

Serco launches tenders for MRI and CT scanners at Fiona Stanley Hospital

Serco launched the first two of a series of multi-million dollar tender packages to the market today (21 December), with a request for quotes for Fiona Stanley Hospital's new MRI and CT scanners.

Serco is seeking bids from suppliers that offer the best equipment to help save the lives of local patients – equipment that is advanced, flexible, high quality and can respond to changing needs in technology and health. Serco is particularly keen to hear from suppliers based in WA.

The specifications for these critical pieces of life-enhancing equipment have been developed in consultation with local clinicians, and WA Health and clinicians will be involved throughout the selection process.

The timetable for the release of the first tender packages for Fiona Stanley Hospital's major medical equipment is:

Equipment group	Request for quote issued	Request for quote closed
MRI	21/12/11	25/01/12
CT	21/12/11	31/01/12
SPECT CT	22/12/11	27/01/12
PET/CT	22/12/11	03/02/12
Interventional Radiology / DSA	22/12/11	03/02/12
Bi-Plane Neuro	22/12/11	03/02/12
Fluoroscopy	23/12/11	30/01/12

For more information about the opportunities for supplying major medical equipment to Fiona Stanley Hospital, log on to the [Tenders WA website](#).

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Serco is a FTSE 100 international service company, which combines commercial know-how with a deep public service ethos. We improve services by managing people, processes, technology and assets more effectively. Our strategic advice comes from hands-on experience. We advise policy makers, design innovative solutions, integrate systems and – most of all – deliver front-line services that make a positive difference to customers and communities.

Serco has been delivering mission critical public services for more than 40 years. We support governments, agencies and companies in 30 countries who seek a trusted partner with a solid track record of providing assured service excellence. Globally our 100,000 employees deliver operational, management and consulting expertise in health, technology, science, education, transport, defence, justice, immigration, aviation and business process outsourcing.

Our 7,000 people in the Asia Pacific business operate in Australia, Hong Kong and New Zealand. Our customers have the dual benefits of global scale and local autonomy. One of our strengths is that we live locally, think locally, act locally, and are supported globally.

Serco provides health services in partnership with the UK National Health Service (NHS) and other health and social care organisations in a range of primary and community settings. For example, for Fiona Stanley Hospital, Serco is drawing on its healthcare expertise from its work with Norfolk and Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, NHS Forth Valley Acute Hospital, Wishaw General Hospital, and Guys and St Thomas Hospital NHS Foundation Trust.

In Australia, Serco's non-clinical health experience includes management of the Australian Defence Force medical equipment fleet repair, maintenance and calibration, as well as the pharmaceuticals and medical consumables supply chain. Serco supports all major Australian Defence Force hospitals, larger area health facilities, Royal Australian ships, and approximately 450 other customers. Serco has held this contract for over 10 years.

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In Western Australia, Serco also provides holistic primary healthcare, allied and non-clinical services to prisoners at Acacia Prison, the State's first prison to achieve an Australian General Practitioners Accreditation Licence. A recent report by the Office of the Inspector of Custodial Services concluded that Acacia presented the best prison health service in Western Australia. Serco also provides health services at Borallon Correctional Centre in Queensland.

More information can be found at www.serco-ap.com.au