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Contract

## **Prison Healthcare (inc. Dental for HMP Lincoln) at HMP Lincoln and HMP North Sea Camp**

NHS England

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-007570

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0446fc

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

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

NHS England

Quarry House, Quarry Hill

Leeds

LS2 7UE

#### **Contact**

Sarah Groves

#### **Email**

[sarah.groves4@nhs.net](mailto:sarah.groves4@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKE42 - Leeds

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/>

**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**

Prison Healthcare (inc. Dental for HMP Lincoln) at HMP Lincoln and HMP North Sea Camp

Reference number

DAPC/AG23027

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85100000 - Health services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Healthcare services at HMP Lincoln and HMP North Sea Camp (inc Dental for HMP

Lincoln)

#### **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: £10,166,420

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

A health care service to include:

- GP and primary care service inclusive of dentistry, optometry, podiatry, physiotherapy, sexual and public health services and other therapeutic services.
- Fully inclusive mental health services both primary and secondary care services.

NHS England commissioners are intending to award a contract to an existing provider following a Direct Award process C. The lifetime value of the contract is £10,166,420. The services are required to be provided from 01/04/2024 to 31/03/2026.

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

Quality criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type 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:

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to NHS England by 20 March 2024. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

#### 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 V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

29 February 2024

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Head Quarters Duncan Macmillan House Porchester Road

Nottingham Nottinghamshire

NG3 6AA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £10,166,420

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 20 March 2024. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Written representations should be sent to [sarah.groves4@nhs.net](mailto:sarah.groves4@nhs.net)

The decision to award this contract was made by NHS England Midlands region. There were no Conflicts of Interest.

The key criteria that NHS England commissioners used in the decision making process and the importance to delivery of the service was;

Quality and innovation - All services need to be of high quality and innovation is needed to maintain services at the highest level. The provider has systems to identify mistakes and learn from them, patient feedback is sought and acted on, staff are trained and supported, staffing levels are within regional averages, and there has been innovation within the current service.

Value - The provider demonstrated value for money. The contract value was benchmarked against similar contracts and the new contract is considered value for money.

Integration, collaboration, and service sustainability - Healthcare providers need to be able to integrate and collaborate with the secure estate operator. The service needs to demonstrate sustainability. The provider works collaboratively with the prison, other services / agencies. Engages in regional forums with other agencies. The current and future service model is considered sustainable.

Improving access, reducing health inequalities, and facilitating choice - This was considered of high importance due to the patient population and demographics. The access times for a basket of services are within national targets or regional averages. The provider has different methods for improving access and uses prevention and other methods to address inequalities. This is expected to be maintained in the new contract.

Social Value - The provider has demonstrated an understanding of Social Value requirements and commissioners were satisfied this will continue in the new contract.

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

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

High Court of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom