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Contract

## **PHS2425010 Collaboration for health equity in Scotland**

Public Health Scotland

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04ddd5

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://publichealthscotland.scot/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30441](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30441)

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

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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**

PHS2425010 Collaboration for health equity in Scotland

Reference number

PHS2425010

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

Public Health Scotland is commissioning a programme of work from the University College London Institute of Health Equity (IHE) to work with Scottish partners to develop approaches to meet a number of longstanding challenges in reducing persistent and wide health and wellbeing inequalities in Scotland.

### **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: £355,450

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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### **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.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Form 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:

Procurement has assessed that this agreement would be classed as 'Community health services' and would fall under Section 7 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015. This means PHS is entitled to award the contract without seeking competition.

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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**

11 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

UCL Consultants Ltd

90 Tottenham Court Road

London

W1T 4TJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI31 - Camden and City of London

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £355,450

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

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+44 1312252525

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#### **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.

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

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