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Planning

Insourced Cardiology OP Services (YSTH)

York and Scarborough Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

York and Scarborough Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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United Kingdom

Region code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.york.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.york.nhs.uk>

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<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

Insourced Cardiology OP Services (YSTH)

Reference number

C364133

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85121231 - Cardiology services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

We require an insource solution that provides both New and Follow Up outpatient capacity during both office and out of hours (evenings/weekends). This solution should also provide the option to provide echocardiography and cardiac monitoring/analysing services to absorb the diagnostic referrals coming from servicing the outpatient backlog.

There are no guaranteed levels of activity as this solution is to be used in an ad-hoc fashion to ensure the backlog remains within permitted parameters.

The purpose of this procurement exercise is to appoint a supplier that can deliver Cardiology Outpatient Clinics, Echocardiograms and Cardiac Monitoring/Analysis.

Interested providers must be able to provide:

- a) An insourcing model to deliver Cardiology Outpatient Clinics, Echocardiograms and Cardiac Monitoring/Analysis in our equipped outpatient facilities at Scarborough Hospital (SGH) and Bridlington Hospital (BDH);
- b) Activity levels of up to 100 new patient appointments at SGH, 60 at BDH; up to 100 follow-up appointments at SGH, 60 at BDH over a 3 month period;
- c) Echocardiograms and Cardiac Monitors & Analysis up to estimated 35 at SGH and 25 at BDH over a 3 month period.

Further details regarding staff required and relevant experience and qualifications and the service KPIs can be found in the service specification.

Contract start date will be in July. The initial term will be for 3 months at an estimated value of £46,000 with an option to extend for a further period of 3 months.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £92,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85121231 - Cardiology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKE22 - North Yorkshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Sites of York & Scarborough Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust - Scarborough General Hospital & Bridlington District Hospital.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

PSR Most Suitable Provider process for the provision of insource cardiology services.

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

27 May 2025

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: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intended approach notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 - Most Suitable Provider process. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or Procurement Act 2023 do not apply to this award.

This contract is being awarded under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 Most Suitable Provider process.

This notice is to invite expressions of interest from suitable providers. The deadline for submitting an expression of interest is 18:00hrs 10th June 2025. Expressions of interest should be submitted to Neil Dodds - neil.dodds1@nhs.net

Target start date for the contract is 14/07/2025. The initial contract period will be for 3 months, with an option to extend for a further period of 3 months.

Total estimated contract value is £46,000 for the initial term and up to £92,000 including the extension option.

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The contract award decision will be made by the senior managers of the Cardiovascular Care Group, procurement, contracting and commissioning teams and appropriate Trust executive team members.