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Contract

## **PH011/2024 Addressing Inequalities in Cancer Screening Project across South Tees**

Middlesbrough Council  
Redcar & Cleveland Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-025152

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0483ab

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

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

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKC12 - South Teesside

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.middlesbrough.gov.uk](http://www.middlesbrough.gov.uk)

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Redcar & Cleveland Council

Redcar And Cleveland House

Redcar

TS10 1RT

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Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.redcar-cleveland@gov.uk](mailto:www.redcar-cleveland@gov.uk)

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

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

PH011/2024 Addressing Inequalities in Cancer Screening Project across South Tees

Reference number

PH011/2024

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85140000 - Miscellaneous health services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

## Services

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

The provider will work with GP practices across South Tees to increase cervical screening uptake in those practices from the most deprived IMD deciles and that have the lowest screening uptake. Patients targeted will be those that have not responded to previous screening invitations.

The most suitable provider, ELM Alliance have been chosen as they currently have data sharing agreements with all GP practices across South Tees. This is a key critical success factor as the project will incorporate a dedicated team of callers to go through practice lists and telephone patients that do not have an adequate cervical screening status recorded. The callers will contact patients, inform them of the importance of cervical screening and book them into a cervical screening clinic appointment.

It is anticipated that the project will run for 6 months, providing a delivery of 26 weeks, during the 30 week window of September 2024 to March 2025.

The provider will be expected to collate a minimum data set (MDS) including NHS number, age, ethnicity, postcode, GP practice, screening accepted/declined. If declined reason for declining and any support offered to attend, translator, support with travel costs or other.

The provider is expected to submit KPIs relating to the service delivery to the Commissioner as agreed at the commencement of the contract.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £40,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85140000 - Miscellaneous health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC12 - South Teesside

Main site or place of performance

South Teesside

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

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New service

New provider

Contract dates 1st September 2024 to 31st March 2025.

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

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## 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:

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award 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. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 21/08/2024. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR'.

#### 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 000-024783](#)

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Contract No

PH011/2024

### Title

PH011/2024 Addressing Inequalities in Cancer Screening Project across South Tees

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

ELM Alliance Ltd

Middlesbrough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC12 - South Teesside

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £40,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £40,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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No conflicts noted

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

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

Middlesbrough Council

Middle

Country

United Kingdom