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Contract

## **PSR Urgent Award for Provision of Ophthalmology Outpatient Services**

Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Foundation Trust

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04ee85

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

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

Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Foundation Trust

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE13 - North and North East Lincolnshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.noecpc.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.noecpc.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**

PSR Urgent Award for Provision of Ophthalmology Outpatient Services

Reference number

C347565

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85121281 - Ophthalmologist services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

PSR Urgent Award for Provision of Ophthalmology Outpatient Services NLAG

#### **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: £75,000

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKF30 - Lincolnshire

Main site or place of performance

Sites of Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Foundation Trust

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

This notice is to confirm that a contract has been awarded on 10/02/2025 to Modality LLP under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 Urgent Award process.

The contract is an Urgent Award for the provision of Ophthalmology Services for the period 10/02/2025 to 31/03/2025 with an estimated lifetime value of £75,000 in total.

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

Price

#### **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

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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:

PSR Urgent Award to address immediate risks to safety and quality of care.

#### **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**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

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

10 February 2025

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Modality LLP

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- UKG31 - Birmingham

National registration number

OC422179

Internet address

[www.mmodalitycommunityservices.com](http://www.mmodalitycommunityservices.com)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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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.

This is an Urgent Award due to severe capacity issues in the service resulting from a combination of CDC activity not commencing as expected and one consultant and two other staff vacancies that the Trust has been unable to fill and a loss of locum cover. These significant capacity shortfalls within the Ophthalmology service at NLAG mean there is an urgent need to facilitate additional new outpatient capacity to address immediate risks to safety and quality of care.

The contract award decision was made by the Deputy Director and Associate Director of Finance.

No conflicts of interest were identified.

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

High Court and Court of Appeal of England and Wales

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Email

[internationalrelationsjudicialoffice@judiciary.uk](mailto:internationalrelationsjudicialoffice@judiciary.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

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<https://www.judiciary.uk/>

**VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

High Court and Court of Appeal of England and Wales

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London

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