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Contract

AI Lab Evaluation Services

Department of Health and Social Care

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-046fbe

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Department of Health and Social Care

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Country

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Region code

UKI32 - Westminster

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health-and-social-care>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health-and-social-care>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

AI Lab Evaluation Services

Reference number

C282325

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79419000 - Evaluation consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

An independent, external evaluation of the AI Lab focusing on three over-arching areas:

- Process: Establishing specific and generalisable learning to inform future AI Lab activity and improve policy and delivery for AI in health and care
- Impact: Ascertaining if the AI Lab met its objectives and how well the activities led to its intended outcomes and benefits
- Value for Money: Comparing the costs of the AI Lab with its outcomes.

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: £473,937.73

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The procurement was for an independent, external evaluation of the AI Lab and done via framework RM6126 (call off competition). Focusing on three over-arching areas:

- Process: Establishing specific and generalisable learning to inform future AI Lab activity and improve policy and delivery for AI in health and care
- Impact: Ascertaining if the AI Lab met its objectives and how well the activities led to its intended outcomes and benefits
- Value for Money: Comparing the costs of the AI Lab with its outcomes.

The focus on the evaluation will be the process, outcomes, impact and value for money as the AI Lab as a whole programme. To date, a number of sub-elements of the programme have been evaluated; most specifically the AI in Health and Care Awards for stage 4 (most mature) projects.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

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: [2099/S 000-999999](#)

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

3 May 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Edinburgh Innovations Ltd

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Edinburgh

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://edinburgh-innovations.ed.ac.uk/>

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: £473,937.73

Total value of the contract/lot: £473,937.73

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

<https://www.judiciary.uk/courts-and-tribunals/high-court/>

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

The High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.judiciary.uk/courts-and-tribunals/high-court/>

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

<https://www.judiciary.uk/courts-and-tribunals/high-court/>