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# **NHSWYICB - Neurodevelopmental Assessment Service**

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

White Rose House, West Parade

Wakefield

WF11LT

#### Contact

**Ben Pursey** 

#### **Email**

wyicb-kirk.procurement@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

**UKE4 - West Yorkshire** 

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

https://www.westyorkshire.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

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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

NHSWYICB - Neurodevelopmental Assessment Service

Reference number

C354190

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Neurodevelopmental Assessment (ASD and/or ADHD) and ADHD medication for Children, Young People and Adults in West Yorkshire

# II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKE4 - West Yorkshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (NHS WY ICB) is committed to implementing the local service framework for mental health, learning disability and ASD. Its ambition is to develop a "local service framework" so there is "...more consistency in how our providers

deliver their services throughout the assessment, diagnosis, and post-diagnosis support processes."

Under the NHS Patient Choice Framework there is a duty on NHS WY ICB to support choice of provider options for people accessing mental health services, in the same way choice is supported for other planned care services. This includes services related to ASD and ADHD assessment, diagnosis, and where applicable, treatment.

There is a duty on NHS WY ICB to support choice of provider options for people accessing mental health services, in the same way we support choice for other planned care services. NHS WY ICB also has a duty to ensure services are safe, high quality, cost effective and efficient.

- Support choice for children, young people and adults (all-age).
- Improve outcomes for children, young people and adults (all-age).
- Children, young people and adults (all-age) are referred to services and providers where care is safe, high-quality, clinically appropriate and cost effective.
- Services and providers have been through the relevant due diligence and assurance mechanisms.
- Minimise waiting times for an assessment and/or ADHD treatment (where applicable).

Providers are required to deliver and outcomes they are required to achieve if they provide either for Children and Young People, Adults or both any of the following services:

- 1. Diagnostic assessments for ASD
- 2. Diagnostic assessments for ADHD and medication as a form of treatment for ADHD in line with West Yorkshire Area Prescribing Committee Amber (shared care) guidelines.

The providers will be accredited for:

Lot 1 - ASD Assessment 0-5

Lot 2 - ASD Assessment 6-17

Lot 3 - ASD Assessment 18+

Lot 4 - ADHD Assessment & Treatment 6-17

Lot 5 - ADHD Assessment & Treatment 18+

Lot 6 - ASD/ADHD Assessment Combined and ADHD Treatment 6-17

Lot 7 - ASD/ADHD Assessment Combined and ADHD Treatment 18+

For Lots 4-7, providers will be expected to either:

- a) be able to prescribe/intend to develop a prescribing offer OR
- b) have written agreements in place in place with prescriber/sub-contract prescribing by the long stop date of 6 months from contract commencement.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

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

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

Start date

1 July 2025

End date

30 June 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

No

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## 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

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

30 April 2025

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

Tender must be valid until: 1 April 2026

### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

30 April 2025

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

WYICB PSR Review Panel

White Rose House, West Parade

Wakefield

WF11LT

Country

**United Kingdom** 

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NHS England Independent Patient Choice and Procurement Panel

London

London

SE18UG

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

https://www.england.nhs.uk/commissioning/how-commissioning-is-changing/nhs-provider-selection-regime/independent-patient-choice-and-procurement-panel/