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Contract

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) Occupational Health Services

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F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0289eb

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

United Kingdom Research and Innovation (UKRI)

North Star House, North Star Avenue

SWINDON

SN2 1FL

Contact

Professional Services

Email

professionalservices@uksbs.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.ukri.org

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

UKRI is a new body which works in partnership with universities, research organisations, businesses, charities, and government to create the best possible environment for research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) Occupational Health Services

Reference number

UK SBS CS19192

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

UK Shared Business Services (UK SBS), on behalf of the UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) wishes to establish a contract for the provision of Occupational Health Services

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: £300,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85147000 - Company health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The aim of the tender exercise is to award a contract for the provision of Occupational Health Services for 3 years with the optional annual extension for up to 2 years (3+1+1) from commencement of the Contract.

To enable UKRI, to fulfil their obligations to employees, it is UKRI policy to provide a safe working environment and to employ best practice to ensure the health, safety and welfare of their workforces. Employees are predominantly office based with some degree of external travel within the UK and abroad. In addition to the Polaris House, Swindon Campus, Medical Research Council (MRC) has staff located at MRC Harwell Institute, which comprises the following units: Mammalian Genetics Unit (MGU), Mary Lyon Centre (MLC), and Centre for Macaques (CFM). In addition, occupational health provision will be for the employees with MRC at the Research Complex at Harwell (RCAH).

MRC Harwell and RCAH are located at Harwell Campus, Oxfordshire, and CFM is based at the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory (DSTL) site, located in Salisbury, Wiltshire. Employees located at CFM currently attend the Harwell campus for Occupational Health appointments. UKRI has a small number of staff located at a site in Keyworth, Nottinghamshire and also has staff located at Victoria Embankment, London. Research England has staff located in Bristol. NC3Rs has staff based in Euston Road, London. MRC London Head Office, to be located at 30 Stamford Street, Southbank (currently based at 58 Victoria Embankment, London). Innovate UK staff are predominately field based across the UK. Home and field-based staff will attend the nearest supplier site and they must also have the option for telephone consultations

All submissions will be assessed in accordance with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015, for procurement values that exceed Regulation 5 (Threshold amounts). This procurement will be managed electronically via the e-sourcing portal Delta. The Contracting Authority expressly reserves the right(i) not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; and (ii) to make whatever change it may see fit to the content and structure of the procurement; and in no circumstances will the Contracting Authority be liable for any costs incurred by any Supplier.

The Contracting Authority shall utilise the Delta eSourcing Procurement Tool available at <https://uksbs.delta-esourcing.com/> to conduct this procurement. All enquiries with respect to problems or functionality within the tool may be submitted to Delta eSourcing on 0845 270 7050. Please utilise the messaging system within the e-sourcing tool at the above link. Please note this is a free self-registration website and this can be done by completing the online questionnaire at <https://uksbs.delta-esourcing.com/>. Once you are logged into the system you will be able to link yourself into this procurement using the Access Code: FFDC6TT88Y

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 90

Price - Weighting: 10

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial 3 years with the optional annual extension for up to 2 years (3+1+1) from commencement of the Contract.

II.2.14) Additional information

If the Contracting Authority decides to enter into a Contract with the successful supplier, this does not mean that there is any guarantee of subsequent contracts being awarded. Any expenditure, work or effort undertaken prior to contract award is accordingly a matter solely for the commercial judgement of Bidders. See Section I.3 for access to procurement documentation

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

Notice number: [2020/S 162-395327](#)

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

6 January 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Cordell Health Ltd

Finchampstead

Berks

RG40 4QQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £300,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £300,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

UK Shared Business Services Ltd

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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

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