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## **CWC21178 - Vaccination Services**

Wolverhampton City Council

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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**NUTS code**

UKG39 - Wolverhampton

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk>

**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**

CWC21178 - Vaccination Services

Reference number

DN579527

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

- 85121200 - Medical specialist services

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

Services

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

The enhanced vaccination programme will consist of two elements:

- Mobile and roving clinical vaccination provision offered across the city to priority cohorts including eligible cohorts who remain unvaccinated, Middle Layer Super Output priority areas (MSOA), businesses, university students and homelessness and new arrival providers. The roving and mobile model will enable the administration of Covid-19 vaccines at flexible locations outside of existing vaccination site provision to residents of Wolverhampton. The aim of roving and mobile provision is to improve access and maximise vaccine uptake in certain geographical areas, communities or among groups with low coverage.
- An outreach and engagement programme consisting of a multipronged approach in order to drive uptake and will include the following themes: partnerships, access and communications. This will involve analysis and identification of the highest priority low uptake groups and further segmentation to understand the root causes of vaccine hesitancy and solutions to deliver successful interventions to drive uptake.

#### **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: £250,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

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

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### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons
- Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting authority

Explanation:

Access to vaccines is only available via an NHSEI approved supplier therefore the provider market is extremely limited.

Vaccination Services covered under this programme offer an enhancement to existing vaccination provision and are intended to significantly reduce the size of the unvaccinated eligible population. The enhanced service is required as existing NHS vaccination provision is focused on emerging cohorts (ages 12-15) and booster vaccinations. Therefore, this provision will aim to reduce the levels of individuals who remain unvaccinated.

The contract will be awarded following a 10 day standstill period concluding at midday on 12/11/2021.

#### **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 V. Award of contract/concession**

### **Contract No**

CWC21178

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

26 October 2021

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

Central Healthcare Solutions Limited

3mc Middlemarch Business Park, Siskin Drive

Coventry

CV3 4FJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

National registration number

10853992

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £250,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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