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Dated 17th August, 2026

To

The Director (advertisement),
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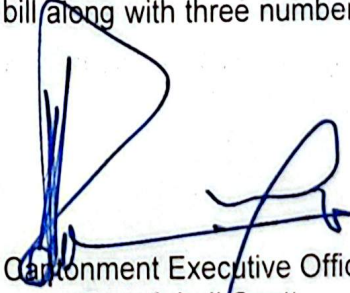
Subject: - **PUBLICATION OF NOTICE INVITING E-BIDDING FOR PROCUREMENT OF
MEDICINES, MEDICAL SUPPLIES, LABORATORY REAGENTS AND
ALLIED ITEMS FOR CANTT GENERAL HOSPITAL, RAWALPINDI CANTT**

Please publish the attached Notice Inviting E-Bidding in Lahore, Multan and Rawalpindi editions in English & Urdu Newspaper. Requirements are as under: -

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| i. | Position | Ordinary |
| ii. | Date of Publication (on or before) | 19-08-2026 |

2. Payment shall be made on receipt of bill along with three numbers of clippings of notice.

Encl:- (As Above)


Cantonment Executive Officer
Rawalpindi Cantt

Copy To:

Director (MIS),
Public Procurement Regulatory Authority,
1st Floor FBC Building, Near State Bank,
Sector G-5/2, Islamabad.

For uploading at PPRA web site



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NOTICE INVITING E-BIDDING SINGLE STAGE TWO ENVELOP
THROUGH E-PADS V2.0

Rawalpindi Cantonment Board, being the Procuring Agency, invites electronic bids from eligible and reputable manufacturers, authorized distributors, dealers, suppliers, pharmaceutical firms and medical supply firms for the procurement of medicines, medical supplies, laboratory reagents and allied items for Cantt General Hospital, Rawalpindi Cantt.

The procurement shall be conducted through Open Competitive Bidding under the Single Stage-Two Envelope Procedure, in accordance with Rule 36(b) of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004, as amended from time to time, through E-PADS V2.0.

The category-wise estimated costs are as follows:

S No.	Description	Estimated Cost in million	02% Earnest Money in Rs.	EPADS v2.0
1	Procurement of Life-Saving Medicines	8.519	170380	P56360
2	Procurement of CSSD/Laundry Items	2.189	43780	P89338
3	Procurement of Laboratory Items	10.087	201740	P89974
4	Procurement of Dental Items	4.737	94740	P89986
5	Procurement of Physiotherapy Items	0.727	14540	P89992
6	Procurement of Radiology Items	7.906	158120	P89995
7	Procurement of Routine Chemistry Laboratory Items	10.453	209060	P90004
8	Procurement of Special Chemistry and PCR Laboratory Items	10.137	202740	P90028
9	Procurement of Surgical/Disposable Items	15.304	306080	P90070

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Availability of Bidding Documents

Bidding documents shall be available exclusively on the PPRA and EPADS V2.0 portals. No hard copies shall be issued. Only vendors registered on EPADS V2.0 shall be eligible to participate.

2. Submission and Opening of Bids

E-bids, prepared in accordance with the instructions contained in the bidding documents, must be submitted electronically through EPADS V2.0 on or before:

Submission Deadline: 07-09-2026 at 11:00 AM

Technical bids shall be opened electronically on the same day at:

Opening Time: 07-09-2026 at 11:30 AM

3. EPADS Registration

Manual submission of bids shall not be entertained. Vendors not registered on EPADS V2.0 may register through **Vendor Registration Portal:** <https://vendors.epads.gov.pk>

EPADS Tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MNW6T38v7tc>

4. Grievance Redressal

In accordance with Rule 48 of PPRA Rules, 2004, a Grievance Redressal Committee (GRC) has been constituted. The relevant notification is available on the Procuring Agency's website and EPADS portal.

5. Procurement Method:

- i. The procurement shall be carried out through Open Competitive Bidding under the Single Stage–Two Envelope Procedure, in accordance with Rule 36(b) of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004.
- ii. Each bidder shall submit separate Technical and Financial Proposals electronically through the E-PADS V2.0 portal in the prescribed format. The Technical Proposals shall be opened and evaluated first in accordance with the eligibility requirements, technical specifications, qualification criteria and evaluation criteria contained in the bidding documents. The Financial Proposals of only those bidders who are declared technically responsive shall subsequently be opened and evaluated through E-PADS V2.0.
- iii. The Financial Proposals of technically non-responsive bidders shall remain unopened. The contract shall be awarded to the most advantageous responsive bidder, subject to fulfilment of all eligibility, technical, financial and contractual requirements and approval of the Competent Authority.
- iv. A separate bid may be submitted for one or more procurement categories, subject to the provisions of the bidding documents. Each category or lot shall be evaluated independently, unless otherwise specified in the bidding documents.
- v. The contract for each category shall be awarded to the most advantageous responsive bidder, subject to fulfilment of all eligibility, technical, financial and contractual requirements and approval of the Competent Authority.

6. Earnest Money

- i. Each bidder shall furnish Bid Security/Earnest Money equivalent to two per cent (2%) of the estimated cost of the category or lot for which the bid is submitted, unless otherwise specified in the bidding documents.
- ii. The Bid Security shall be furnished in the form of a Call Deposit Receipt issued by a scheduled bank in favour of the Cantonment Executive Officer, Rawalpindi Cantonment Board.
 - a. A scanned copy of the valid Call Deposit Receipt shall be uploaded with the electronic bid.
 - b. The original Call Deposit Receipt shall be submitted to the office of the Procuring Agency before the opening of the Technical Proposals, in accordance with the instructions contained in the bidding documents.
 - c. A bid submitted without the prescribed Bid Security, or with Bid Security that is deficient, invalid or not verifiable, shall be treated as non-responsive.

7. Mandatory Eligibility Criteria

The participating firms shall:

- a. Possess a valid Drug Sale Licence / Drug Distribution Licence (Category-A) issued by the competent authority on required product.
- b. Be registered with FBR and appear on the Active Taxpayers List (ATL) for Income Tax and Sales Tax.
- c. Have at least three (03) years' experiences in the supply of medicines to Government, Semi-Government, Armed Forces, Autonomous Bodies, Hospitals, or other reputable organizations.
- d. Submit an affidavit on judicial stamp paper confirming that the firm has never been blacklisted, suspended, or debarred by any Government, Semi-Government, Autonomous Body, or Regulatory Authority.
- e. Maintain adequate stock availability and ensure timely supply of medicines prescribed by authorized medical practitioners throughout the contract period.
- f. Provide medicines with valid manufacturing and expiry dates and comply with all applicable DRAP regulations and quality standards.
- h. All medicines supplied under the contract shall have a remaining shelf life of not less than twelve (12) months from the date of delivery.

8. Product Quality and Regulatory Compliance

- a. All medicines, reagents, chemicals, consumables and medical supplies shall conform to the specifications, standards and quality requirements prescribed in the bidding documents.
- b. Medicines and regulated products shall be duly registered with the Drug Regulatory Authority of Pakistan, wherever such registration is required.
- c. The bidder shall provide valid batch numbers, manufacturing dates, expiry dates, manufacturer details and product-registration information at the time of delivery.
- d. All supplied items shall be genuine, fresh, unused, properly packed and obtained through lawful and traceable supply channels.
- e. Counterfeit, spurious, substandard, adulterated, misbranded, damaged, expired or near-expiry items shall not be accepted.
- f. The Procuring Agency may obtain samples or arrange laboratory testing of the supplied items from an authorized laboratory. The testing cost shall be borne by the supplier where the supplied items are found to be non-compliant.
- g. Items requiring cold-chain storage or controlled temperature shall be transported and delivered under the prescribed temperature conditions. Documentary evidence of maintenance of the cold chain may be required.
- h. Medicines, reagents and other items having an expiry date shall ordinarily have a remaining shelf life of not less than 12 months from the date of delivery or such higher shelf life as may be specified in the bidding documents.
- i. In case of failure to supply any item within the stipulated period, the Procuring Agency may procure the item from an alternative source at the risk and cost of the defaulting supplier, in addition to any other action permissible under the contract and applicable rules.

- j. All supplies shall be subject to inspection, verification and acceptance by the duly constituted Inspection or Purchase Committee of Cantt General Hospital.
- k. Rejected items shall be removed and replaced by the supplier at its own cost within the period specified by the hospital administration.
- l. The quoted rates shall be inclusive of all applicable taxes, duties, levies, transportation, loading, unloading and incidental charges, unless otherwise expressly provided in the bidding documents.
- m. Prices shall remain firm and fixed during the validity of the bid and contract period.

9. Award of Contract

- i. The contract for each category or lot shall be awarded to the most advantageous responsive bidder in accordance with the Public Procurement Rules, 2004.
- ii. The Procuring Agency may increase or decrease the quantities at the time of award or during the contract period, subject to the applicable rules, availability of funds

10. Disqualification

- i. Any firm found to have submitted false information, forged documents, or misleading statements shall be disqualified and may be proceeded against under applicable laws and PPRA Rules.
- ii. Any firm that has been blacklisted, suspended, or debarred by any Government Department, Semi-Government Organization, Autonomous Body, Regulatory Authority, or Public Sector Entity shall not be eligible to participate in the bidding process. If such status is discovered at any stage of the procurement process or during the contract period, the bid/contract shall be liable to rejection or termination without any liability on the part of the procuring agency.

11. Additional Information

Detailed terms and conditions, specifications and evaluation criteria may be obtained from the PPRA and EPADS portals or inspected at the office of Rawalpindi Cantonment Board during working hours on any working day.

12. Right of Acceptance or Rejection

The Procuring Agency reserves the right to reject any or all bids at any time prior to acceptance of a bid in accordance with Rule 33(1) of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004, without assigning any reason.


Cantonment Executive Officer
Rawalpindi Cantt