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Contract

Dermatology Service

NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04c036

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board

Civic Centre, St Peter's Square

Wolverhampton

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Contact

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://www.blackcountry.icb.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

Dermatology Service

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85121282 - Dermatology services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Arden and Greater East Midlands CSU on behalf of NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board, intend to award a contract for the provision of a Dermatology Service across Wolverhampton.

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: £7,640,681.48

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85121282 - Dermatology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The successful provider will deliver a comprehensive integrated Dermatology service model which is multi-disciplinary and high quality. The Community Dermatology Service will provide timely assessment, diagnosis and treatment of the full range of non-cancer dermatological diseases in adults. The Provider will ensure services are safe, sustainable and high quality, delivered from a range of community-based locations across the city. The Provider will form strong working relationships across primary, community and secondary care services to ensure the patient pathway is seamless and meets the needs of patients.

As a result of this Competitive Process a contract will be awarded to the successful provider for a period of 3 years, with the Commissioner having the option to extend the contract for up to a further 2 years, commencing from 01st August 2025.

A new provider has been identified as the successful provider to deliver the reprocured service.

It is anticipated that the service provision resulting from this Competitive Process will have a value of £7,640,681.48 for the contract period.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Integration, Collaboration and Service Sustainability / Weighting: 32.00%

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and Innovation / Weighting: 27.00%

Quality criterion - Name: Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice / Weighting: 11.00%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10.00%

Cost criterion - Name: Value / Weighting: 20.00%

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: [2024/S 000-038206](#)

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

17 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 10

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 10

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Community Health and Eyecare Limited

1-6 Star Building, Caxton Road, Fulwood, Preston, Lancashire

Preston

PR2 9WT

Telephone

+44 1772963719

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

National registration number

07296068

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £8,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £7,640,681.48

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Act 2023 do not apply to this award. The standstill period begins on the day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by midnight on 31st March 2025. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR. Any representations or correspondence regarding this outcome must be sent via the Atamis messaging portal.

The award decision-makers are the NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board. The decision to award the contract was made by NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board's Chief Finance Officer.

There were no declared conflicts or potential conflicts of interest of individuals making the decision.

The Basic Selection Criteria scoring methodology was either Pass/Fail or For Information. The Key Criteria were scored sub-weighted questions, as follows:

Quality and Innovation – 27.00%

Value – 20.00%

Integration, Collaboration and Service Sustainability – 32.00%

Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice – 11.00%

Social value – 10.00%

Community Health and Eyecare Ltd received the highest combined overall weighted Key Criteria score of out 100.00%. As a result, they are awarded the contract, subject to agreement.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.judiciary.uk/courts-and-tribunals/high-court/>