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Award

PRJ-1004 City and Hackney CCG Primary Care Clinical Support Services

NHS City and Hackney Clinical Commissioning Group

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0288f3

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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Buyer's address

<http://www.cityandhackneyccg.nhs.uk/>

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

PRJ-1004 City and Hackney CCG Primary Care Clinical Support Services

Reference number

DN518995

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The aim of the service is to provide a comprehensive primary care clinical information and facilitation service for NHS City and Hackney CCG in conjunction with all GP Practices to monitor service deliver and improve clinical outcomes for patients in primary care.

City and Hackney CCG is undergoing a merger with 6 other CCGs on 1-Apr-2021 and is intending to issue a short extension (12 months) to all contracts expiring on 31-Mar-2021 to provide continuity during the merger. This is under regulation 72(b)(i) and 72(b)(ii) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 because a change of contractor cannot be made for technical reasons and would cause significant inconvenience for the CCG."

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £183,875

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI4 - Inner London – East

Main site or place of performance

London Borough of Hackney and City of London

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Primary Care Information and Facilitation aims to provide a comprehensive primary care clinical information and facilitation service for NHS City and Hackney Clinical Commissioning Group in conjunction with all GP Practices to improve clinical outcomes for patients in primary care. The service provides detailed support including on-site teaching and facilitation programmes to improve quality across practices uptake of clinical guidelines, design and facilitation of templates for clinical systems and decision support tools. Supporting practices with implementation and audits. The service will provide dashboards, statistical analysis and interpretation of clinical data to meet the requirements of NHS City and Hackney Clinical Commissioning Group as commissioners.

The Referral Form Management aims to centralise referral form management across health and social care services in City and Hackney in order to improve consistency, quality, efficiency and effectiveness of referrals.

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

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

City & Hackney CCG is being merged with 6 other CCGs to form North East London CCG (NEL CCG) on 1-April-2021. To ensure smooth transition to NEL CCG the CCG is extending all contracts for 12 months where continuity of provider is deemed necessary. The CCG is publishing this notice to signal its intention to directly award a contract, on the grounds that continuing to use the original contractors is necessary during the merger for technical reasons and that changing contractor at this time would cause significant inconvenience to the CCG (PCR 2015, Reg 72(b)(i) and (b)(ii)). While consideration has been given to the Coronavirus pandemic response 32(2)(c) is not being cited as the primary reason for the extension.

The CCG believes that this supplier is already integrated with other services in East London, and has strong links with local health, social care, community and voluntary organisations. This enables it to deliver services in an integrated way and provide holistic care that meets the needs of local patients.

The intended contract extension is for 12 months, to March 2022, and by that time NEL CCG will have been able to complete the merger process, understand where it has multiple contracts for the same services, and make decisions on competitive tendering options for future consolidated contracts as a new organisation.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Title

PRJ-1004 City and Hackney CCG Primary Care Clinical Support Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 January 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £183,875

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

£155,000 for 2019/20

£183,875 for 2020/21

£183,875 for 2021/22

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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