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# Contract Hand and Upper Limb Transplant Services

NHS England

F03: Contract award notice Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-014466 Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04577b Published 7 May 2024, 10:25am

## Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

NHS England

LEEDS

#### Contact

Anna Salt

Email

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#### Country

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.england.nhs.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

Hand and Upper Limb Transplant Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Hand and upper limb transplantation is possible following cadaveric donation. The surgery involved is extremely complex and recipients have, as with other cadaveric transplants, to take immunosuppressive drugs for life to prevent the transplanted organ being rejected. This service provides assessment, transplantation and follow-up.

#### 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: £1,706,000

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85100000 - Health services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

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

Hand and upper limb transplantation is possible following cadaveric donation. The surgery involved is extremely complex and recipients have, as with other cadaveric transplants, to take immunosuppressive drugs for life to prevent the transplanted organ being rejected. This service provides assessment, transplantation and follow-up. This is a very complex service to deliver - both from a patient assessment point of view and from a technical surgery point of view (the 10-hour operation requires eight plastic surgeons, one for each donor limb and one for each donor stump).

An award has been made following Direct Award Process A.

The lifetime value of the contract is £1,706,000.00.

The contract start date is 1st April 2024 for a period of 3 years with an option to extend for a further 2 years.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: No realistic alternative provider / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.11) Information about options

**Options: Yes** 

Description of options

There is an option to extend for a further 2 years.

## **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

## 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

1 April 2024

#### 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

Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,706,000

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

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Decision-Makers: National Commissioning Group (NCG)

Tuesday 27th February 2024 and Clinical Executive Group (CEG)

Tuesday 12th March 2024

Conflicts of interest identified among NCG and CEG: None

#### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Arden & Gem CSU

Leicester

Country

United Kingdom

#### VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Arden & Gem CSU

Leicester

Country

United Kingdom

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

Arden & Gem CSU

Leicester

Country

United Kingdom