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# NHS Sussex ICB Nursing Home Any Qualified Provider (AQP)

NHS SUSSEX INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NHS SUSSEX INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Sackville House, Brooks Close

Lewes

BN72FZ

#### Contact

Jack Oldroyd

#### **Email**

Sussex.NursingHomeAQP@evalucom.co.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

## **NHS Organisation Data Service**

QNX

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.sussex.ics.nhs.uk/

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# 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

NHS Sussex ICB Nursing Home Any Qualified Provider (AQP)

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

NHS Sussex ICB intends to open the NHS Sussex Nursing Home Any Qualified Provider (AQP) contract for new applicants.

This contract covers the provision of nursing home services for adults in CQC registered Nursing Homes and is applicable to Providers with nursing homes in West Sussex, East Sussex, Brighton, or the surrounding area.

Successful Providers will be added to the NHS Sussex Nursing Home AQP list. This AQP list is used by the ICB as the primary route for commissioning NHS Continuing Healthcare (CHC) placements for adults.

Applications are expected to open on Tuesday 1 April.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £0.01

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

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The procurement will be undertaken under the Provider Selection Regime Competitive Process.

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Nursing home Providers that are already on the NHS Sussex Nursing Home AQP contract do not need to apply.

The Contract does not guarantee any volume of activity or payment to the Provider. There is no minimum number of packages that the Provider can expect to receive through the contract.

Evalucom Consulting Ltd are managing the procurement process on behalf of NHS Sussex ICB Commissioning Authority.

If you have any questions, please email <u>Sussex.NursingHomeAQP@evalucom.co.uk</u>. In your email, please include your name, your role, and details of your nursing home organisation.

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

1 April 2025

## 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: No