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Contract

Provision of Neurophysiology Clinics

Sandwell and West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-000957

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04cf5d

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

Region code

UKG37 - Sandwell

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.swbh.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.swbh.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

Provision of Neurophysiology Clinics

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85121200 - Medical specialist services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Neurophysiology Services provision - EMG services and NCS reporting.

The Contracts are to be awarded via The Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Regulation 2023 - Direct Award C.

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: £549,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85121200 - Medical specialist services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG37 - Sandwell

Main site or place of performance

Sandwell & West Birmingham NHS Trust

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The provision of Neurophysiology services; Electromyography (EMG), Complex Nerve Conduction Studies (CNCS) and Single Fibre EMGs.

Ad-hoc services are required to support the in-house Neurophysiology team with clearing of waiting lists.

The term of an existing contract is due to expire and Sandwell and West Birmingham NHS Trust proposes a new contract to replace the existing contract at the end of its term.

The Authority intends to award a contract to an existing provider following the Direct Award Process C, under Provider Selection Regime (PSR) 2023. Contractual period 01/02/2025 to 31/01/2027 with Optional 2 x 12-month extensions.

The key criteria list assessed to come to this conclusion is as follows:

- Key criteria 1. Quality and innovation
- Key criteria 2. Value

- Key criteria 3. Integration, collaboration and service sustainability
- Key criteria 4. Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice
- Key criteria 5. Social value commitment

In summary, it was the view of key stakeholders engaged that the existing provider is satisfying the existing contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard. Price benchmarking undertaken also demonstrated the existing supplier to be a cost competitive market option for the service supply.

There were no Conflict of Interests recorded.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Price - Benchmarking undertaken indicates pricing to be market competitive. No increase in service pricing as part of award. / Weighting: 100

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

II.2.14) Additional information

This notice is being used as a Content of notice of intention to award to the above named providers, under Direct Award Process C.

This notice is to commence the eight day standstill period, which upon its expiry, it is Sandwell & West Birmingham NHS Trust's intention to proceed to award of the Contract.

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:

UK PSR Regulation.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

11 January 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

MEDISERVICES HEALTHCARE LTD

Greenlands Business Centre Studley Road

Redditch

B98 7HP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG1 - Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Warwickshire

National registration number

09151817

Internet address

www.mediservices.healthcare

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: £549,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £549,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 12 midnight on 22/01/2025 via email to: Kirk.Johnson1@nhs.net

This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Decision maker: Head of Service - Professional Clinical Service Manager

No conflicts of interest were declared.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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<https://www.swbh.nhs.uk/>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NHS England

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United Kingdom

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