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Contract

Provision of Children & Young People's Emotional Wellbeing Early Support, Training and Consultation Service for Nottingham & Nottinghamshire

NHS Nottingham & Nottinghamshire CCG

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Nottingham & Nottinghamshire CCG

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

National registration number

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://nottsccg.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/68205>

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

Provision of Children & Young People's Emotional Wellbeing Early Support, Training and Consultation Service for Nottingham & Nottinghamshire

Reference number

Notts CYP MH EI

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Nottingham & Nottinghamshire were seeking a suitably qualified and capable lead provider to support with the delivery of a Children & Young People's Emotional Wellbeing Early Support, Training and Consultation Service.

It was important that children and young people, however they first present with difficulties, are supported to receive appropriate help and support as early as possible to improve their outcomes. Support will be delivered through a variety of ways including face to face, drop-in sessions and online and offer a seamless experience for children, young people and their parents/carers. The service will also deliver training and consultation to professionals across the system.

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: £3,204,639

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NHS Nottingham & Nottinghamshire were seeking a suitably qualified and capable lead provider to support with the delivery of a Children & Young People's Emotional Wellbeing Early Support, Training and Consultation Service.

The provider will:

- Ensure that children, young people and their parents/carers are offered an initial assessment to understand their emotional and mental health needs. This assessment will not only consider the view of the child/young person but also the views of the parents/carers, where appropriate.
- Ensure that children, young people and their parents/carers are offered a choice of

interventions appropriate to their needs. As a minimum this will include provision including but not limited to; face to face therapeutic support, group work, drop-in sessions, online therapeutic support and general advice and guidance.

- Ensure the impact of trauma, abuse or neglect in the lives of children and young people is properly considered when identifying appropriate interventions and alternative services considered as part of the assessment process.
- Ensure that any additional vulnerability or inequality suffered by children and young people (e.g. learning disability, victim of child sexual abuse, gender) is properly considered when identifying appropriate interventions and support adapted to best meet their needs.
- Develop peer networks and groups for children and young people and parents/carers.
- Develop a social media presence to encourage engagement with services and work to reduce stigma around mental health and wellbeing.
- Work with all relevant agencies to ensure that services for children and young people with emotional wellbeing and mental health problems are coordinated and address their individual needs, providing a holistic approach and regular reviews to ensure effective progress through the care pathway.
- Ensure advice and support is readily available to General Practice, Schools and other universal services in a timely and appropriate manner.
- Provide evidence based training to non-mental health professionals across the system to deliver the best possible outcomes for children and young people
- Through consultation, identify when an intervention is required and support the referral process.
- Upskill and support the local workforce. This will include, but not limited to, GPs, 0-19 services, schools, colleges, universities and social care.
- Produce communications and training packages for online and face to face use.
- Work with system partners to ensure seamless care and support is provided, acknowledging that other services may also provide condition specific advice and training.
- Work closely with other services on the Getting Help stage of the Thrive model. This should include developing shared pathways with Mental Health Support Teams in Schools and representation at MHST Steering Groups.

Commissioners required bids for a lead provider model and encouraged bidders to work with the local voluntary sector to deliver elements of this service.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Service Description / Weighting: 28%

Quality criterion - Name: Corporate, Social and Environmental Responsibility / Weighting: 2%

Quality criterion - Name: HR and Workforce Management / Weighting: 13%

Quality criterion - Name: Data Security/Information Governance / Weighting: 4%

Quality criterion - Name: Equality, Diversity and Human Rights / Weighting: 12%

Quality criterion - Name: Clinical Governance / Weighting: 17%

Quality criterion - Name: Premises / Weighting: 4%

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

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2021/S 000-012693](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

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Title

Qualification Questions

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

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Title

Technical Questions

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

19 January 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ABL Health Ltd.

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Farnworth

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

ABL Health Ltd.

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,204,639

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Provider were asked to register on the EU Supply Portal <https://uk.eu-supply.com/login.asp>.

The reference for this tender was Quote/tender 44581 - Provision of Children & Young People's Emotional Wellbeing Early Support, Training and Consultation Service for Nottingham & Nottinghamshire.

Please note : Section V: Award of Contract lists a Qualification and Technical Lot. This process was not procured using 'Lots' and therefore the 'Qualification Lot' has been marked as 'not awarded'. The award information is provided under the 'Technical Lot' information.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Arden & GEM Commissioning Support Unit

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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

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