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Planning

## **NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (Leeds Place) Early Market Engagement for a Screening & Assessment Service, Consultant-Led Ear Nose & Throat (ENT) and Adult Hearing Aid Test & Fit Services**

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

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

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

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

White Rose House, West Parade

Wakefield

WF1 1LT

#### **Email**

[wycb-leeds.prmbu@nhs.net](mailto:wycb-leeds.prmbu@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

## **Region code**

UKE42 - Leeds

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.wypartnership.co.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://nhswyicb.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/web/login.html>

## **I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

## **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**

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (Leeds Place) Early Market Engagement for a Screening & Assessment Service, Consultant-Led Ear Nose & Throat (ENT) and Adult Hearing Aid Test & Fit Services

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

## Services

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

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (WYICB) is inviting interested bidders to express an interest for any or a combination of the proposed Lots and to attend an Early Market Engagement Event. The event is an opportunity for potential bidders to inform the proposed service specification and for bidders to assess their capacity to meet the demand of the services.

The proposed services are divided into 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1: Screening & Assessment Service (Single City-Wide Provider)

Lot 2: Consultant-Led Ear Nose & Throat (ENT) Service (Any Qualified Provider)

Lot 3: Adult Hearing Aid Test & Fit Service (Any Qualified Provider)

Please note that the services being proposed is to be delivered to Leeds patients only and not across West Yorkshire.

It is proposed that the Screening & Assessment Service (Lot 1) which is a City-Wide Service for adult hearing loss will include the following:

- onward referral (triage)
- screening and assessment service to include ear health check, wax removal if required and an initial hearing assessment.
- the issue of self-fit hearing aids if required.
- distribution of hearing aids to all providers in the city
- management of an Integrated IT System and
- provide Clinical Leadership.

The Consultant-Led ENT Service (Lot 2) will receive referrals from triage for normal ENT referrals aged 5 years and above and referrals from the Screening and Assessment Service for ENT and audiology diagnostics.

The Adult Hearing Aid Test & Fit Service (Lot 3) will provide access to hearing aid provision for patients from the Assessment and Screening service who require non-self-fit hearing aids which will be provided free of charge to patients from the Lot 1 provider.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

## **II.2) Description**

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

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (Leeds Place) Early Market Engagement for a Screening & Assessment Service, Consultant-Led Ear Nose & Throat (ENT) and Adult Hearing Aid Test & Fit Services

Lot No

1, 2 & 3

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKE42 - Leeds

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

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## **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

18 August 2023

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Interested bidders are invited to register an expression of interest for any one Lot or a combination of Lots; and to register an interest to attend the Early Market Engagement Event to be held on Monday, 04 September 2023 at 3.30pm via MS Teams.

Please register your attendance by using the messaging function on the Jaggaer e-Sourcing portal or by email to [wyicb-leeds.prmbu@nhs.net](mailto:wyicb-leeds.prmbu@nhs.net)

Bidders can register up to 3 attendees from their organisation giving the names, title, and email addresses by Friday, 01 September 2023.