	Q2 2023
CP-p-23-24	Purchase of medical countermeasures (MCM) in emergency situations (negotiated procedure)	?	?
CP-o-23-64	Support for the digital passenger locator form (EUdPLF) platform (negotiated procedure)	300 000	N/A



#### 2. Health systems and healthcare workforce (HS)

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
HS-p-23-61	Building capacity and knowledge in preparation of the implementation of Health Technology Assessment (HTA) Regulation	1 000 000	Q2 2023



## 3. Cancer (CR)

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
CR-p-23-39	Evaluation study: Use of sunbeds and cancer risk	1 000 000	Q2 2023
CR-p-23-43	Study on the quality of life of cancer survivors	1 500 000	Q2 2023
CR-HS-p-23-54	Capacity building to support the uptake of biosimilars in a multi-stakeholder approach	1 500 000	N/A



## 4. Digital (DI)

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
DI-p-23-74	Operations of MyHealth@EU core services - Training of Member States experts on the functioning of MyHealth@EU	500 000	Q2 2023
DI-p-23-81	Capacity building for secondary uses of health data for the European Health Data Space	1 500 000	Q2 2023



#### 5. Mental Health

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
AWP 2022	Training and exchange programmes for health professionals on promoting and preventing MH problems, improved screening and management of mental health conditions (inter-specialty training programme)	7 500 000	Q2 2023

#### 6. Recurrent activities - other

AWP code	Title	Amount (EUR)	Launch (tentative)
	Study on confidence on vaccination of general population and health professionals	500 000	N/A



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