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Contract

## **National Framework for Centralised Prescription Hubs (Bladder and Bowel)**

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-022989

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02c215

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

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

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool Road

Chester

CH2 1UL

#### **Email**

[info@coch-cps.co.uk](mailto:info@coch-cps.co.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

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

Main address

<https://www.coch.nhs.uk/>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **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**

National Framework for Centralised Prescription Hubs (Bladder and Bowel)

Reference number

F/076/CPH/21/AB

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

The Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust's Commercial Procurement Service seeks to introduce a new Framework Agreement for the provision of a centralised advice and repeat prescription hub for patients with a stoma or long-term catheter, and a pre- and/or post-operative care support service to support stoma patients.

The provision will be split into five Lots:

Lot 1 – Stoma Prescription Service

Lot 2 – Catheter Prescription Service

Lot 3 – Stoma and Catheter Combined Prescription Service

Lot 4 – Stoma Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

Lot 5 – Combined Stoma Service – Prescription and Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

The services in scope of this procurement process are

healthcare services which fall under 'social and other specific services' in Section 7 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 ('PCR') (as amended). In accordance with Regulation 76 PCR, the process is to set up a framework agreement and will follow a

procedure similar to the open procedure. However, the Framework Manager and the contracting authorities using the framework are only bound by the parts of the PCR that specifically apply to social and other specific services.

For the avoidance of doubt, the rules that apply to the open procedure under Regulation 27 and framework agreements under Regulation 33 do not apply to this procurement. All providers that meet the minimum requirements set out under the procurement process will be appointed to the framework agreement. There will be no maximum number of providers

appointed.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £60,000,000

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Stoma Prescription Service

Lot No

1

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This Lot is for the provision of a clinical care and prescribing hub for patients with a stoma.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Advice, repeat prescription hub and annual reviews /  
Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Onward referral and discharge / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Implementation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Clinical governance / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Service management and corporate governance /  
Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 25

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Catheter Prescription Service

Lot No

2

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This Lot is for the provision of a clinical care and prescribing hub for patients with a catheter.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Advice, repeat prescription hub and annual reviews / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Onward referral and discharge / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Implementation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Clinical governance / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Service management and corporate governance / Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 25

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Stoma and Catheter Combined Prescription Service

Lot No

3

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This Lot is for the provision of a clinical care and prescribing hub for patients with a stoma or catheter.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Advice, repeat prescription hub and annual reviews / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Onward referral and discharge / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Implementation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Clinical governance / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Service management and corporate governance / Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 25

#### **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

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Stoma Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

Lot No

4

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This Lot is for the provision of pre- and/or post-operative care support for patients with a stoma.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Pre- and post-operative care support / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Discharge planning and post-discharge follow-up / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Implementation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Clinical governance / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Service management and corporate governance / Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 25

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Combined Stoma Service – Prescription and Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support



Lot No

5

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This Lot is for the provision of a combined clinical care and prescribing hub, and pre- and postoperative

care support for patients with a stoma.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Pre- and post-operative care support / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – On-going patient support / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Implementation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Clinical governance / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Technical – Service management and corporate governance / Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 25

### **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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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: [2021/S 000-015009](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Stoma Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

The Bullen Healthcare Group Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

03137450

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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7 September 2021

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Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

Fittleworth Medical Ltd

Littlehampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01836221

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

1

## **Title**

Stoma Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

Optimum Medical Solutions Limited

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

06779883

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Catheter Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

The Bullen Healthcare Group Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

03137450

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

2

#### **Title**

Catheter Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

Fittleworth Medical Ltd

Littlehampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01836221

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

2

#### **Title**

Catheter Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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



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Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Stoma and Catheter Combined Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

The Bullen Healthcare Group Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

03137450

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

3

**Title**

Stoma and Catheter Combined Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

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

Fittleworth Medical Ltd

Littlehampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01836221

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Stoma and Catheter Combined Prescription Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 3

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

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National registration number

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

4

**Title**

Stoma Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

7 September 2021

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

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

The Bullen Healthcare Group Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

03137450

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

4

#### **Title**

Stoma Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

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

Fittleworth Medical Ltd

Littlehampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01836221

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

Combined Stoma Service – Prescription and Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

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

The Bullen Healthcare Group Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

03137450

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

5

**Title**

Combined Stoma Service – Prescription and Pre- and/or Post-Operative Care Support

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**



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

7 September 2021

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

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

Fittleworth Medical Ltd

Littlehampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01836221

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Chester

Country

United Kingdom

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

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Chester

Country

United Kingdom