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Contract

## **Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) Service**

Leicestershire County Council  
Rutland County Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-007140

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03999e

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

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

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html>

Buyer's address

<https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Rutland County Council

Rutland

**Email**

[enquiries@rutland.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@rutland.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

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

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Regional or local authority

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

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) Service

Reference number

DN712725

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

This service is required to deliver the provision, fitting, monitoring, and removal of IUDs, IUSs and SDIs for contraception purposes for women of Leicestershire and Rutland.

The service will provide a number of clinics across the geography of the counties and ensure consistent and timely delivery of long-acting reversible contraception.

Service aims are:

- improve sexual health outcomes

- improve access to long-acting reversible contraception (LARC) to Leicestershire and Rutland residents as part of a range of contraceptive options
- to raise awareness of the benefits of Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) by providing high quality advice, support and information on the full range of contraception methods to all those on or seeking contraception
- to increase knowledge of LARC and mainstream contraception amongst healthcare professionals
- to increase knowledge of risks associated with sexually transmitted infections (STIs) and refer to appropriate services
- to help contribute to a reduction in the rate of unplanned pregnancies, particularly in under 18s.
- to enhance professional practice
- to enable Providers to be active participants in an integrated multi-disciplinary service to help ensure easy and swift access to advice
- to ensure that the availability of post-coital IUD fitting for emergency contraception be more adequately provided as another means of reducing unintended conceptions

#### **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: £700,000

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

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

Due to having unsuccessful bids from the Sexual Health Services tender in 2024, the

Authorities have re-issued contracts to the incumbent providers for a further 12 months

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 80

Price - Weighting: 20

### **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

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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: No

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

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-018789](#)

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Contract No

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### Title

Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC)Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

1 February 2024

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

Charnwood GP Network

Loughborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

ELR GP Federation Ltd

Leicester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Hinckley & Bosworth Medical Alliance Ltd

Leicestershire

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

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Country

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NUTS code

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Dishley Grange Medical Practice

Loughborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £700,000



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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Construction and Technology Court (Queens Bench Division) (Branch of High Court of Justice)

Priory Courts, 33 Bull Street

Birmingham

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Country

United Kingdom