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Contract

End of Life - Planned Overnight Care

NHS DEVON INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-061210

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS DEVON INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Aperture House, Pynes Hill, Rydon Lane,

Exeter

EX25AZ

Email

d-icb.contracting@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK43 - Devon CC

NHS Organisation Data Service

QJK

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://onedevon.org.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

End of Life - Planned Overnight Care

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of planned night care support for people who are in the end of life stage of their illness. Delivered in their usual place of residence according to the needs of the individual patient and their families.

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: £1,313,489

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK4 - Devon

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

NHS Devon sought to procure end of life overnight support care services. It is intending to award a contract of 12 months, with extension option of 7 months, commencing 01/04/2026 to Marie Curie - following Direct Award Process C of the Provider Selection Regime.

Lifetime value: This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

NHS Devon sought to procure XXXdescription of serviceXXX. It is intending to award a contract of XXXX XXmonths/ yearsXX , commencing XXstart dateXX to XXProvider NameXX - following Direct Award Process C of the Provider Selection Regime.

Lifetime value: £1,313,489

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: DAC existing provider

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extension option available - up to 7 months

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 Procurement Act Regulations 2023 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 the relevant authority by 10/02/2026. 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: No

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

28 January 2026

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

Marie Curie

London

SW11 7BW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

NHS Organisation Data Service

8GK24

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,313,489

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 Procurement Act Regulations 2023 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 midnight on 10/02/2026 (8 working days following publication of intention to award notice). They should be submitted in writing to d-icb.contracting@nhs.net.

This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.'

Award decision-makers; Project group - Commissioning, contracting and finance - ratified via NHS Devon ICB Procurement Oversight Group

No conflicts of interest, or potential conflicts of interest, were declared by any decision makers.

The decision to award this contract in line with Direct Award Process C was based on evaluation against the 5 required key criteria, with weightings applied as follows:

Quality 20%

Value 20%

Integration 20%

Improving equalities 20%

Social Value 20%

Assessment of the provider was based on evidence available through their existing contract with the ICB, monthly performance and quality reporting, CRM minutes and review of Governance policies as well as annual reports/ finance checks and other externally published information.

the provider scored well for quality of delivery as reflected in their documented processes and feedback responses. They have evidenced an ability to deliver the service on an

ongoing basis within tight financial restraints. Marie Curie are integrated appropriately with other relevant local provision, and have a strong history of research/ service development particularly in relation to inequalities. Some lower scoring areas were in relation to the impact of staffing shortages (not unique to this provider) but evidenced plans in place to address this.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Devon ICB

Aperture House, Pynes Hill, Rydon Lane,

Exeter

EX2 5AZ

Email

d-icb.contracting@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

This contract has not yet been awarded. Any parties seeking to make representations in relation to the award should do so via the above email address no later than midnight on 10/02/2026