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Contract

Programme Management of Newcastle Stop Smoking+ Services

Newcastle City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-048808

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKC22 - Tyneside

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.newcastle.gov.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Programme Management of Newcastle Stop Smoking+ Services

Reference number

008608

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This statement is an intention to award the contract for an existing service to an existing provider following PSR Direct Award route C.

Standstill period of 8 working days will be observed following the publication of the contract award notice. The standstill period is set to end on Friday 16th August 2024.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Stop Smoking+ service is a lifestyle non-clinical service providing behavioural advice and ongoing support to help people quit smoking. Alongside the provision of advice and support, a local voucher scheme for Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT) and other pharmacotherapy products is also currently available in several Newcastle pharmacies via

PGD (Patient Group Directive) arrangements along with other approved products/quit aids.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100%

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 0%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

1 x 12 months Option to Extend.

II.2.14) Additional information

PSR Direct Award Route C.

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:

Following PSR Award Process C.

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2018/S 208-476088](#)

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Lifetime contract value: £560,000

Details of job title of those making the award decision: Director of Public Health, Service Lead in Commissioning for Adult Social Care, Assistant Director of Legal Services.

Approval to Award sought from Cabinet.

The relevant authority has assessed that the existing provider is satisfying the existing contract to a sufficient standard. This has been done by assessing the performance of the provider against any key performance indicators and by taking into account the key criteria and applying the basic selection criteria.

The provider was assessed upon the following five key criteria including: Quality and innovation, Value, Integration, collaboration and service sustainability, Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice, Social value.

The relevant authority is of the view that the existing provider will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard taking into account the key criteria and applying the basic selection criteria.

No conflict of interest has been identified, of individuals making the decision or the supplier.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom