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Contract

## **PDPS Voluntary Sector and SME Specialist Contracts Framework for NHS Mid and South Essex ICB**

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-018250

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-042639

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

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

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

Phoenix House, Christopher Martin Rd,

Basildon

SS14 3HG

#### **Contact**

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

#### **Email**

[cariad.burgess@attain.co.uk](mailto:cariad.burgess@attain.co.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKH3 - Essex

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.midandsouthessex.ics.nhs.uk>

**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**

PDPS Voluntary Sector and SME Specialist Contracts Framework for NHS Mid and South Essex ICB

Reference number

ACE-07050-2023-MSE

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

- 85323000 - Community health services

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

Services

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

This is a contract award notice to communicate that NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board (herein "the Authority") has awarded this Round 1 of the Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System (PDPS) framework provision NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Commissioning Board (NHS MSE ICB) is seeking to establish a Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System (PDPS) framework provision for small and medium enterprises (SME)s, Voluntary Sector Charity Organisations (VSCOs), and organisations who could deliver purpose led services within the Mid and South Essex ICB localities.

As advertised within the previous Find a Tender Opportunity Advert (notice number 2023/S 000-037030), the Services to which this procurement relates above threshold of the Light Touch Regime of the Public Contract Regulations (PCR 2015) (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020).

This procurement commenced before the 01st January 2024 and therefore the Health and Care Act 2022 and the new regime. For absolute clarity, the Provider Selection Regime (PSR) does not apply to this specific contract award for this "Round 1" of the PDPS Framework. All new opportunities or "Rounds" will be appropriately advertised on the Find a Tender Service platform and will be in accordance with the PSR.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £500,000,000 taken into consideration

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKH3 - Essex

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

As advertised within the previous Find a Tender Opportunity Advert (notice number 2023/S 000-037030), this PDPS has no activity guarantee, with a minimum contract value of £0.00 per annum. This notice has reflected a minimum value of £1.00 due to "cvc-minExclusive-valid: Value '0.0' is not facet-valid with respect to minExclusive '0.0' for type 'cost'." error which prevents the true figure of £0.00 per annum being illustrated in Section II.1.7) of this form.

The minimum contract value of £0.00 pa and maximum indicative aggregate contract value £500million. This indicative value was calculated by using the Authority's actual annual spend across a wide range of voluntary, small and medium-sized enterprises, specialist and locality specific purpose led services across the entire geography of Mid and South Essex. The Authority aims to procure such services via this PDPS (once it is established). Any services that do not align with the aims and objectives of this PDPS will be procured outside of this PDPS, in strict accordance with the Regulations.

The key objectives of the Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System are:

Establish a compliant contracting mechanism to allow the Authority to quickly source appropriate, suitable, capable providers to deliver place-based services.

To establish an Approved Provider List of providers who have met and continue to meet the Authority's minimum selection criteria over the term of the PDPS.

To establish a transparent Call-Off and Award Procedure that can be adapted to the individual requirements of each Call-Off contract whereby the Authority can effectively narrow the pool of eligible providers from the Approved Provider List to those most appropriate and capable to be Invited to Tender based on pre-published Categories.

The scope of services is a range of purpose led, place-based, supplementary community services that are uniquely suited to the Voluntary sector and small-to-medium-enterprises (SMEs). The framework aims to enable NHS MSE ICB to develop a process that will

support the community and voluntary organisations of any size to have a governance process in place to support with future commissioning and best utilise funding as it is available. The framework aims to enable Commissioners to best distribute funding and commission services at pace, particularly during in seasonal pressures, and to cover a wide range of support services within the MSE geographical footprint. Services in this PDPS include Locality Specific Community Services, Voluntary Sector Specialised Services, Supplementary Community Services (Adults and Children's Services), and Supplementary Mental Health Services across the Mid and South Essex geography.

The Contracting Authority(s) for the Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System is NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board (NHS MSE ICB) and the delegated authorities of NHS MSE ICB's Alliances<sup>1</sup>, which include<sup>2</sup>:

Basildon and Brentwood Alliance (on behalf of NHS MSE ICB)

Mid Alliance (on behalf of NHS MSE ICB)

South East Essex (SEE) Alliance (on behalf of NHS MSE ICB)

Thurrock Alliance (on behalf of NHS MSE ICB)

## 2.2 Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System Categories

All potential Bidders who wish to join the PDPS must provide information about their proposed ability to provide the Service that is the subject of this PDPS, in relation to the following 'Categories' of information.

The Authority will use a Filtering Process (described in Document 4 - 'PDPS Stage 2 Individual ITTs / Call Off Procedure') based on the information that Providers have submitted and evaluation of their SQ response, as well as any updates to such information from time to time, to identify all potential suitable PDPS Providers for the Call-Off Contract in question.

All details pertaining to this specific Round were freely available and outlined in the procurement documentation at: <https://attain.bravosolution.co.uk/> (itt\_145-Voluntary Sector and Specialist SME Contracts Framework for NHS Mid and South)

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

Cost criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 20

Cost criterion - Name: Workforce / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Safeguarding / Weighting: 20

Cost criterion - Name: Continuous Improvement and Partnership Working / Weighting: 20

Cost criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Sustainability and Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: IT / Weighting: 5

Cost criterion - Name: IG / Weighting: 5

### **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 Services to which this procurement relates above threshold of the Light Touch Regime of the Public Contract Regulations (PCR 2015) (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020).

Future "Rounds" for this PDPS framework will be in accordance to the Health and Care Act 2022, the Provider Selection Regime (PSR).

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-037030](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 May 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 34

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

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

Barnardos

Tanners Lane, Barkingside,

Ilford,

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: £1

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BFB Labs

BFB Labs c/o Better Space, 127 Farringdon Rd,

London

EC1R 3DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Choice Support

Compass House 84 Holland Road Maidstone

Kent

ME14 1UT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

City Family CIC

One Hub, 3rd Floor, Maitland House, Warrior Square,

Southend-on-Sea

SS1 2JY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Hamelin Trust

19 Radford Crescent

Billericay

CM12 0DU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

HomeLink Healthcare

Mimet House, 5a Praed Street,

London

W2 1NJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Carers First

Michael Gill Building, Tolgate Lane,

Strood

ME2 4TG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Home-Start Essex

Maldon Council Offices Princes Road

Maldon

CM9 5DL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Kids Inspire

Hargrave House, Hollycroft, Molrams Lane,

Chelmsford

CM2 7FW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Maldon and District CVS

Maldon District Council, Princes Road,

Maldon

CM9 5DL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Mid & North East Essex Mind

272a Mersea Road,

Colchester

CO2 8QZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

NHS North of England Commissioning Support Unit (NECS)

John Snow House,

Durham

DH1 3YG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Open Road

12 North Hill,

Colchester

CO1 1DZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

OptimalCarePlus Limited

Suite 113, Building 13, Thames Enterprise Centre, Thames Industrial Park,

East Tilbury

RM18 8RH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

QCM Healthcare Limited

Cadman House, Maurice Way,

Colchester

CO3 0NW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Solcom Limited

Solcom House, 79 George Street, Ryde,

Isle of Wight

PO33 2JF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ34 - Isle of Wight

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Southend Association of Voluntary Services

29-31 Alexandra Street

Southend-on-Sea

SS1 1BW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

South Essex Advocacy Services

Unit 2, 225-235 West Road,

Westcliff-on-Sea

SS0 9DE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Special Needs And Parents Ltd

The SNAP Centre, Pastoral Way, Warley,

Brentwood

CM145WF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Stroke Association

1 Sterling Business Park, Salthouse Road,

Northampton

NN4 7EX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Thurrock and Brentwood Mind

152 Bridge Road,

Grays

RM17 6DB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Trust Links Ltd

47 Fairfax Drive,

Westcliff on Sea

SS0 9AG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Wilderness Foundation UK

Unit 2 Whitbreads Business Centre, Whitbreads Farm Lane,

Chatham Green

CM3 3FE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

MSE Mental Health Collaborative

152 Bridge Road,

Grays

RM17 6DB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Value excluding VAT: £1

Proportion: 22 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Thurrock and Brentwood Mind 78percent

Basildon Mind 5percent

Mid and North East Essex Mind 3percent

South East and Central Essex Mind 9percent

Choice Support 5percent

Percentage quota may vary dependant on specific contracts awarded

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Please note that the figure £1.00 has been used within this form Section V: Award of contract and V.2.4 Total Contract Value of Lot. This figure has been used in order to comply with the "cvc-minExclusive-valid: Value '0.0' is not facet-valid with respect to minExclusive '0.0' for type 'cost'" error, however this figure does not reflect the true value which should read as "£0.00".

For absolute clarity, Section V.2.4 Total Contract Value within this notice should read as "£0.00", due to the fact that no monetary value has been awarded in the establishment of this PDPS Framework.

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

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

High Court of Justice of England and Wales

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

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

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

Phoenix House, Christopher Martin Rd,

Basildon

SS14 3HG

Email

[cariad.burgess@attain.co.uk](mailto:cariad.burgess@attain.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom