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Planning

Provision of a Physiotherapy Service

Tees Esk & Wear Valleys NHS Foundation Trust

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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**

Provision of a Physiotherapy Service

Reference number

SP1879

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85142100 - Physiotherapy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Tees Esk and Wear Valleys NHS Foundation Trust (TEWV) are the Mental Health & Learning Disability NHS Trust for County Durham and Darlington, Teesside, North Yorkshire, York and Selby. Along with partners, they deliver support to people in their own homes, and from community and hospital-based premises.

From education and prevention, to crisis and specialist care their talented and compassionate teams work in partnership with patients, communities and partners to help the people of their region feel safe, understood, believed in and cared for.

They are committed to new thinking that improves the wellbeing of the region and connect with communities and partners to get mental health care right, in areas that really need it.

TEWV have more than 8,000 employees and work across more than 100 sites. In addition to their corporate teams, the remaining services are divided into two Care Group Boards; Durham, Tees Valley and Forensic Service Care Group Board and North Yorkshire and York Care Group Board.

Some of the key sites are:

- West Park Hospital, Darlington
- Lanchester Road Hospital, Durham
- Roseberry Park, Middlesbrough
- Flatts Lane Centre, Normanby
- North Moor House, Northallerton,
- Huntingington House, York
- Foss Park, York
- Cross Lane Scarborough
- Windsor House, Harrogate

TEWV also provide services into a number of HM Prisons in the North East, Cumbria, Hull and Humber.

The Trust is keen to engage with the market to better understand supplier capability ahead of a potential further competition for Physiotherapy Services.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85142100 - Physiotherapy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Tees Esk and Wear Valleys NHS Foundation Trust (TEWV) currently have a fully managed outsourced service provider to deliver Occupational Health Services to their workforce. Under this agreement they utilise a range of services including, management referrals, health screening, immunisations, vaccinations and physiotherapy/MSK service.

The services are provided predominantly on a virtual basis (telephone/ video conference) except for those that require face to face such as physiotherapy, immunisations, and exceptional cases.

In addition to this core Occupational Health Service the organisation operates an Employee Assistance programme via VivUp and have in-house staff support and staff psychological services offering individual and group interventions. The intention is to continue utilising these services and therefore they are not in scope.

Occupational Health services are also outside of scope as a separate contract.

The Trusts current activity levels for physiotherapy /MSK are:

Activity Over 6 month period

Physiotherapy Information Line 174

MSK Management Referrals 231

MSK Treatment sessions 192

MSK Case Review and Report 28

TEWV require the successful supplier for Physiotherapy / MSK services to mobilise for a smooth transition for a go live date of 1st December 2024.

The organisation is keen to engage with the market to better understand supplier capability ahead of a potential further competition process and are seeking to understand whether suppliers are interested in bidding for this opportunity and the services that they can offer.

In advance of commencing a potential formal procurement process they are able to offer interested parties an hour-long pre-tender engagement session to better understand their requirements and discuss high level requirements and service delivery options.

Proposed Contract start date: 1st December 2024

The length of the contract is envisaged to be an initial term of 2 years with 2 x 1-year extension options.

Confidentially requirements:

The organisation may ask interested parties to complete a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA)

To express your interest in the supplier pre-engagement event please click on the following link

<https://www.cardea.nhs.uk/Cardea/DisplayModules/TradeModules/Negotiations/Opportunities/ViewOpportunityEvent.aspx?EventID=4641&Culture=en-GB>

The closing date for expressions of interest is the 12 Noon the 6th June 2024.

The pre-engagement events will be held 18th and 19th June 2024

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

26 June 2024

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes