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Contract

## Digital Capability for Health

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-002855

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02928e

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## Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

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Liverpool

L3 9PP

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#### Telephone

+44 3150103503

#### Country

United Kingdom

## **NUTS code**

UK - UNITED KINGDOM

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.crowncommercial.gov.uk>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Public Procurement

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Digital Capability for Health

Reference number

RM6221

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

## Services

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

Crown Commercial Service (CCS) as the Authority put in place a Collaborative Agreement for use by NHS Digital and other public sector health and social care bodies for the provision of digital outcomes and supporting services. The scope of the Agreement covers the following:

DevOps Services

Digital Definition Services

Build and Transition Services

End-to-End Development Services

Data Management (and Similar) 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: £800,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

Primarily in the UK

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

Crown Commercial Service, as the Authority, has put in place an agreement for the provision of Digital Capability for Health for use by NHS Digital and other public sector health and social care bodies for the provision of digital outcomes and supporting services. The agreement was developed with NHS Digital as the Operator, who requires digital capability to meet specific needs of the health and social care sector.

NHS Digital requires suppliers to invest in understanding their specific organisational needs and to bespoke delivery of their services to meet requirements.

This framework has 12 suppliers with whom NHS Digital will develop strategic relationships over a period of time, to warrant up-front investment in framework level supplier agnostic competition, whilst maintaining effective and efficient competition at call-off. Building of closer strategic relationships will encourage the suppliers to improve and innovate on their delivery of services.

This will be achieved through ongoing collaborative partnership or supplier relationship management activities based on feedback from call-off contracts and MI reports.

Suppliers under the framework are required to provide the following Service Provisions:

DevOps Services - support for ongoing live services

Digital Definition Services - either separately or combined Extended Discovery and /or Alpha phases.

Build and Transition Services - either separately combining Beta phase and/or Retirement phases (including transition to Live). It is anticipated that Live will be covered by an appropriate competition for DevOps Services.

End-to-End Development Services - with the ability to combine the full set of agile phases of Discovery through to Live.

Data Management (and Similar) Services - primarily targeted at building, enhancing and maintaining data assets, migrating data from one system to another and analysis and reporting from such data assets.

Call-off competitions under this framework will follow NHS Digital's standard governance processes for their requirements. There is no direct award call-off in this agreement.

Typical digital development will follow Government Digital Service (GDS) life cycle: discovery, alpha, beta and so on, outlined in the government service design manual (<https://www.gov.uk/service-manual>).

Suppliers will deliver work using GDS agile methodologies.

The framework will address the evolving technical 'stacks' associated within the different pillars of NHS Digital, including:

Platforms and infrastructure

Product development

Data services

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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**

n/a

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2020/S 162-395359](#)

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

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

5 January 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 47

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

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

Accenture (UK) Limited

30 Fenchurch Street

London

EC3M 3BD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

4757301

The contractor is an SME

No

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

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

Aire Logic Limited

Aireside House, Aire Street

Leeds

LS1 4HT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM



National registration number

06233174

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

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#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

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BJSS Limited

1 Whitehall Quay

Leeds

LS1 4HR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

2777575

The contractor is an SME

No

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Capita Business Services Limited (CBSL)

65 Gresham Street

London

EC2V 7NQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

2299747

The contractor is an SME

No

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Cognizant Worldwide Limited

1 Kingdom Street, Paddington Central

LONDON

W2 6BD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

07195160

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Hippo Digital Limited

1st Floor Aireside House, 24-26 Aire Street

Leeds

LS1 4HT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

09877239

The contractor is an SME

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IBM United Kingdom Limited

PO Box 41 North Harbour

Portsmouth

PO6 3AU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

741598

The contractor is an SME

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Infinity Works Consulting Limited

Apsley House, 78 Wellington Street

Leeds

LS1 2EQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM



National registration number

08189469

The contractor is an SME

No

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Informed Solutions Ltd

The Old Bank, Old Market Place

Cheshire

WA14 4PA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

02755304

The contractor is an SME

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

Kainos Software Limited

4-6 Upper Crescent

Belfast

BT7 1NT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

NI019370

The contractor is an SME

No

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Mastek UK Ltd

Pennant House, 2 Napier Court, Napier Road

Reading

RG1 8BW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

2731277

The contractor is an SME

No

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Netcompany UK Limited

Northburgh House, 10 Northburgh Street

London

EC1V 0AT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

08568559

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

The value provided in Section II.1.7 is only an estimate. We cannot guarantee to suppliers any business through this Commercial Agreement.

As part of this contract award notice the following can be accessed at:

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/a9899b08-d48d-46e1-89fa-09886c9c311f>

- 1) Redacted Commercial Agreement;
- 2) List of Successful Suppliers;
- 3) Customer list

On 2.4.2014 Government introduced its Government Security Classifications (GSC) scheme which replaced Government Protective Marking Scheme (GPMS). A key aspect is the reduction in the number of security classifications used. All bidders were required to make themselves aware of the changes as it may impact this requirement. This link provides information on the GSC at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/government-security-classifications>

Cyber Essentials is a mandatory requirement for Central Government contracts which involve handling personal information or provide certain ICT products/services. Government is taking steps to reduce the levels of cyber security risk in its supply chain through the Cyber Essentials scheme. The scheme defines a set of controls which, when implemented, will provide organisations with basic protection from the most prevalent forms of threat coming from the internet. To participate in this procurement, bidders were required to demonstrate they comply with the technical requirements prescribed by Cyber Essentials, for services under and in connection with this procurement.

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

9th Floor, The Capital, Old Hall Street

LIVERPOOL



L3 9PP

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+44 3450103503

Country

United Kingdom

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

Crown Commercial Services

9th Floor, The Capital, Old Hall Street

LIVERPOOL

L3 9PP

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