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Contract

Asylum Seeker & Refugee Primary Care Services – Initial Accommodation Centre [Urgent Award]

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-011397

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04dc02

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

Westgate House Market Street

Warwick

CV34 4DE

Contact

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKG33 - Coventry

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.happyhealthylives.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.happyhealthylives.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

Asylum Seeker & Refugee Primary Care Services – Initial Accommodation Centre [Urgent Award]

Reference number

AG24033

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Urgent Award for the provision of Asylum Seeker & Refugee Primary Care Services – Initial Accommodation Centre

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: £101,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKG33 - Coventry

Main site or place of performance

City of Coventry Health Centre 2 Stoney Stanton Road

Coventry CV1 4FS

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The contract is for the provision of Asylum Seeker & Refugee Primary Care Services – Initial Accommodation Centre.

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board are making an urgent award to the existing provider Primary Care Partners Limited as described in regulation 14 of the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

The Meridian Practice is a specialist GP service in Coventry commissioned to deliver services to asylum seekers and refugees. The practice has been delivering services for Asylum Seekers at Quadrant Hall IAC since it opened in 2023. Home Office Funding is allocated on an annual basis and has not yet been confirmed for 25/26. NHS Coventry and Warwickshire ICB are placing this urgent award to ensure public and patient safety and continuity of services.

Therefore this contract is being awarded to Primary Care Partners Limited as they are the current provider for the Asylum Seeker & Refugee Primary Care Services.

The lifetime value of this contract is £101,000.

Services will be provided between 1st April 2025 and 31st March 2026.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: to address immediate risks to safety and quality of care / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

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

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:

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice. 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.

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

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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

12 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

Primary Care Partners Limited

108 High Street

Great Missenden

HP16 0BG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKJ13 - Buckinghamshire CC

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: £101,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £101,000

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.

The decision to use Regulation 14 to award under urgent circumstances was made due to the need to ensure continuity of services and to address risks to public and patient safety. Failure to provide this service will mean that vulnerable patients will have to use mainstream GP practices who are already under pressure to deliver services to patients. The service is set up to address the specialist and increased health care needs of the specific population and allows resources to be targeted through one provider rather than multiple GP practices.

There were no declared or potential conflicts of interest.

The decision makers for this process are Coventry & Warwickshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) Procurement Panel.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

Westgate House Market Street

Warwick

CV34 4DE

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://www.happyhealthylives.uk/

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

NHS Arden and Greater East Midlands Commissioning Support Unit

Cardinal Square, 10 Nottingham Road

Derby

DE1 3QT

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://www.ardengemcsu.nhs.uk/