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#### Contract

# **Outsourced Pathology Services**

Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-028083

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-049796

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

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#### Contact

**Dave Bray** 

#### **Email**

dave.bray@nhs.net

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://royalcornwallhospitals.nhs.uk/

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

# I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

**Outsourced Pathology Services** 

Reference number

NHS2197

# II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85111800 - Pathology services

# II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

# II.1.4) Short description

**Outsourced Pathology Services** 

### 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: £500,000

### II.2) Description

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

• 85111800 - Pathology services

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

**Outsourced Pathology Services** 

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Cost criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / 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

# **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.

### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

# Section V. Award of contract

### **Contract No**

1

#### **Title**

**Outsourced Pathology Services** 

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

# V.2) Award of contract

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

23 August 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

**Backlogs Limited** 

**Compass Point** 

St Ives

PE275JL

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £500.000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

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This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Decision maker: General Manager

Conflicts declared: None

Conflicts managed by: Not applicable

The key criteria were evaluated on a pass/fail basis with the provider currently satisfying (passing) all key criteria and it is expected that they will continue to do so in the new iteration of the contract.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

### VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

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Country

**United Kingdom** 

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NHS England

Skipton House, 80 London Road

London

Country

**United Kingdom**