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# Support for Trusts to Work Collaboratively Effectively

NHS England

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## Section I: Contracting authority/entity

### I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

## **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.england.nhs.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.england.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

Support for Trusts to Work Collaboratively Effectively

Reference number

BC-10295

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

NHS England & Improvement intend to award a contract to NHS Providers for services to support trusts to make rapid progress on collaboration across four critical areas

#### 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: £1,180,000

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

2nd Floor, Zone D

Skipton House

London

SE1 6LH

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

The services relate to supporting and progressing trust collaboration across four critical areas (system transformation, collaboration at scale, collaboration at place, addressing radical and wider health inequalities) and are required at pace to meet the local and system wide NHS needs in the post covid landscape and deliver the NHS long term plan. Successful services will be able to define, support and deliver the following:

- Research to identify good practice and barriers where trust boards need support
- Exploration as to how communities of practice can make rapid progress
- Engagement activities with board leaders to embed NHSEI guidance
- Promotion of insights from NHSEI and other organisations to trust boards
- Peer learning, bespoke development sessions, training and knowledge sharing targets at trust board leaders

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## 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:**

NHS Providers are recognised as the voice of the Trust sector. They are the only membership organisation solely dedicated to supporting trusts throughout the wider NHS Provider Sector with 100% of trusts signed up as members. They are uniquely placed with this relationship and are able to deliver the outputs at a pace and to a level other organisations would not be able to without significant work to develop the necessary relationships, skills and knowledge networks

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

## Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract/concession

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

10 May 2021

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

**NHS Providers** 

One Birdcage Walk

London

SW1H 9JJ

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £1,180,000

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# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS England

**Quarry House** 

Leeds

LS2 7UE

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://www.england.nhs.uk/

### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Suppliers should contact the Procurement Manager by 22nd May 2022