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# Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contracts under six Lots across Thurrock and Southend

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKH3 - Essex

# Internet address(es)

Main address

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# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://attain.bravosolution.co.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://attain.bravosolution.co.uk

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# 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

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contracts under six Lots across Thurrock and Southend

Reference number

ACE-0596-2022-MSE

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85100000 - Health services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

#### Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Contracting Authority (hereinafter referred to as "the Authority") for this procurement is: NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board (ICB) invites responses from suitably qualified and experienced providers to deliver Primary Medical Services across up to six Lots, via Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) contract(s) for a period of 15 years.

Contracts for Lots 1 to 4 and Lot 6 will run from 01/04/23 - 31/03/38, and the contract for Lot 5 will run from 01/07/23 - 30/06/38. The aggregate value (forecasted financial entitlement) of the contract across all 6 Lots is £91,153,559, including up to £25,000 Allowable Mobilisation Budget on a cost incurred basis, per Lot, in Year 1). (The financial entitlement across all six Lots, minus the allowable mobilisation budget is £91,003,559).

#### The Lots:

- Lot 1 Y00999 Oddfellows Health Centre & St Clements Health Centre commencing
  1st April 2023 until 31st March 2038
- Lot 2 F81110 Tilbury Health Centre commencing 1st April 2023 until 31st March 2038
- Lot 3 Y02807 Thurrock Health Centre commencing 1st April 2023 until 31st March 2038
- Lot 4 F81206 Commonwealth Health Centre commencing 1st April 2023 until 31st March 2038
- Lot 5 Y00033 Purfleet Care Centre commencing 1st July 2023 until 30th June 2038
- Lot 6 F81684 North Shoebury Surgery commencing 1st April 2023 until 31st March 2038

The Authority is procuring all six lots as APMS contracts due to the time limited nature of them and flexibilities that they permit in terms of bidding audience e.g. whole of the market and the ability to agree the reporting schedules enabling KPIs that support delivery of the Long-term Plan and facilitates and enables the development of "at scale" provision through the PCN model of delivery. In line with the strategic aims for Mid & South Essex

ICB, the system is committed to deliver primary care on a standard contract term to allow for delivery at scale and innovation by offering longer term arrangements. As such it is proposed that each contract will be awarded for a period of 15 years to give greater certainty for provider to improve value for money, ability to recruit, willingness to invest time and resources. We want to secure the right fit for the specific needs of that population.

The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be governed by the Standard Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £91,153,559

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 6

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

- -Award of up to six separate contracts for Single Lots (i.e. a Single Bidder may be awarded; Lot 1 only, Lot 2 only, Lot 3 only, Lot 4 only, Lot 5 only, Lot 6 only)
- -Award of multiple separate contracts for any combination of Lots between Lot 1 to Lot 6 (i.e. a Single Bidder may be awarded; 2 Lots, 3 Lots, 4 Lots, 5 Lots, all 6 Lots)
- -Award contracts for less than six Lots, or no Lots at all.

# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract - Y00999 - Oddfellows Health Centre & St Clements Health Centre

Lot No

Lot 1

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85120000 Medical practice and related services
- 85121000 Medical practice services
- 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Thurrock, Essex

# II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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As such it is proposed that each contract will be awarded for a period of 15 years to give greater certainty for provider to improve value for money, ability to recruit, willingness to invest time and resources. We want to secure the right fit for the specific needs of that population. The contract for Lot 1 will run from 01/04/23 - 31/03/38, and the Estimated Total Contract Value (forecasted financial entitlement plus maximum allowable mobilisation budget in year 1) is £18,412,870.

The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £18,412,870

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2038

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Please refer to section VI.3) Additional information of this Contract Notice for Additional Information pertinent to all Lots under this procurement.

# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract - F81110 - Tilbury Health Centre

Lot No

Lot 2

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85120000 Medical practice and related services
- 85121000 Medical practice services
- 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Thurrock, Essex

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

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As such it is proposed that each contract will be awarded for a period of 15 years to give greater certainty for provider to improve value for money, ability to recruit, willingness to invest time and resources. We want to secure the right fit for the specific needs of that population. The contract for Lot 2 will run from 01/04/23 - 31/03/38, and the Estimated Total Contract Value (forecasted financial entitlement plus maximum allowable mobilisation budget in year 1) is £22,809,687

The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: o

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £22,809,687

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2037

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Please refer to section VI.3) Additional information of this Contract Notice for Additional Information pertinent to all Lots under this procurement.

# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract - Y02807 Thurrock Health Centre

Lot No

Lot 3

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85120000 Medical practice and related services
- 85121000 Medical practice services
- 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Thurrock, Essex

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

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The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

# II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £18,227,383

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2038

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# II.2.14) Additional information

Please refer to section VI.3) Additional information of this Contract Notice for Additional Information pertinent to all Lots under this procurement.

# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract F81206 -

#### Commonwealth Health Centre

Lot No

Lot 4

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

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Thurrock, Essex

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

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The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £10,839,339

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2038

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract - Y00033 Purfleet Care Centre

Lot No

Lot 5

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85120000 Medical practice and related services
- 85121000 Medical practice services
- 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Thurrock, Essex

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

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The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £9,795,004

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

Start date

1 July 2023

End date

30 June 2038

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## II.2.14) Additional information

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract - F81684 North Shoebury Practice

Lot No

Lot 6

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85120000 Medical practice and related services
- 85121000 Medical practice services
- 85141000 Services provided by medical personnel

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Southend, Essex

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

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The contract that is to be entered into by the Authority and the Preferred Bidder will be non-clinical and as such will be governed by the NHS Terms and Conditions for Provision of Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £11,069,276

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

Start date

1 April 2023

End date

31 March 2038

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.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# II.2.14) Additional information

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# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

In accordance with Regulations 56 to 58 of The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020) and as set out in the qualification envelope which is available with the procurement documents.

# III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

In accordance with Regulations 56 to 58 of The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020) and as set out in the qualification envelope which is available with the procurement documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

The Authority will use a Financial Evaluation Methodology as set out in the procurement pack at clauses 4.23 - 4.31 in the ITT Process Overview, to confirm the economic and financial standing, identity and solvency of the Bidder and all other Relevant Organisations (any individual organisation or person connected with a response to the ITT and / or connected with a bid submission whether as part of a consortium or subcontracting arrangement or any other bidding model being proposed).

Bidders should note that turnover is one of the elements evaluated as part of Financial Standing. The Bidders minimum annual turnover required must be at least once the estimated annual contract value per Lot or once the estimated annual contract value per combination of Lot(s) being bid for (see table below for confirmation of annual values per Lot), to provide adequate assurances to the Authority of the Bidder's economic and financial standing in relation to groups of lots, in the event that the Preferred Bidder(s) is awarded several lots to be executed at the same time.

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

In accordance with Regulations 56 to 58 of The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020) and as set out in the qualification envelope which is available with the procurement documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Please refer to the Procurement Documents for full details:

- -Technical and Professional Ability (up to three contract examples demonstrated)
- -Relevant commercial organisations meet the requirements of the Modern Slavery Act 2015
- -Supplier has in place appropriate indemnity insurance for the nature of the service being procured.
- Self-certification that your organisation (and any sub-contractors) has up to date Policies that comply with current legislation (including Health & Safety, Equality and Diversity, processes and practices that comply with the NHS Employment Check Standards, recruitment policy, processes and practices that comply with current DBS regulations and guidance, Safeguarding Policy and Procedure that complies with current Safeguarding legislation, the Safeguarding children, young people and adults at risk in the NHS: Safeguarding accountability and assurance framework and the SET Safeguarding and Child Protection Procedures / SET Safeguarding Adults Procedures and the intercollegiate documents, provided within the procurement documents.
- -Evidence that the organisation has met all mandatory assertions of the NHS Data Security and Protection 'Self-Assessment' Toolkit
- -Declaration that the organisation has read fully, understood and accepts the terms and conditions that will govern any future Primary Care Medical Service, which is the Standard Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract
- -TUPE Confidentiality Agreement
- -Declaration of Conflicts of Interest
- -There is minimum pass threshold of 60% on the total weighted Technical Score.
- Price will be evaluated on a Pass / Fail basis.
- As a pre-requisite for submitting a compliant Bid, Bidders must:
- -Accept and adhere to Authority's claims policy in terms of what is in-scope and out of scope of the Allowable Mobilisation Budget
- -Submit a fully completed Financial Model Template demonstrating Proposed Costs per each Lot(s).

By submitting your ITT response you:

- (a) Accept that each Lot is being evaluated as separate to and individual of any other Lot or combination of Lots.
- (b) That the Authority is not accepting variant bids.
- (c) Confirm that the cost within your FMT associated with mobilising the relevant Lot you are bidding for applies to said Lot only, and that your pricing is not dependent upon being awarded any particular combination of Lots.
- (d) Confirm that any efficiencies applied are solely at your commercial discretion and risk, should you not be successfully awarded all Lots, or any combination of Lots you have bid for.
- (e) Confirm understanding that if you qualify your FMT in any way during the Preferred Bidder stage, as a result of the outcome of the procurement exercise, the Authority reserves the right to immediately activate the Reserve Bidder for the relevant Lot(s). There will be no opportunity to submit or negotiate a different price to that which was submitted in your FMT by the tender deadline.
- (f) Accept Estimated Total Contract Value (see 2.14) for the relevant Lot being bid for as set out in the procurement documents.
- (g) Confirm that you can deliver the Services fully over the entire duration of the contract term, within the financial entitlement available
- (h) Confirm that you can deliver the Services fully over the entire duration of the contract term, within the Estimated Total Contract Value available.

# III.2) Conditions related to the contract

# III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

See the Form of Contract and KPIs supplied with 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: No

# IV.2) Administrative information

# IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2022/S 000-025162</u>

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

Date

14 November 2022

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

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

14 November 2022

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.3) Additional information

The Services fall within Section 7 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020) (the "Regulations"). Neither the inclusion of a Selection Questionnaire / Qualification Stage, nor the use of the terms Open or One-Stage procedure, Invitation to Tender Process Overview, Invitation to Tender, nor any other indication shall be taken to mean that the Authority intend to hold themselves bound by any of the Regulations save those applicable to Public Contracts for Social and Other Specific Services listed in Schedule 3 of the Regulations (the "Light Touch" Regime).

The Authority may wish to expand the Services during the lifetime of the contract ("Contract modification(s)"). To this end, the Bidder should be aware that after the award of contract, there is a possibility that the successful Bidder may be offered a variation(s) to the contract in accordance with Regulation 72 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020), in the potential circumstances and or situations as further communicated in the ITT Process Overview.

The Authority nor its advisors shall not be liable for any costs or expenses incurred by any organisation, agent or subsidiary involved in responding to this procurement. The commissioners reserve the right to withdraw from the process at any time or to not tender the service or to tender on a different basis.

To access the procurement documentation, please go to the eProcurement Portal (Bravo powered by Jaggaer) at: <a href="https://attain.bravosolution.co.uk">https://attain.bravosolution.co.uk</a>. Click on 'Register here' and follow the on-screen instructions. Access the procurement documents via the link 'View current opportunities' on the homepage.

All Bidders must 'self-invite' their organisations to the Qualification Only ITT entitled 'itt\_100 - Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contracts under six Lots across Thurrock and Southend - Selection Questionnaire (Lots 1 - 6)'. Failure to do so will result in a non-compliant bid.

Bidders should also 'self-invite' their organisations to bid for all of the relevant Lots they wish to bid for, as titled below:

- itt\_105 Lot 1 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract Y00999 Oddfellows Hall and St Clements
- itt\_106 Lot 2 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract F81110 Tilbury Health Centre (including Dilip and Chadwell)
- itt\_107 Lot 3 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract Y02807 Thurrock Health Centre
- itt\_108 Lot 4 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract -F81206 - Commonwealth Health Centre
- itt\_109 Lot 5 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract -Y00033 Purfleet Care Centre
- itt\_110 Lot 6 Provision of Alternative Provider of Medical Services (APMS) Contract F81684 North Shoebury Practice

# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of Justice of England and Wales

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

https://www.justice.gov.uk

#### VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board

Unit 10, Phoenix House, Christopher Martin Rd,

Basildon

SS14 3HG

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amy.wilson@Attain.co.uk

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United Kingdom