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Electronic Document Management System

University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

Electronic Document Management System

Reference number

BWPCIT860

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 48311100 - Document management system

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This contract is for the provision of an electronic document management system which is deployed on-premise and is a secure computerised system that ensures only authorised staff can access the system. The solution is to provide scanning and archiving functionality for paper medical records, allowing clinicians to view the scanned legacy records electronically and capture data at the point of care using electronic forms and workflow capability.

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: £900,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48613000 - Electronic data management (EDM)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK1 - Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for the provision of an electronic document management system (EDMS)

deployed on-premise for secure, audited storage and management of patient documentation, enabling paperless working through configuration of digital workflows and electronic forms. The solution is required to provide instant access to patient records via mobile devices and desktops and enable quick access to information through simple intuitive user interface. The solution is required to be interoperable with the Trust's primary patient management system based on HL7 standards.

The solution is required to be a secure computerised system that ensures only authorised

staff can access the system. The solution is to provide scanning and archiving functionality for paper medical records, allowing clinicians to view the scanned legacy records electronically and capture data at the point of care using electronic forms and workflow capability. An increase in capacity of the solution is also required to enable additional users to access and utilise the EDMS solution as well as the supply of the associated ongoing system support & maintenance services.

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

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

There is a need to ensure the legacy electronic document management solution remains supported and maintained and as well as addressing the expiry of the existing support and maintenance arrangement there is also a need to increase the capacity of the solution to enable additional end users to access and utilise the system following the merger between University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust and Weston Area Health NHS Trust.

Given the current Trust's digitisation programme, covid pressures, the direction to transition to full electronic patient record as well as the level of investment already undertaken in time, resource and capital to establish an on-premise solution there is a need to ensure continuity of service, the solution has sufficient capacity to meet current organisational needs and mitigate potential issues of being able to establish a stable and fully integrated system.

There is a need to avoid disruption, given the Trust's digitisation programme and covid pressures, which could potentially introduce risks of fragmentation in records as well as continued effort to be focused on transition from physical medical records to a full electronic patient record.

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/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

24 June 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Kainos Software Ltd

Kainos House, 4 -6 Upper Crescent

Belfast

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £900,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Bristol and Weston Purchasing Consortium

Princess Campbell Offices, North Bristol NHS Trust, Southmead Road

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