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Contract

## **Lymphoedema Services - Cancer and Non-cancer**

NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04ee7f

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

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

NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

Level 3, Christ Church Precinct, County Hall, Fishergate Hill

Preston

PR18XB

#### **Email**

[lsicb.procurement@nhs.net](mailto:lsicb.procurement@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKD4 - Lancashire

#### **NHS Organisation Data Service**

QE1

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.lancashireandsouthcumbria.icb.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.lancashireandsouthcumbria.icb.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**

Lymphoedema Services - Cancer and Non-cancer

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85100000 - Health services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

The provision of Lymphoedema Services - Cancer and Non-cancer, in Morecambe Bay, Lancaster and South Cumbria.

**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: £811,483

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKD4 - Lancashire

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

The provision of Lymphoedema Services - Cancer and Non-cancer, in Morecambe Bay, Lancaster and South Cumbria.

This notice is confirmation of an award having been made due to urgent circumstances.

The lifetime value of the contract is £811,483.

Contract Start Date: 01/10/2024

Contract End Date: 30/09/2026

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

Quality criterion - Name: To address immediate risks to safety and quality of care /  
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 contract has been awarded under the urgent circumstances provision of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR). This contract has been awarded under 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.

#### 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

### Title

Lymphoedema Services - Cancer and Non-cancer

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

11 June 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

Morecambe Bay Primary Care Collaborative Community Interest Company

Moor Lane Mills, Moor Lane

Lancaster

LA1 1QD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

Companies House

09513173

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £811,483

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This contract has been awarded under the urgent circumstances provision of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR). This contract has been awarded under 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 contract award was urgent due to the current provider serving notice and the ICB being unable to secure a new provider, despite going out to the market twice via a competitive route.

Therefore the ICB attempted to award a contract via a suitable PSR route (competitive route) without success and therefore urgently needed to secure a new provider to be able to mobilise a new contract from October 2024.

The reason for the urgency is not attributable to the ICB, and any further delay would certainly pose a risk to patients as it would create a gap in the service.

A 2 year contract is required to ensure stability of the service.

Given the fragility of the service and that the ICB have been out to the market twice and been unsuccessful in securing a provider, the ICB needed to secure more stable arrangements going forward.

The Director of Operational Finance, in a deputising role to the ICB's CFO approved this urgent award on the 11/06/24.

No conflicts were declared.

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

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

NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

Preston

Country

United Kingdom