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# **Community Outbreak Response Service**

NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04843e

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board

Civic Centre, St Peter's Square

Wolverhampton

WV1 1SH

#### Contact

Michael Barlow

#### **Email**

michael.barlow1@nhs.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.blackcountry.icb.nhs.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.blackcountry.icb.nhs.uk/

## 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

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

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Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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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

Community Outbreak Response Service

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

NHS Arden and GEM CSU on behalf of NHS Black Country Integrated Care Board (ICB) is inviting suitably qualified and experienced providers to express interest in delivering the Service(s), by responding to this opportunity as required and described in this document, and within the published tender. NHS Arden and Greater East Midlands CSU (AGCSU) is acting as an agent for and on behalf of the Commissioner and is supporting the procurement process.

The procurement process is described within the documentation published. This procurement has been advertised in accordance with the process set out in The Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. The Commissioner intends to carry out a competitive process as described in regulation 11.

As a result of this competitive process, a Contract will be awarded to the successful Provider(s) for a period of 3 years with the Commissioner having the option to extend the Contract for up to a further 2 years. It is anticipated that the service provision resulting from this procurement process will have an annual value of £50,000. The maximum total contract value is up to £250,000 if the contract is extended by 2 years. Please note that any bids in excess of the maximum annual price of £50,000 will be deemed as non-compliant and will be rejected.

The successful Provider is expected to be fully operational, providing services from 1st October 2024.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £250,000

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG39 - Wolverhampton

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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The successful Provider is expected to be fully operational, providing services from 1st October 2024. Tenders must be submitted by 23rd August at 1700hrs.

To express an interest/complete a tender submission, interested parties should navigate to <a href="https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome">https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome</a> and search for opportunity reference C297962.

#### 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: £250,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial contract shall be for a period of 36 months. An extension of up to a further 24 months may be executed at the sole discretion of the Commissioner.

## 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

## 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: No

## IV.2) Administrative information

## 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

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

26 August 2024

Local time

10:00am

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Contract Notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS England

7&8 Wellington Place

Leeds

LS1 4AP

Country

**United Kingdom** 

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https://www.england.nhs.uk//