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Contract

NCL ICB - Mercury Care Services Limited

NHS North Central London Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-011652

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04f9c1

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS North Central London Integrated Care Board

Laycock PDC, Laycock Street

London

N1 1TH

Contact

Complex Care Contracts Team

Email

nclicb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

Buyer's address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

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

NCL ICB - Mercury Care Services Limited

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Contract issued to meet placement criteria for individual service user eligible for Continuing Healthcare (CHC).

Supplier to deliver the following service: home care

Contract start date: 13/08/2024

Contract end date: 01/10/2024

Contract awarded at weekly placement

Package of care started at 56 hours at a weekly cost of £1268.82. On 12/09/2024 care hours was increased to 133 hours at a new weekly fee of £2989.77. Total cost: £13734.15

For noting this is a new placement with an existing provider.

Reason for this provider:

Continuity of Care: Client was previously using this provider prior to becoming CHC eligible

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: £13,734.15

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Fast Track Care package brokered. Contract issued to meet placement criteria for individual eligible for NHS Continuing Healthcare

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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) contract 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 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice notes that this contract has been formally awarded under the PSR. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority 30 days from the date of this notice

Due to the requirements listed in the client's care plan, this provider was the most suitable to deliver on the placement needs. Client was a Fast Track patient and was already self funding care from this provider prior to becoming CHC eligible.

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

18 September 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Mercury Care Services Limited

781-781 London Road

Surrey

CR7 6AW

Email

info@mercurycare.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,268.82

Lowest offer: £1,268.82 / Highest offer: £13,734.15 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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. This contract has been formally awarded using direct award process C

Written representations should be sent to nclimb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net within 30 days of contract award or the publication of this notice whichever date is latest.

The decision to award the contract was made by the CIC Commissioning Manager on 12/08/2024.

- No declarations of actual, or potential interests by those officers involved in this decision have been received

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS North Central London ICB

Laycock PDC, Laycock Street

London

N1 1TH

Email

nclimb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution

70 Fleet Street

London

EC4Y 1EU

Email

info@cedr.com

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.cedr.com/>

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Written representations should be sent to nclpicb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net within 30 days of contract award or the publication of this notice include the FTS reference.

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

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