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Contract

## **ADHD Service for Children and Young People in North East Hampshire**

NHS Frimley CCG

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-017495

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b369

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

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

NHS Frimley CCG

Aldershot

#### **Email**

[lauren.robinson@soeprocurement.nhs.uk](mailto:lauren.robinson@soeprocurement.nhs.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKJ - South East (England)

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

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/soepscommissioning/asp/Home>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/soepscommissioning.aspx/Home>

#### **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**

ADHD Service for Children and Young People in North East Hampshire

Reference number

F14868

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

This is a Contract Award Notice of a previously advertised PIN. This is not new information.

ADHD Service for Children and Young People in North East Hampshire have Direct Awarded to Psicon ltd for 24+12 months from 1st April 2021 of £362,140 per annum.

#### **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: £1,086,420

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ - South East (England)

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

ADHD Service for Children and Young People in North East Hampshire have Direct Awarded to Psicon ltd for 24+12 months from 1st April 2021 of £362,140 per annum.

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

Price

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

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

Explanation:

Direct awarding the North East Hampshire ADHD Service to Psicon will provide assurance and consistency in meeting the needs of children/young people. This will also reduce the risk of those already receiving medication experiencing adverse impacts from a break in service.

The direct award also affords the opportunity to review the impact of the service on children, young people and families. This will potentially be supported by a research project to determine effective outcome measures as a way of understanding the longer-term impacts on children/young people, particularly in terms of educational attainment, as part of a wider review of ADHD provision across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

This will allow the developed model and service specification to be fully costed, ensuring the service delivers value for money, and offering confidence that the service model is realistic and achievable without compromising the quality of the service.

Procurement throughout 2021/22 will divert commissioner and provider resources, at a time when workforce as a whole is under extreme pressure, post-Covid recovery and restoration. A direct award will provide confidence that the commissioned service will be safe, sustainable and equitable in line with the NSH Long Term Plan during a period of substantial expansion and change. Earlier review of the current service and consideration of the future model was not possible due to the levels of disruption to normal service delivery impacted by Covid.

Frimley CCG and the Hampshire, Southampton and Isle of Wight CCG has recommended that a direct award to Psicon (the existing provider) is in the best interests of meeting patient needs, improving quality of care, and maximising potential efficiencies within the system.

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

Notice number: [2021/S 000-011255](#)

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

### **Contract No**

F14868

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

24 June 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Psicon Ltd

Kent

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ - South East (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,086,420

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,086,420

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Values include the optional 12 month extension.

This is an award notice with the same information as the previously advertise PIN.

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

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

NHS South of England Procurement Services

Fareham

Country

United Kingdom