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Award

NHS Blackpool Clinical commissioning Group - Parent Infant Relationship Service

NHS Midlands and Lancashire CSU

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

NHS Blackpool Clinical commissioning Group - Parent Infant Relationship Service

Reference number

L-21-09

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Blackpool CCG wish to commission a pilot for a Specialised Parent Infant Relationship Team to support families who are finding it difficult to develop a positive relationship with their unborn baby, their baby or young child.

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: £680,574

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD42 - Blackpool
- UKD44 - Lancaster and Wyre

Main site or place of performance

Within the areas covered by NHS Blackpool Clinical Commissioning Group

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NHS Blackpool CCG wishes to commission a pilot for a Specialised Parent Infant Relationship Team to support families who are finding it difficult to develop a positive relationship with their unborn baby, their baby or young child.

The pilot will run for two years during which time there will be a focus on the feasibility and acceptability of the service with beneficiaries and referrers/professionals.

The aim of the Parent Infant Relationship Team is to improve the quality of parent-infant interactions. The focus of support required will be the parent-infant relationship. It will be an early intervention service that works to support families who are finding it difficult to develop a positive relationship with their unborn baby, their baby or young child.

The service will improve the outcomes of the infants and young children by: -

- promoting good parent infant relationships and early child development
- providing early comprehensive assessment to families
- providing evidence informed integrated service
- advancing the understanding of parent mental health and parent-infant relationship and
- to have a clear understanding of what is available and develop effective pathways

- providing training and consultancy to frontline practitioners to enhance recognition and appropriate signposting dyads with relationship difficulties in the early years
- working with CAMHS as part of a hybrid model to ensure children aged 2-5 and their families can access support where there are difficulties in the nurturing relationship.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100%

Price - Weighting: 0%

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

N/A

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:

Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (BTH) currently provides CAMHS, maternity services, health visiting service (Blackpool only), and has perinatal mental health workers within the Primary and Intermediate Mental Health Team. BTH hosts a perinatal MDT where cases are brought for discussion. They have also recently become the provider of Maternal Mental Health Services (MMHS) across Lancashire and South Cumbria (L&SC).

The Parent Infant Relationship Service Steering Group are in agreement that the service would be best placed as a hybrid model between CAMHS and the Families Division. This would allow the service to meet the current gap in clinical interventions for the 0-5 element of CAMHS with appropriate referrals identified via maternity, health visiting services and the existing perinatal MDT. The steering group also recommended that the team would sit within an existing organisational structure that provides managerial and clinical supervision with access to community venues to allow parents to benefit from the support of a variety of community assets.

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/concession

Contract No

1

Title

Parent Infant Relationship Service Pilot

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 December 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Blackpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD42 - Blackpool

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £680,574

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Midlands and Lancashire CSU is publishing this VEAT Notice to confirm NHS Blackpool CCG's (the CCG) intention to award a contract for the pilot for the Parent Infant

Relationship Service to Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Following publication of the VEAT notice on 8 December 2021, there will be a 10-day standstill period, concluding on 20 December 2021. Following satisfactory conclusion of the standstill period, the CCGs will enter into a contract with Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust for the 2 year pilot.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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