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Contract

Eye Care Services at HMP Swansea

NHS Wales SHARED SERVICES PARTNERSHIP

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Eye Care Services at HMP Swansea

Reference number

SBU-ITT-51315-013-AM-22

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85160000 - Optician services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The aim of this service is to provide a safe, efficient and cost-effective patient centred ophthalmic service to the patient population of HMP Swansea that is comparable to the care delivered by NHS ophthalmic practices in the community setting.

Care should be consistent with relevant national and SBUHB guidelines and policies and recognised best practice, and is provided:

In a safe environment

By individuals who are competent in the delivery of ophthalmic services to meet the needs of the prisoners and assess their best long-term interests.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85160000 - Optician services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL18 - Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Swansea Bay University Health Board

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

HMP Swansea is a category B/C prison for adult males remanded into custody from the local courts, as well as convicted and sentenced prisoners. The prisoner profile is a familiar one across the UK; mainly young men from deprived backgrounds with low literacy and educational attainment, often with a history of drug taking and alcohol abuse, underlying poor nutrition and heavy smoking. Overall maintaining good overall health is a challenge. Many prisoners come into custody from areas of substantial deprivation with very high levels of treatment need.

The nature of the prison environment makes the delivery of care as equally challenging as the overall health of the patients. The population presents with incredibly high needs and there are a high number of emergency and urgent cases. The high turnover of prisoners in remand or short-stay institutions, where short sentences or frequent transfers between facilities mean courses of treatment can go unfinished as prisoners are moved on.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: As per procurement documents / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

SBU-ITT-51315-013-AM-22

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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