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# Primary Care Out of Hours on behalf of Derby & Derbyshire ICB

NHS Derby & Derbyshire Integrated Care Board

F01: Prior information notice

Call for competition

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Derby & Derbyshire Integrated Care Board

Cardinal Square, 10 Nottingham Road

Derby

DE1 3QT

#### Contact

Craig Stephens

#### **Email**

craig.stephens@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.joinedupcarederbyshire.co.uk/derbyshire-integrated-care-board/

Buyer's address

https://www.joinedupcarederbyshire.co.uk/derbyshire-integrated-care-board/

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome

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Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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# 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

Primary Care Out of Hours on behalf of Derby & Derbyshire ICB

Reference number

C167953

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

\*\*PIN as a Call for Competition\*\*

NHS Arden & Greater East Midlands Commissioning Support Unit (AGCSU) on behalf of the Commissioner(s), NHS Derby & Derbyshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) wish to commission a Primary Care Out of Hours Service and invite interested providers to submit their expression of interest for this service.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £66,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

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Main site or place of performance

Derby & Derbyshire

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

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NHS Derby and Derbyshire ICB commission the Primary Care GP Out of Hours Service which is due to end on the 31 March 2024. The service is for patients requiring appropriate primary care when their GP Practice is closed. It operates across a wide range of sites throughout the county and city offering face to face assessment and treatment of patients either in a residential setting or at an OOH Primary Care Centre (PCC) and clinician advice to patients over the phone and via Video Consultation.

We are re-commissioning this service to start from 01st April 2024 and are subsequently looking for providers who are interested in delivering this service. Any Primary Care GP OOH provider will be expected to adhere to the national IUC Service Specification in addition to any local requirements detailed within the specification that accompanies this PIN.

The service is a Schedule 3 Service and is being procured under the Light Touch Regime (LTR) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015. This notice is a Prior Information Notice as a Call for Competition under the permitted procedure for social and other specific services, as provided for in the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 - Regulation 48. In accordance with Regulation 32(b)(ii) of the Regulations, interested parties should note that the contract for the services may be awarded without further publication and interested parties should express their interest inwriting by following the instructions below. Only providers who express an interest to this Prior Information Notice will be invited to a secondary ITT phase.

Providers willing to Express an Interest will be required to respond to a series of questions which are scored on a "Pass/Fail" basis. The scoring criteria for each question is stipulated within the question. Only providers who score a "Pass" on all "Pass/Fail" questions will be deemed compliant & capable. Depending on the outcome of the Expressions of Interest, the Commissioner reserves the right to direct award to provider(s) with no further competition.

The activity is 250,000 patients per annum. The annual value of this procurement is estimated to be £6.5 million - £13.2 million per annum (see Document 1 Process Overview for details). This is based on historical activity and is not guaranteed. The Contract will be awarded for 3 years, commencing on the 01st April 2024, with the potential to extend for up to a further 2 years at the discretion of the ICB.

The deadline for expressions of interest is 1700hrs on the 13th June 2023. No expressions of interest after this time will be accepted.

Full details of the service can be found in the accompanying documentation within the attachments area of the project on Atamis. To access the documentation please visit Atamis on the link below and access project C167953 – Primary Care Out of Hours Service for Derby and Derbyshire ICB [https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome].

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70%

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30%

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £66,000,000

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 March 2029

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for up to a further 2 years at the discretion of the Commissioner.

#### 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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

## III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## Section IV. Procedure

### **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

#### 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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of expressions of interest

Date

13 June 2023

Local time

5:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

**English** 

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Arden and GEM CSU

Francis Crick House

Northampton

NN3 6BJ

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

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

## VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NHS Arden and GEM CSU

Francis Crick House

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

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