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## **Care for 'Adult rapidly deteriorating patient and with a primary health need' cohort**

NHS Mid & South Essex Integrated Care Board

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03e126

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

NHS Mid & South Essex Integrated Care Board

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Basildon

SS14 3HG

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKH3 - Essex

## **NHS Organisation Data Service**

06Q

### **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**

Care for 'Adult rapidly deteriorating patient and with a primary health need' cohort

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

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This will equate to a contract value of £34,559,463 over the three years and £46,079,284 if the extension is enacted.

It is MSE ICB's intention to award this contract to its Hospice System Partners, MSE ICB have been working to provide a service for adult patient cohorts who a rapidly deteriorating condition or are in the terminal phase of life, with a primary health need, that their needs are more than ancillary to the provisions of accommodation by a local authority, i.e. the care they need is beyond the legal remit of Social Services. The service may include both a bedded service and/or a domiciliary service dependent upon the individuals need.

MSE ICB have decided that the best solution to ensure that Patients across Mid and South Essex benefit from this is to ensure the service compliments other Palliative and End of Life care provision with its Hospice System Partners, who are uniquely placed and most technically capable to successfully deliver this service at scale and pace.

#### **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: £46,079,284

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Mid and South Essex

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

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend by a further 12 months as per details in the notice to 31st July 2027

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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:

MSE ICB have decided that the best solution to ensure that Adults across Mid and South Essex benefit from this is to ensure the service compliments other Palliative and End of Life care provision with its Hospice System Partners, who are uniquely placed and most technically capable to successfully deliver this service at scale and pace.

As such the ICB propose to award a contract to Farleigh Hospice, Havens Hospices and St. Luke's Hospice for the provision of Care for 'rapidly deteriorating patient' cohort service delivery commencing 1st August 2023-31st July 2026 (with the option to extend by a further 12 months).

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#### **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/concession**

### **Title**

Care for 'Adult rapidly deteriorating patient and with a primary health need' cohort

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

12 June 2023

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

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Farleigh Hospice

North Court Road CM1 7FH

Chelmsford

CM1 7FH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

284670.

Internet address

[www.farleighhospice.org](http://www.farleighhospice.org)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

Havens Hospices

226 Priory Crescent

Southend on Sea

SS2 6PR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH31 - Southend-on-Sea

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

1022119

Internet address

[www.havenhospices.org.uk](http://www.havenhospices.org.uk)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

St. Luke's Hospice

Fobbing Farm, Nethermayne

Basildon

SS16 5NJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

289466

Internet address

[www.stlukeshospice.com](http://www.stlukeshospice.com)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £46,079,284

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

The Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

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

The Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom