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Contract

## **Continuing Healthcare (CHC) Services in Devon**

NHS DEVON INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-054431

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

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

NHS DEVON INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Aperture House, Pynes Hill, Rydon Lane,

Exeter

EX25AZ

#### **Email**

[d-icb@contracting.nhs.net](mailto:d-icb@contracting.nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKK4 - Devon

**NHS Organisation Data Service**

QJK

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://onedevon.org.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**

Continuing Healthcare (CHC) Services in Devon

Reference number

PAR\_\_DAC\_CHS\_May25

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85141200 - Services provided by nurses

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Continuing healthcare services (including continuing care for children). This service is to supply assessment support services across CHC and Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards service areas. This includes reviews of patients, assessments of patients and support to appeals.

**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: £949,999

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK4 - Devon

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

NHS Devon intends to award a contract for Continuing healthcare services (including continuing care for children). This service is to supply assessment support services across CHC and Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards service areas. This includes reviews of patients, assessments of patients and support to appeals. NHS Devon intends to award the contract to an existing provider following direct award process C. The anticipated maximum lifetime value of the contract is £1.14m (inc VAT) and intended contract dates are 1 July 2025 until 30 June 2025 with an optional 6 month extension until 31 December 2026.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: the existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 100

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

Option to extend by 6 months

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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 Midnight on 18th June 2025 (8 working days following publication of intention to award notice). 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: No

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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

30 May 2025

#### 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**

Carehome Selection Ltd (Trading as Xyla)

9 Appold Street

London

EC2A 2AP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

Companies House

03091598

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £949,999

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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Written representations should be sent to

[d-icb.contracting@nhs.net](mailto:d-icb.contracting@nhs.net)

The NHS Devon ICB Procurement Oversight Group are the award decision makers. There were no relevant conflicts of interest identified.

The direct award C process was used with weightings totalling 100 applied across the 5 key criteria.

The decision to award was based on the following key criteria:

Quality and Innovation 45%

Value 45%

Integration, collaboration and service sustainability Pass/Fail

Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice Pass/Fail

Social value 10%

The assessment of the provider was based on evidence available through their existing contract with the ICB and supplementary information.

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

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

NHS Devon ICB

Aperture House, Pynes Hill, Rydon Lane

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