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## **PRJ 1322 – Intermediate Care Beds - Lewisham**

NHS South East London ICB

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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

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

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UKI - London

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Main address

<https://selondonccg.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://selondonccg.nhs.uk/>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

**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**

PRJ 1322 – Intermediate Care Beds - Lewisham

Reference number

DN693097

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

NHS South East London ICB is seeking to commission Intermediate Care Beds Services. The service will provide a 14 Intermediate Care Beds to support a responsive and deliverable bed based rehabilitation service, within the London Borough of Lewisham, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The main service outcome will be to deliver a 14 bed based Intermediate Care rehabilitation and

reablement service. The service is for adults aged 18 years and upwards. It will have capacity to support at least 4 double handed patients at any one time though the provider will be expected to give consideration to supporting a higher number of people with initial double handed support needs at point of hospital discharge. There will also need to be at least 2 beds designed and allocated to meet the needs of Bariatric patients.

Patients will predominantly be referred as part of the hospital discharge pathway. However, there will also be a 'step up' pathway to support avoidable hospital admissions where bed based rehabilitation would deliver the same or better results.

The step up referral might be appropriate for the following types of patients:

- Those that have coped well at home in the past but are beginning to demonstrate a marked reduction in their level of functioning. Referrals will most likely be made by a healthcare professional and screened by the Urgent Care Response Team.

- Patients identified within the Emergency Department (ED) and Urgent Care Centre (UCC) who are deemed suitable with appropriate Rehabilitation Goals. In these circumstances, a written

discharge passport will be provided through the Trusted Assessor at the ED or UCC.

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

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There is also clear expectation that the service will work in partnership with Lewisham's 'Maximising Wellbeing at Home' four Neighborhood Lead Agencies for the delivery of care at home. This will allow that service to be aware of and engage with patients who have previously been in receipt of care at home who may require ongoing care and support on discharge home so that this is planned efficiently and effectively.

The ITT has been issued through the e-tendering portal. All Bidders wishing to participate must complete and submit Bids that comply with the requirements set out in the Document 1 ITT Guidance Document. Bidders are required to complete the online questionnaires on Pro Contract and upload any attachments as indicated before the deadline for submission of bids specified in the ITT document.

The project on ProContract Portal can be accessed by clicking the following link:

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert?advertId=3e778e0a-6063-ee11-8124-005056b64545>

The deadline for the submission of tender is 17:00 Friday - 03 November 2023.

The deadline for any clarification questions is 27 October 2023

All clarification questions must be submitted via the messaging facility on Pro-contract.

## **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,948,400

## **II.2.7) Duration of the contract or the framework agreement**

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 March 2027

### **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 IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open procedure

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Date

3 November 2023

Local time

5:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English