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## **Argyll & Bute Community Link Worker Service**

NHS Highland

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02a333

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

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

NHS Highland

Assynt House, Beechwood Park

Inverness

IV2 3BW

#### **Email**

[nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot](mailto:nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM6 - Highlands and Islands

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.nhshighland.scot.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00302](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00302)

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

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

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

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Argyll & Bute Community Link Worker Service

Reference number

HH087-20

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

- 85120000 - Medical practice and related services

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

Services

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

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Argyll and Bute HSCP are seeking to engage with the market to see how we can best shape our contractual arrangements to achieve a Community Link Working service and secure the best value solutions for all of our community resources.

We are inviting responses from current or prospective suppliers of Community Link Working services. Your feedback will be utilised to inform the commercial strategy and specification. This PIN Notice and associated questionnaire is for information gathering and market engagement only. This is not a call for competition.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £450,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85120000 - Medical practice and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM8 - West Central Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Argyll & Bute area

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

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#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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Completed questionnaires should be returned to [nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot](mailto:nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot) no later than 21 April 2021 with the reference 'Community Link Worker PIN' as the subject of the email to allow responses to be processed, collated and analysed.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

17 May 2021

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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Market Research Questionnaire is attached as an additional document. Completed questionnaires should be returned to [nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot](mailto:nhsh.tenders@nhs.scot) no later than 21 April 2021 with the reference 'Community Link Worker PIN' as the subject of the email to allow responses to be processed, collated and analysed.

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