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Tender

Integrated Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) Services

North East London NHS Foundation Trust

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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NUTS code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.nelft.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.nelft.nhs.uk>

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<http://health.atamis.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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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

Integrated Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

North East London NHS Foundation Trust (NELFT) wishes to commission partners within the voluntary and community sector (VCS) to employ, support, develop and train peer workers for the new Neighbourhood Teams across each of its boroughs as part of its community mental health transformation programme.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,584,726

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI5 - Outer London – East and North East

Main site or place of performance

NELFT

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

2.1 The NHS Long Term Plan (LTP) set out an expectation that Integrated Care Systems

(ICS's) would develop "new integrated models of primary and community mental health care (which) will support adults and older adults with severe mental illness" to improve outcomes. To support ICS's to develop these new models the NHS published a new Community Mental Health Framework for adults and older adults in 2019. The framework describes the Long Term Plan's vision for placed based community mental health models and how these can be realised and details how; community services should be modernised to offer whole person, whole population health approaches, aligned with Primary Care Networks (PCNs).2.2 To support implementation of the new framework North East London's (NCL) ICS submitted an application to NHSE outlining its new community model for mental health services. The new model for community mental health services will deliver integrated multi-disciplinary teams that are placed based within our boroughs and deliver improved outcomes for people with mental ill health.2.3 The Trust will engage in a gradual programme of development, introducing new Neighbourhood Teams over the next 3 years that will be based around Primary Care Networks. These teams will, over time, replace current Access and Community Recovery Teams in order to improve continuity of care so that clinicians can develop longer lasting and deeper relationships with service users, their families, friends and networks. The change we aim to bring about is thus both structural and cultural and all staff joining the new teams will receive training in additional systemic and holistic skills to work in a more person-centred way.2.4 Central to our new teams will be a number of Peer Workers who will be core members of each team. We aim to recruit 7-8 Peer Workers in each team through a collaboration between NELFT and 3rd Sector partners.

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: £1,584,726

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

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

12 month extension

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: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

9 August 2021

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: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

9 August 2021

Local time

12:00pm

Place

Electronic

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure

Procurement Team

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

NHS London Procurement Partnership (Hosted by Guy's and St Thomas' NHS FT)

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