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## **VEAT Notice intention to award a public contract for the provision of beds in an Mental Health Acute care setting**

GREATER MANCHESTER MENTAL HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b260

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

GREATER MANCHESTER MENTAL HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

Prestwich Hospital Bury New Rd

MANCHESTER

M25 3BL

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD - North West (England)

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.gmmh.nhs.uk](http://www.gmmh.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**

VEAT Notice intention to award a public contract for the provision of beds in an Mental Health Acute care setting

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85100000 - Health services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

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

Intention to award a Public contract under Regulation 32(2) (b) (iii) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 for the for the provision of beds providing support and treatment to patients through crisis periods and acute phases until the patient can be repatriated to home services or discharged back into the community.

#### **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: £656,640

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

During the Covid-19 pandemic, pressure for mental health beds has increased. The National IS contract secured by NHS England (for acute hospitals) did not include additional mental health bed capacity. Mental health Trusts have therefore looked to secure ad hoc, and sometimes costly, spot purchase arrangements with the IS bed

providers, exacerbated by a prolonged Covid-19 response period in the North West.

The experience of our most vulnerable service users and their friends and family when in a crisis is of vital importance to our core values and philosophy as specialist mental health providers. If patients cannot be accommodated within the existing bed base or by another NHS Trust, implement the best alternative.

The NW IS block contract introduces a managed pathway for when NHS demand exceeds capacity. A number of North West Mental Health NHS Providers have agreed to enter into contractual arrangements with Independent Sector providers (IS) for adult Acute mental health beds, thus ensuring there is access to a locally contracted IS bed when demand exceeds capacity within the existing NHS Trust bed base. Participant NHS Trusts have agreed the number of IS beds they will require as part of these arrangements, based on previous demand and IS bed availability.

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The buying authorities are Greater Manchester Mental Health NHS FT, Pennine Care NHS FT, Cheshire and Wirral Partnership NHS FT and Mersey Care NHS FT. Greater Manchester Mental health are the Coordinating Head Provider.

## **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:

The intention to award of a public contract for the provision of beds providing support and treatment to patients through crisis periods and acute phases until the patient can be repatriated to home services or discharged back into the community. The locations cannot be provided by anyone else in the area and all Three IS providers of Adult Acute Mental Health Beds are included in this collaboration.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## **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**

18 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**

Elysium Healthcare (St Mary's) Limited

Borehamwood

WD6 1JN

Email

[gemma.bushell@gmmh.nhs.uk](mailto:gemma.bushell@gmmh.nhs.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £656,640

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

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

CYGNET Health Care Limited

Sevenoaks,

TN15 7RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £952,128

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

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

Priory Health Care Limited London

London

WD6 1JN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £6,343,665

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a VEAT notice to show our intention to award a public works contract using the Negotiated Procedure without prior publication (Regulation 32 (2) (b) (iii)). A subsequent award notice will be published in due course.

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

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

Greater Manchester Mental FT

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom