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Contract

## **Provision of Urgent Award Primary Care Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) for Forest Surgery**

NHS Suffolk and North East Essex Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-027967

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04974e

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

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

NHS Suffolk and North East Essex Integrated Care Board

Aspen House, Stephenson Road, Severalls Business Park

Colchester

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKH3 - Essex

**National registration number**

QJG

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Provision of Urgent Award Primary Care Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) for Forest Surgery

Reference number

ACE-0693-2023-SNEE

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

The current re-procurement has taken longer than anticipated due to a rewind in the process. The current contract with the incumbent expires on 30th September and as a consequence there is a requirement to award a short term contract whilst the procurement concludes. The new contract will be from 1st October 2024 to 31st March 2025.

#### **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: £541,750

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 85120000 - Medical practice and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKH14 - Suffolk

Main site or place of performance

Brandon, Suffolk

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

The current Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) Contract to provide the services to patients at Forest Surgery will expire on 30th September 2024. The Urgent Award to the existing provider is to ensure that there is continued provision of Primary Medical Services to the registered population of Forest Surgery in Brandon whilst the procurement in place to award a new contract is concluded. There is a requirement to award a new short term contract of six months from the 1st October 2024 to 31st March 2025.

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

Quality criterion - Name: to address immediate risks to safety and quality of care / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 100

### **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

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 contract has been awarded under the urgent circumstances provision of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR). This contract has been awarded under 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 in this award.

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#### 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

### Title

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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

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

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

Swan Surgery

Northgate Street,

Bury St Edmunds

IP33 1AE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH14 - Suffolk

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £541,750

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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Decision makers are:

No conflicts of interest have been identified

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

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

The Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom