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Contract

## **Walking Aids**

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

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Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-001129

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-042cc9

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## **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

Gyle Square (NSS Head Office), 1 South Gyle Crescent

Edinburgh

EH12 9EB

#### **Email**

[patrick.mulraney@nhs.scot](mailto:patrick.mulraney@nhs.scot)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.nss.nhs.scot/browse/procurement-and-logistics>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883)

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Walking Aids

Reference number

NP501717

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

- 33141720 - Walking aids

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

Supplies

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

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 33141720 - Walking aids

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:**

Supply of walking aids:

Lot No Lot Name

1 Axilla Metal Crutch, Adult

2 Elbow Crutch Double Adjustable, Plastic/PVC Handle, Adult

3 Elbow Crutch Double Adjustable, Ergonomic Plastic/PVC Handle, Adult

4 Elbow Crutch Fixed Height, Plastic/PVC Handle, Adult

- 5 Elbow Crutch Fixed Height, Ergonomic Plastic/PVC Handle, Adult
- 6 Elbow Crutch, Metal, Forearm Trough Type, Adjustable Length, Adult
- 7 Three Wheeled Walker , Folding, Swivel Front Wheel & Two Fixed Rear Wheels, Spring loaded brakes, Adult
- 8 Three Wheeled Walker , Folding, Swivel front wheel & Two Fixed rear wheels, looped Brakes, Adult
- 9 Four wheeled walker, Adult
- 10 Knee Walker, Adult
- 11 Tetrapod, Adult
- 12 Tripod, Adult
- 13 Ultra Narrow Walking Frames and Wheeled Walking Frames, Adult
- 14 Narrow Walking Frames and Wheeled Walking Frames, Adult
- 15 Hospital Walking Frames and Wheeled Walking Frames, Adult
- 16 Wheeled Walking Gutter Frames cw Forearm Troughs, Adult
- 17 Walking Frame, Atlas Type with Forearm Trough, Adjustable height, Adult
- 18 Walking Frame, Atlas Type with Forearm Trough, Adjustable height, Adult, Bariatric
- 19 Walking Frame, Atlas Type (Padded), Adjustable height, Adult
- 20 Walking Stick, Fischer Type Handle, Adjustable height , Adult
- 21 Walking Stick, Fischer Type Handle, Fixed height, Adult
- 22 Walking Stick, Metal, Fixed height, Adult
- 23 Walking Stick, Metal, Adjustable height , Adult
- 24 Walking Stick, Metal, Adjustable Height , Ergonomic Handle, Adult
- 25 Axilla Metal Crutch, Childrens

26 Elbow Crutch, Metal, Double Adjustable, Childrens

27 Elbow Crutch, Metal, Double Adjustable, Ergonomic Handle, Childrens

28 Three Wheeled Walker , Folding, Swivel front wheel & Two Fixed rear wheels, looped Brakes, Childrens

29 Four wheeled walker, Childrens

30 Posture Control Walker, Childrens

31 Tetrapod, Childrens

32 Wheeled Walking Gutter Frames cw Forearm Troughs, Childrens

33 Walking Frames and Wheeled Walking Frames, Adjustable Height, Childrens

34 Elbow Crutch, Metal, Double Adjustable, Bariatric

35 Four Wheeled Walker, Bariatric

36 Walking Frames and Wheeled Walking Frames, Adjustable Height, Bariatric

37 Walking Stick, Metal, Fixed Height, Ergonomic Handle, Bariatric

38 Walking Stick, Metal, Adjustable Height, Bariatric

**II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

15

**II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract**

Notice number: [2017/S 044-080115](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract/concession**

### **Contract No**

Walking Aids

### **Title**

Walking Aids

### **V.2) Award of contract/concession**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:**

13 June 2017

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

The contract/concession has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Aidapt Bathrooms Ltd

Lancots Lane, Sutton

St Helens

WA9 3EX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Drive DeVilbiss Healthcare Limited

Sidhil Business Park Industrial Estate, Holmfild, West Yorkshire, 1 Heathfield Lane

Halifax

HX2 9TN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Moorings Mediquip Ltd t/a Wheelchair Care

21 West Road, Greshop Ind. Esate

Forres

IV36 2GW

Country

United Kingdom

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Nottingham Rehab Limited

Sherwood House, Cartwright Way, Forest Business Park, Bardon Hill, Coalville



Leicestershire

LE67 1UB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Performance Health International

Nunn Brook road

Huthwaite

NG17 2HU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Roma Medical

York Road - Bridgend Industrial Estate, Bridgend - South Wales

Bridgend

CF31 3TB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Sunrise Medical Ltd

Thorns Road

Brierley Hill

DY5 2LD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG3 - West Midlands

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Trulife

41 Amos Road

Sheffield

S9 1BX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE3 - South Yorkshire

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Simplymed Ltd

Unit 9, Cricket St Business Ctr, Cricket Street

Wigan

WN6 7TP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)**

Total value of the procurement: £1,260,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

(SC Ref:755146)

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

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

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Economic operators should approach the contracting authority in the first instance. However, the only formal remedy is to apply to the courts:

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.

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## **Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession**

### **VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications**

#### **VII.1.1) Main CPV code**

- 33141720 - Walking aids

#### **VII.1.3) Place of performance**

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

#### **VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:**

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**VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

15

**VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£1,260,000

**VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

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Lancots Lane, Sutton

St Helens

WA9 3EX

Country

United Kingdom

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Trulife

41 Amos Road

Sheffield

S9 1BX

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

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No

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simplymed ltd

Unit B New Venture Business Park,, Off, Leopold St,

Wigan

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Country

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No

#### **VII.2) Information about modifications**

##### **VII.2.1) Description of the modifications**

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

This modification of contract term from 01/10/2023 to 31/12/2024 is to meet the additional demands of the Scottish Health and Social Care sector during the current Covid-19 pandemic and to maintain necessary supply and remove unnecessary disruption from the Authority at this time in line with Regulation 72(1)(b) of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015

Modification notice is advised at framework level and does not detail individual lots.

### **VII.2.2) Reasons for modification**

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

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### **VII.2.3) Increase in price**

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £1,260,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £1,260,000