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## **Non Scalpel Vasectomy AQP Window 2 NHS Norfolk and Waveney ICB**

NHS Norfolk & Waveney Integrated Care Board

F02: Contract notice

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

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

NHS Norfolk & Waveney Integrated Care Board

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Norwich

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.improvinglivesnw.org.uk/about-us/our-nhs-integrated-care-board-icb/icb-contact/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.improvinglivesnw.org.uk/about-us/our-nhs-integrated-care-board-icb/icb-contact/>

### **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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### **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**

Non Scalpel Vasectomy AQP Window 2 NHS Norfolk and Waveney ICB

Reference number

NW202471

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board invite applications to join the Any Qualified Provider list window 2 for the Provision of non-scalpel vasectomy services across Norfolk and Waveney . The service will be delivered as an AQP (Any Qualified Provider) list.

Contracts awarded as a result of this process are awarded without any exclusivity or commitment as to volumes or levels of activity on the part of the Commissioner(s).

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85323000 - Community health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKH1 - East Anglia

Main site or place of performance

Norfolk and Waveney

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

NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board (ICB) wish to re-open the AQP list (Window 2) for providers to deliver non-scalpel vasectomy services across Norfolk and Waveney.

The service will provide safe and effective care provision using primarily no-scalpel technique vasectomy under local anaesthetic:

- In accordance with the Faculty of Sexual & Reproductive Healthcare (FSRH) guidance, in a primary care setting to all consenting adult males who request it; and are registered with a GP practice in the commissioning areas of Norfolk and Waveney. (Subject to acceptance and exclusion criteria and thresholds).
- Compliant with the requirements of the British Association of Urological Surgeon guidelines
- In line with ICB Clinical Threshold Policy. (Sterilisation by Vasectomy and Reversal)
- Assessment of patients before embarking on any surgical using local and national guidelines and ensure compliance to any current and future NICE guidelines
- All operating staff have undertaken the relevant training and accreditation

\*\* Current services will remain in place and existing Providers do not need to re-apply.

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The Contracting Authority will be using an eTendering system for this market testing exercise. Further information and the expression of interest documentation can be found via the 'Live Opportunities' list on the e-procurement system at the following link: <https://health-family-contract-search.secure.force.com/?searchtype=Projects>. You can search for the opportunity by entering the following contract ref C297988.

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £1

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

Duration in months

30

This contract is subject to renewal

No

**II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

**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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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: [2024/S 000-020699](#)

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

23 August 2024

Local time

5:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 31 October 2024

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

27 August 2024

Local time

9:00am

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

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

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