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Contract

Greater Manchester Non-Emergency Patient Transport Services

NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-011231

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04f8b4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care Board

Manchester

Email

nhsgm.procurement@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKD - North West (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://gmintegratedcare.org.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

Greater Manchester Non-Emergency Patient Transport Services

Reference number

ref: 2325/QOP/RX7/01/001

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Non-Emergency Patient Transport Service (NEPTS). Provision for a planned, unplanned and enhanced priority NEPTS service.

This contract will be for 12-months from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2026.

The total value of this contract is £17,532,082.

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Direct Award Process C intention to award notice, this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

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: £17,532,082

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Non-Emergency Patient Transport Service (NEPTS). Provision for a planned, unplanned and enhanced priority NEPTS service.

This contract will be for 12-months from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2026.

The total value of this contract is £17,532,082.

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 Procurement Act 2023 Regulations do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by midnight on 7th April 2025.

This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Written representations should be sent to: nhsigm.procurement@nhs.net

Key Award Criteria - Quality and innovation - 22.5%, Value 22.5%, Integration, collaboration and service sustainability - 22.5%, improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice - 22.5% and Social Value - 10%.

Award decision-makers: Corporate Director of Finance - Commissioning & Financial Assurance and the Executive Committee on behalf on NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care Board.

No conflicts of interest were declared.

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:

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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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 March 2025

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

North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Bolton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £17,532,082

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Greater Manchester Integrated Care Board

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Email

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