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Contract

## **Community Stroke Recovery and Support Service in Cheshire & Merseyside (Excluding St Helens Place)**

NHS CHESHIRE AND MERSEYSIDE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

NHS CHESHIRE AND MERSEYSIDE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

1 Lakeside 920, Centre Park Square

Warrington

WA11QY

#### **Contact**

Kathy Hogg

#### **Email**

[kathy.hogg@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk](mailto:kathy.hogg@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKD61 - Warrington

**NHS Organisation Data Service**

QYG

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.cheshireandmerseyside.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**

Community Stroke Recovery and Support Service in Cheshire & Merseyside (Excluding St Helens Place)

Reference number

25-26-QYG-8HN95-CON

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

Stroke recovery services seek to provide guidance to patients and their families on how to live healthy lives after suffering a stroke and hospital admission. The service signposts patients on how to receive onward care and access community assets to minimise the occurrence of future stroke episodes. The service provides advocacy where required but is

generally targeted towards providing personalised accessible information and tools and empower people to self-manage their care.

#### **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: £900,970

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD6 - Cheshire
- UKD7 - Merseyside

Main site or place of performance

Patients registered with a Cheshire & Merseyside GP - St Helens Place is not included within this contract.

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

NHS Cheshire and Merseyside ICB intend to award a 1 year contract via Direct award C to incumbent provider to deliver Stroke support services across Cheshire & Merseyside (with the exception of St Helens Place). The contract will start on the 15th May 2025, expire on 31st March 2025 and has an annual contract value of £900,970.

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

Quality criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 99

Price - Weighting: 1

### **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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by withing 8 working days. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR'.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Contract No

25-26-QYG-8HN95-CON

### Title

Community Stroke Recovery and Support Service in Cheshire & Merseyside (Excluding St Helens Place)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

18 March 2025

**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**

Stroke Association

240 CITY ROAD

LONDON

EC1V 2PR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

Companies House

61274

Internet address

<https://www.stroke.org.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: £900,970

Total value of the contract/lot: £900,970

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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On the 18th March 2025 the Procurement Decisions Review Group approved this decision and no conflicts of interest were declared.

The following criteria informed the decision:

Social Value: 20%

Improving access, reducing health inequalities, and facilitating choice: 10%

Value: 20%

Integration, collaboration and service sustainability: 30%

Quality and innovation: 20%

Representations by providers must be made to [kathy.hogg@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk](mailto:kathy.hogg@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk) within 8 working days from the publication date of this notice. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the Provider Selection Regime (2023).

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

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

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