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Award

Blood Transfusion Reagent Rental

University Hospitals of Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust ("UHCW")

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Blood Transfusion Reagent Rental

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85111800 - Pathology services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Blood Transfusion equipment for Queens Hospital Burton. The contract will include, all equipment, associated consumables, middleware provision and servicing & maintenance.

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: £320,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85111800 - Pathology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Queens Hospital Burton

University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust

Belvedere Road

Burton on Trent

Staffordshire

DE13 0RB

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for the provision of Blood Transfusion Equipment, including maintenance, reagents and any other associated consumables or services.

This is a transfer of part of the current contract from the existing contracting authority to one of the current users Trusts (Burton). The identity of the supplier remains unchanged. The equipment and its siting remain unchanged

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 65

Price - Weighting: 35

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

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:

Coventry and Warwickshire Pathology Services ("CWPS") have been commissioned to provide pathology services at Queens Hospitals Burton ("QHB") until October 2021; after this date the services at QHB will be provided by University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust ("UHDB"). CWPS is a managed network of laboratories hosted by University Hospitals of Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust. Laboratory services are provided by laboratories at University Hospital, Coventry, South Warwickshire Hospital, Warwick and George Eliot Hospital, Nuneaton.

There is an existing contract between Coventry and Warwickshire Pathology Services ("CWPS") and the supplier, Ortho Clinical Diagnostics ("OCD") for the provision of Blood Transfusion equipment.

This contract expires on the 29/05/2025

Using the equipment supplied under that contract UHCW (through its internal service provision arm CWPS) has been providing path services to Queens Hospital Burton which is part of University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust UHDB NHS Foundation Trust. UHDBFT (Burton) now intend to bring those services in-house (the insourcing) but they need to keep the existing equipment on site.

The insourcing will take place on 1st October 2021.

Burton will as a result replace UHCW in the relationship with OCD (only in relation to the equipment already on the Burton site. In all other respects the contract remains unchanged.

This process aligns with the regulations set out in 32.5b of the Public Contract Regulations.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

10 September 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

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

Ortho-Clinical Diagnostics

Bridgend

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £200,000

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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