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Contract

Community Clinical Diagnostic Services - Bury

Bury Clinical Commissioning Group

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02ac44

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Bury Clinical Commissioning Group

Townside Primary Care Centre, 1 Knowsley Place, Knowsley Street

Bury

BL9 0SN

Email

catherine.tickle@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD36 - Greater Manchester North West

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.buryccg.nhs.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

Community Clinical Diagnostic Services - Bury

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of additional clinical capacity within the local health system for community access to clinical diagnostic services, specifically for:

- Adult Hearing Loss (Audiology); and
- Non-Obstetric Ultrasound (NOUS).

NHS Bury CCG is acting as Lead Commissioner for itself and other Greater Manchester (GM) 'associated' CCGs, each having access to these contracted services which form part of a an

Any Qualified Provider (AQP) framework across GM. The other associated GM CCGs are:

NHS Bolton CCG; NHS Heywood Middleton and Rochdale CCG; NHS Manchester CCG; NHS Oldham CCG; NHS Salford CCG; NHS Stockport CCG; NHS Tameside & Glossop CCG; NHS Trafford CCG; and NHS Wigan Borough CCG

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: £439,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD36 - Greater Manchester North West

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Provision of community based, GP direct access to age related Adult Hearing Loss (diagnostic and management of condition through supply of devices and maintenance) and Non-Obstetric Ultrasound (NOUS). Contracts were established through an Any Qualified Provider (AQP) framework and offering choice to patients from across Greater Manchester for the last 4 years.

II.2.14) Additional information

A locally established Any Qualified Provider (AQP) framework has been in place for 4 years. The CCG has participated with other CCGs across Greater Manchester during early 2021 to procure a new AQP framework. Until this procurement completes and newly contracted services are mobilised, the CCG has assessed the need to extend for an interim duration of 6 months, the existing contractual arrangements with the current incumbent providers.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Form 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:

A locally established Any Qualified Provider (AQP) framework has been in place for 4 years. The CCG has participated with other CCGs across Greater Manchester during early 2021 to procure a new AQP framework. Until this procurement completes and newly contracted services are mobilised, the CCG has assessed the need to extend for an interim duration of 6 months, the existing contractual arrangements with the current incumbent providers.

This modification to an existing range of contracts in place under the AQP framework is assessed by the CCG to be reasonable, proportionate and lawful under Regulation 72(1)(c) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended)

IV.1.11) Main features of the award procedure

Modification two existing 4 year contracts, by a further 6 months each.

Section V. Award of contract

Title

Community Diagnostics (Audiology & NOUS) Pennine Acute

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 March 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Pennine Acute Hospitals NHS Trust

Trust Headquarters, North Manchester General Hospital, Delaunays Road

Crumpsall

M8 5RB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD36 - Greater Manchester North West

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £139,000

Section V. Award of contract

Title

Community Diagnostics (NOUS) Curx Health Limited

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 March 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Curx Health Limited

Unit 3B, Junction 21 Business Park, Gorse Street, Chadderton

Oldham

OL9 9RJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD36 - Greater Manchester North West

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £300,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Modification of contracts established under a locally commissioned Any Qualified Provider framework to effect 6 month extensions from 1st April 2021 until 30th September 2021.

Contracts have no guaranteed activity or contract value, however anticipated contract values for the additional 6 months will be £439k between the 2 providers