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Contract

## **Initial Health Assessments (IHA) for Children Looked After and Unaccompanied Asylum Seeker Children - York and North Yorkshire**

NHS HUMBER & NORTH YORKSHIRE ICB

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

NHS HUMBER & NORTH YORKSHIRE ICB

Health House, Grange Park Lane

WILLERBY

HU106DT

#### **Email**

[hnyicb.procurement@nhs.net](mailto:hnyicb.procurement@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

## **NHS Organisation Data Service**

QQQ

### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://humberandnorthyorkshire.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**

Initial Health Assessments (IHA) for Children Looked After and Unaccompanied Asylum Seeker Children - York and North Yorkshire

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

- 85121000 - Medical practice services

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

Services

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

Provision of statutory Initial Health Assessments (IHAs) for Children looked after (CLA) and Unaccompanied Asylum Seeker Children (UASC) across North Yorkshire & York (NY & Y) by a qualified and experienced medical practitioner in line with statutory guidance. The Initial Health Assessments (IHAs) will clinically assess a child's physical, emotional, mental health needs and seek to establish any future health and care requirements.

#### **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: £260,000

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKE2 - North Yorkshire

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

Provision of statutory Initial Health Assessments (IHAs) for Children looked after (CLA) and Unaccompanied Asylum Seeker Children (UASC) across North Yorkshire & York (NY & Y) by a qualified and experienced medical practitioner in line with statutory guidance. The Initial Health Assessments (IHAs) will clinically assess a child's physical, emotional, mental health needs and seek to establish any future health and care requirements.

NHS Humber and North Yorkshire ICB is intending to award a contract an existing provider following direct award process C of The Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

Approximate lifetime value of the contract is £260,000.

Contract term 4 October 2024 to 3 October 2025 (contract term may be extended by 1 year to 3 October 2026).

#### **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: Yes

Description of options

Contract contains an option to extend by 1 year.

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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 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. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by 23:59hrs 3 October 2024.

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

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

9 September 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**

Nimbuscare Limited

York

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE21 - York

Companies House

09604277

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £260,000

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## 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.

The contract award was approved by Executive Director of Finance and Investment (Acting) and Director of Nursing - Governance. No conflicts of interest have been declared in relation to the contract award.

The criteria applied to this intention to award was:

#### Basic Selection Criteria

- Mandatory and Discretionary Grounds
- Suitability to pursue activity
- Technical and Professional Ability

#### Key Criteria

Quality - 45%

Innovation - 5%

Value - 10%

Integration, collaboration and service sustainability - 15%

Improving Access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice - 15%

Social Value - 10%

NHS Humber and North Yorkshire ICB has conducted an assessment of the Provider against the stated Basic Selection Criteria and Key Criteria and considers that the existing provider is satisfying its current existing contract, will likely satisfy the new contract to a sufficient standard, and the proposed contracting arrangements are not changing considerably.

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

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

NHS England Independent Patient Choice and Procurement Panel

London

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/commissioning/how-commissioning-is-changing/nhs-provider-selection-regime/independent-patient-choice-and-procurement-panel/>