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Tender

NHS NEL ICB Integrated Wheelchair Service

North East London Integrated Care Board

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-048ae4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

North East London Integrated Care Board

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Contact

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI5 - Outer London – East and North East

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://northeastlondon.icb.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://northeastlondon.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>

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

NHS NEL ICB Integrated Wheelchair Service

Reference number

PRJ-1265

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS North East London Integrated Care Board (NEL ICB) wish to commission an integrated wheelchair service for people of all ages who have a long-term need for mobility assistance in Barking, Havering, Redbridge, Tower Hamlets and Waltham Forest.

The ICB envisages that the service will provide an integrated care model for wheelchair users, this is to ensure those with complex, long term conditions, are able to access the right wheelchair, quickly, and with appropriate information and support. The full service will cover:

- Assessment, prescription and supply of powered and manual wheelchairs and associated postural seating accessories (WCS)
- Rehabilitation Engineering facilities (RE)
- Service and Maintenance Packages (AR)

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Fund (BCF), such as a single mobile /sitting solution that is jointly funded with Adults/Children Social Care in Tower Hamlets, and Whole Systems Integrated Care (WSIC).

This service specification details the ICB's commissioning intention for an Integrated Wheelchair Service.

The Contract is expected to commence in December 2024 for an initial period of 5 years. The contract may be extended for an additional period of 2 years at the sole discretion of the Authority.

The maximum contract value is £28,524,443.00 (annual contract value of £4,074,920.00).

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £28,524,443

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI5 - Outer London – East and North East

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Interested Organisation must express an interest via Atamis e-tendering portal. Bidders needs to register on Atamis if they are not registered already. This can be done by clicking the link below

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

Once registered, you can express an interest in this project by clicking the following the link to this specific project ;

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome> (Contract Reference: C296388).

Please note that any submission of bids by any other means will not be considered.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

Duration in months

84

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.14) Additional information

This Invitation to Tender (ITT) exercise that is being conducted, based in part on the Open tender procedure under the Public Contract Regulations 2015 ("the Regulations" (as amended)).

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

25 September 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

Tender must be valid until: 24 March 2025

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

25 September 2024

Local time

3:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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