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Contract

## **Integrated Cataract Pathway**

NHS SUSSEX INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2026/S 000-000966

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0600bb

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

NHS SUSSEX INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Sackville House, Brooks Close

Lewes

BN72FZ

#### **Contact**

Maggie Czapiewska

#### **Email**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

**NHS Organisation Data Service**

QNX

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.sussex.ics.nhs.uk/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Integrated Cataract Pathway

Reference number

C411175

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85160000 - Optician services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The integrated pathway consists of four elements, two connected to the community optician and two connected with the cataract hospital:

- Community Optician - Pre referral assessment and patient lifestyle questionnaire completed.
- Hospital - competes a pre-operative appointment.
- Hospital completed cataract surgery.
- Community Optician - completes a post operative appointment.

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Contract Award Notice (via Direct Award B).

#### **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: £0.01

### **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

Main site or place of performance

Wadhurst

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Contract Award Notice (via Direct Award B).

This is a zero value contract.

The contract start date is 01.01.2026

The contract end date is 31.03.2029

This is an existing provider.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Patient Choice / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: N/a / Weighting: 0

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **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:

The procurement Direct Award B falls inside the Provider Selection Regime legislation.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## **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**

1 January 2026

#### **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**

Looking Good Opticians

The Old Bakery, High Street

Wadhurst

TN5 6AA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Companies House

2455695

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £0.01

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice. This contract has been awarded under 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 award decision maker for NHS Sussex Integrated Care Board is the Deputy Director of Acute Services.

There are no declared or potential conflicts of interest of individuals making the decision.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

NHS Sussex Integrated Care Board

Sackville House, Brooks Close

Lewes

BN7 2FZ

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.sussex.ics.nhs.uk>

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

NHS England

Skipton House, 80 London Road

London

SE1 6LH

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

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