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Contract

NHS BNSSG - Palliative and End of Life Care (PEoLC)

NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB

Floor 2, North Wing, 100 Temple Street, Bristol, BS1 6AG

BRISTOL

BS13NX

Email

bnssq.customerservice@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK11 - Bristol, City of

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://bnssq.icb.nhs.uk/

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NHS BNSSG - Palliative and End of Life Care (PEoLC)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

BNSSG ICB is awarding the named providers contracts to deliver palliative and end of life care (PEoLC) across BNSSG until 31/03/2027.

These services are essential to support patients who are at the end of life, to enable them to attain the highest possible quality of life in accordance with their end of life care preferences.

Awarding the named providers will result in continuity of care for patients and their families, whilst the ICB undertakes a review of PEoLC service provision, to ensure we are commissioning the best services for our population.

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: £16,453,948

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK - South West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Within the Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Integrated Care Board footprint.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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The providers are being awarded 4-year contracts, with a start date of 1st April 2023. The contract values are as follows:

St Peter's Hospice - £12,475,236 (over 4 years)

Weston Hospicecare - £2,480,244 (over 4 years)

Marie Curie - £1,498,468 (over 4 years)

All the relevant Providers are providing a service of acceptable quality that meets the needs and expectation of the ICB and patients. The ICB has no concerns regarding the proposed providers' ability to deliver the service. As a result of all the material factors noted above, the negotiated procedure without prior publication is justified under regulation 32(2)(b)(ii) 'competition is absent for technical reasons'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.14) Additional information

The services are healthcare services falling within Schedule 3 to the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 ("the Regulations") which are not subject to the full regime of the Regulations, but are instead governed by the "Light Touch Regime" contained within Chapter 3, Section 7 of the Regulations (Regulations 74 to 77).

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

• New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services

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

30 November 2023

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

St Peter's Hospice Charlton Road, Brentry Bristol **BS10 6NL** Country **United Kingdom** NUTS code • UKK - South West (England) **Companies House** 01191227 The contractor is an SME No V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT) Total value of the contract/lot: £12,475,236

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

30 November 2023

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

Weston Hospicecare

Jackson-Barstow House, 28 Thornbury Road

Weston-super-Mare

BS234YQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKK - South West (England)

Companies House

02414541

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,480,244

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

30 November 2023

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

Marie Curie

89 Albert Embankment

London

SE17TP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKK - South West (England)

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

00507597

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,498,468

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The services procured through this procurement process are fully regulated under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (PCR2015), and more specifically under regulation 32(2)(b)(ii). The process has been undertaken in full accordance with the law.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court London

London

Country

United Kingdom