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Contract

Primary Eyecare Services Limited 2022-2024

NHS NORFOLK AND WAVENEY INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F20: Modification notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS NORFOLK AND WAVENEY INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

NHS Organisation Data Service

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Primary Eyecare Services Limited 2022-2024

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85121281 - Ophthalmologist services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKH14 - Suffolk
- UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk
- UKH16 - North and West Norfolk
- UKH17 - Breckland and South Norfolk

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

An eyecare service for Service Users over 18 years of age who are registered with a GP practice located within the geographical area of Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board.

Consisting of:

Community Glaucoma - Level 1 Service

Community Glaucoma - Level 2 Service

Community Post-Operative Cataract Service

Community Glaucoma - Level 1 Service

a: Intraocular Pressure Reading: Applanation Tonometry (by either Goldmann or Perkins Applanation tonometry)

b: Visual Field Check

c: IOP repeat readings service level 1c

Community Glaucoma - Level 2 Service

The service assists Hospital Eye Services (HES) to reduce the number of consultations for service users who are diagnosed as having Ocular Hypertension (OHT) i.e. consistently high intra-ocular pressures (IOP) but no glaucoma, the service provides monitoring for service users with OHT who may be likely to develop glaucoma. This monitoring service allows service users with diagnosed OHT and no treatment to be discharged back into primary care for monitoring by community optometrists.

The service is provided by accredited local ophthalmic practitioners who have a range of equipment

to facilitate a detailed examination of the eye.

Service users are referred to this service on discharge from HES.

Service users are monitored for 5 years by the service and may be referred back to the HES if necessary.

Community Post-Operative Cataract Service

Service is provided by accredited local ophthalmic practitioners who have a range of equipment to facilitate detailed examination of the eye, as well as specialist knowledge and skill to counsel and advise a patient post-surgery.

This service provides assessment and management of patients who have undergone cataract surgery in either or both eyes.

Patients without complications post-surgery will be instructed to visit the referring

optometrist after 4 weeks for the final post-operative examination and GOS examination.

Cataract post-op assessment includes:

- Review progress and medication
- Dilation of pupil for patients with an unexpected visual acuity of 6/12 or worse
- Slit lamp examination of the anterior eye and posterior eye
- Discussion of the patient's satisfaction with the outcome of surgery
- Record of vision and determination of prescription required for any residual refractive error
- Discuss second eye surgery where appropriate
- Collect and submit outcome data

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Duration in months

36

Section IV. Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract

Notice number: [2029/S 001-999999](#)

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

2099 /S 001-999999

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

1 April 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

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

Primary Eyecare Services Limited

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

NHS Organisation Data Service

AFW

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £2,954,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) contract modification notice, under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Procurement Act Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. This contract has now been formally modified.

Modification approved by ICB Executive Director of Finance on 06/05/2025.

No conflict of interests were declared.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board (ICB)

Norwich

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 85121281 - Ophthalmologist services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UKH14 - Suffolk
- UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk
- UKH16 - North and West Norfolk
- UKH17 - Breckland and South Norfolk

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

This modification extends the duration of the contract and increases the contract values in line with the agreed Cost Uplift Factor

Original contract duration: 1 April 2022 - 31 March 2025 (Includes 1 year extension within contract)

7 month extension (this modification): 1 April 2025-31 October 2025

This will make the new contract: 1 April 2022 - 31 October 2025

Value attributed to this modification is £631,105

VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Duration in months

7

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£2,954,000

VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Primary Eyecare Services Limited

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

NHS Organisation Data Service

AFW

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

This modification extends the duration of the contract and increases the contract values in line with the agreed Cost Uplift Factor

Original contract term 2 years plus 1 year optional extension:

Original contract 1 April 2022-31 March 2024

Optional extension 1 April 2024-31 March 2025

This modification 1 April 2025-31 October 2025

The value of the original contract is £2,954,000

The value of the extension of term will be £631,105

New contract value will be £3,585,105

This modification is permissible in line with Section 13 - 2A & 2B (ii) of The Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

The modification does not render the contract or framework agreement materially different in character and the cumulative change in the lifetime value of the contract or framework agreement since it was entered into or concluded is less than 25% of the lifetime value of the original contract or framework agreement when it was entered into or concluded

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire.

Description of the economic or technical reasons and the inconvenience or duplication of cost preventing a change of contractor:

This contract is being extended for 7 months to give sufficient time to run an reaccreditation process.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £2,954,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £3,585,105