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Tender

Lancashire & South Cumbria Adults Mental Health-Lot 1 Peer Support, Lot 2 PH SMI

NHS Lancashire & South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Lancashire & South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

Preston

PR18BH

Email

mlcsu.tendersnorth@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKD - North West (England)

NHS Organisation Data Service

NHS Lancashire & South Cumbria Integrated Care Board

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.lancashireandsouthcumbria.icb.nhs.uk/

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

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

Lancashire & South Cumbria Adults Mental Health-Lot 1 Peer Support, Lot 2 PH SMI

Reference number

WHISP 264 & WHISP 265

II.1.2) Main CPV code

85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Midlands and Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit (MLCSU) is working on behalf of NHS Lancashire & South Cumbria Integrated Care Board (ICB) who are looking to undertake a multi-lot Competitive Process for the provision of Adult Mental Health Services (Lot 1 - Peer Support and Lot 2 - Physical Health Checks for people with Serious Mental Illness (PH SMI) Outreach Service).

During 2023 and 2024 the community Mental Health Transformation programme has worked to coproduce an integrated model of support for people living with severe mental illness, develop pathways and articulate what interventions are required to support people to live well in their local communities. This work has informed what services are required as part of the model going forward.

The ICB is committed to providing stability to the sector and a model of services is being proposed, which will procure services It is the intention of the ICB to start commissioning contracts for the above services from 1st December 2024 for 2 years and 4 months, with an option to extend for a further 2 years.

Lot 1 - Peer Support - Annual Value

Lot 1a Blackpool £254,582

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen £267,475

Lot 1c South Cumbria £161,454

Lot 1d Lancashire East £485,740

Lot 1e Lancashire Central £468,117

Lot 1f Lancashire North £312,632

Lot 2 - PH SMI - Annual Value

Lot 2a Blackpool £78,333

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen £82,300

Lot 2c South Cumbria £49,678

Lot 2d Lancashire East £149,459

Lot 2e Lancashire Central £144,036

Lot 2f Lancashire North £96,194

The ITT will be live on Wednesday 24th April 2024 on the Atamis Portal. The deadline for submission will be Tuesday 28th May 2024 12:00pm mid-day.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject bids that exceed the indicated budget. To express interest and participate in the Competitive Process, please register and apply via Atamis e-sourcing portal https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome.

There will be a maximum of 12 contracts totalling £2,550,000 annually. The overall maximum contract value for all 12 lots, including possible contract extensions is £11,050,000.

Should Tenderers have any queries, or having problems using the portal, they should contact Helpdesk at: Phone: 0800 9956035 E-mail: support-health@atamis.co.uk The relevant reference number for this tender is C253483 and the questionnaires will be located within the requirements. Further details will be made available via documentation and information released during the tender process. The ICB has set an affordability threshold for each lot. Bidders who submit a bid over the maximum contract values in the procurement documents, will not achieve the score of a pass. There isn't a competition on price.

The ICB intends to procure Lot 3 Psychological Informed Interventions and Lot 4 Social Inclusion later this year (timescales to be confirmed).

The competitive tendering process to which this ITT relates to and further to which the Authority intends to purchase the Services as set out in regulation 11 of the provider selection regime 2023 for the award of a contract with a competition.

This ITT has been made available to all Bidders who have expressed a potential interest in delivering this service in line with the requirements which fall under Regulation 11 for the award of a contract with a competition, and Schedule 1 of the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. As such, the competitive tendering of these Services is being run as a bespoke, single-stage tender process as described in the documentation in this ITT, and in the Find a Tender contract notice advertisement.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £11,050,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 12

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1a Peer Support - Blackpool

Lot No

1a

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Blackpool

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,103,189

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1b Peer Support (Blackburn with Darwen

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Blackburn with Darwen

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,159,058

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1c Peer Support (South Cumbria)

Lot No

1c

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

South Cumbria

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £699,634

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1d Peer Support (Lancashire East)

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire East

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £2,104,873

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1e Peer Support (Lancashire Central)

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire Central

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £2,028,506

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1f Peer Support (Lancashire North)

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire North

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,354,739

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2a PH SMI (Blackpool)

Lot No

7

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Blackpool

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £339,443

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2b PH SMI (Blackburn with Darwen)

Lot No

8

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Blackburn with Darwen

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £356,634

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2c PHSMI (South Cumbria)

Lot No

9

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

South Cumbria

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £215,272

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2d PH SMI (Lancashire East)

Lot No

10

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire East

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £647,655

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2e PH SMI (Lancashire Central)

Lot No

11

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire Central

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £624,156

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 6f PH SMI (Lancashire North)

Lot No

12

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Lancashire North

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Peer Support (6 places)

Lot 1a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 1b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 1c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 1d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 1e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 1f Lancashire North (1x contract)

Lot 2 - PH SMI - (6 places)

Lot 2a Blackpool (1x contract)

Lot 2b Blackburn with Darwen (1x contract)

Lot 2c South Cumbria (1x contract)

Lot 2d Lancashire East (1x contract)

Lot 2e Lancashire Central (1x contract)

Lot 2f Lancashire North (1x contract)

A maximum of 1 bidder, or consortium, may be selected for each lot, for each place where

applicable.

If the Authority decides to award Contracts, the Authority intends to award contracts to up to 12 Bidders.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £416,840

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

Start date

1 December 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible Contract Extension

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Basic Selection Questions detailed in Tender 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

Open 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 tenders or requests to participate

Date

28 May 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

29 May 2024

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

The competitive tendering process to which this ITT relates to and further to which the Authority intends to purchase the Services as set out in regulation 11 of the provider selection regime 2023 for the award of a contract with a competition.

This ITT has been made available to all Bidders who have expressed a potential interest in delivering this service in line with the requirements which fall under Regulation 11 for the award of a contract with a competition, and Schedule 1 of the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. As such, the competitive tendering of these Services is being run as a bespoke, single-stage tender process as described in the documentation in this ITT, and in the Find a Tender contract notice advertisement.

The Authority reserves the right to make changes to the process as it sees necessary whilst adhering to those sections of the Provider Selection Regime regulations which lay out the principles for the competitive tendering process. The Authority will ensure that Bidders are made aware, in reasonable time, of any changes it makes to the process. All changes will be communicated through the Procurement portal messaging system, Atamis.

The Contracting Authority is not voluntarily following any other part of the Regulations.

Right to Cancel: The Contracting Authority reserves the right to discontinue the Competitive Process at any time, which shall include the right not to award a contract or contracts, and does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender, or any tender received, and reserves the right to award a contract in part, or to call for new tenders should it consider this necessary.

The Contracting Authority shall not be liable for any costs or expenses incurred by any candidate or tenderer in connection with the completion and return of the information requested in this Contract Notice, or in the completion or submission of any tender, irrespective of the outcome of the competition or if the competition is cancelled or postponed.

All dates, time periods and values specified in this notice are provisional and the Contracting Authority reserves the right to change these.

Transparency: The Contracting Authority is subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004(EIR) and may be required to disclose information received in the course of this procurement under FOIA or the EIR.

In addition, and in accordance with the UK Government's policies on transparency, the contracting authority intends to publish documentation and the text of any resulting contractual arrangements, subject to possible redactions at the discretion of the Contracting Authority.

Any redactions, whether in relation to information requests under FOIA, the EIR or policies on transparency will be in accordance with those grounds prescribed under the Freedom of Information Act. If and when this requirement is offered to tender, this will be done via electronic means using the internet. Midlands and Lancashire CSU is conducting this procurement exercise as a central purchasing body for another NHS body with whom the successful bidder(s) will enter into contracts for the supply of the services.

Any other public-sector body detailed within this notice, wishing to access the contract may do so only with permission from the contracting NHS body.

Further details will be made available via documentation and information released during the Competitive Process

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Lancashire & South Cumbria ICB

Preston

Country

United Kingdom