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Contract

## **NHS Morecambe Bay CCG - Mental Health Support Teams in Schools**

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG

Morecambe

LA1 1QD

#### **Email**

[mlcsu.tendersnorth@nhs.net](mailto:mlcsu.tendersnorth@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://mlcsu.bravosolution.co.uk>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG - Mental Health Support Teams in Schools

Reference number

L21-16

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

NHS Midlands & Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit (CSU) is working on behalf of NHS Morecambe Bay CCG. This invitation to tender was for three Mental Health Support Teams in schools, in the Morecambe Bay area.

The objective of this procurement was to identify a provider who will run the existing MHST service currently within Morecambe Bay with one MHST covering Morecambe and Heysham school system and a further team covering the Barrow Peninsular High Schools. To also further establish one new MHST within Morecambe Bay working across High Schools. New services are required to be fully operational within 12 months of the Education Mental Health Practitioners (EMHPs) commencing training that is scheduled to start September 2022 for Wave 7, the new team is expected to be fully operational by the end of September 2023.

The population covered by the service includes all children and young people aged 5-18 years who are on roll at an educational setting that has signed up to take part in the programme. It also includes those children within the geography covered by the MHSTs whether or not they are on a school roll.

The teams will provide extra capacity for early intervention and ongoing help within educational settings.

#### **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: £5,327,590

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD4 - Lancashire

Main site or place of performance

Morecambe Bay

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

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Mental Health Support Teams are intended to:

? Deliver evidence-based interventions for mild to moderate mental health and emotional wellbeing needs

? Support senior mental health leads in education settings to develop and introduce their whole-school or whole-college approach to mental health and emotional wellbeing

? Providing timely advice to staff and liaising with external specialist services so that children and young people can get the right support and remain in education.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery - Pass / Fail, Scored / Weighting: 42

Quality criterion - Name: Quality & Governance - Pass / Fail, Scored / Weighting: 33

Quality criterion - Name: Workforce - Pass / Fail, Scored / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Information Management & Technology - Pass/ Fail, Scored / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Information Governance - Pass / Fail, Scored / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Equalities - Pass / Fail, Scored / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 0 - pass / fail

### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject bids that exceed the indicated budget.

Any other public-sector body detailed within this notice, wishing to access the contract may do so only with permission from the contracting NHS body.

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## **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2021/S 000-030750](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Title**

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG MHSTs in Schools

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

29 March 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Barnardos

Barnardo House, Tanners Lane, Barkingside, Ilford,

Essex

IG6 1QG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,327,590

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

This procurement was for Social and other specific services which are Light Touch Regime services for the purpose of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 as specified in Schedule 3 of the Regulations ('Regulations') <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2015/102/schedule/3/made>

Accordingly, the Contracting Authority is only bound by those parts of the Regulations detailed in Chapter 3 Particular Procurement Regimes Section 7 <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2015/102/part/2/chapter/3/made>

The Contracting Authority is not voluntarily following any other part of the Regulations.

The only selection for type of Procedure was "Open" and the Contracting Authority wishes to clarify that this is not an Open procedure but "Other" procedure under the Light Touch Regime. The procedure which the Contracting Authority is following is set out in the procurement documents.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG

Chorley House

Morecambe Bay

LA1 1QD

Email

[mlcsu.tendersnorth@nhs.net](mailto:mlcsu.tendersnorth@nhs.net)

Country

United Kingdom

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

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG

Moor Lane Mills

Lancaster

LA1 1QD

Country

United Kingdom

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

NHS Morecambe Bay CCG

Lancaster

LA1 1QD

Country

United Kingdom