

30.10.2024

Procurement Decision of The Pediatrics for 2025

Background and basis for the Decision

The purpose of this procurement is to acquire an online subscription to The Pediatrics online only (ISSN 1098-4275), which is required and utilized by the Wellbeing counties listed in Appendix 1.

According to the Finnish Act on Public Procurement and Concession Contracts (1397/2016; Procurement Act), state and municipal authorities, as well as other contracting entities, are required to conduct competitive tendering for their procurements and concession contracts as stipulated in the Act. SOTE Virtuaalikirjasto Oy, as an institution of public law as defined in the Act, adheres to these regulations.


The price was requested by email on August 28, 2024. A quote was received on September 6, 2024, and it met the established eligibility requirements.

American Academy of Pediatrics is the only publisher that can provide the electronic resource in question.

Procurement Decision

SOTE Virtuaalikirjasto has decided to purchase The Pediatrics online only (ISSN 1098-4275), on behalf of the Wellbeing counties listed in the Appendix 1 for a duration of 12 months in accordance with the offer from the American Academy of Pediatrics.

The total estimated value of the acquisition for the period of January 1, 2025, to December 31, 2025, USD 24 690,00 and EUR 22 819,97 according to Finland's Bank exchange rate on 30.10.2024 (VAT 0%).



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APPENDIX 1 Organizations subscribing Pediatrics for 2025