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Contract

Termination of Pregnancy Service

NHS North West London Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04a46c

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI32 - Westminster

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.nwlondonics.nhs.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.nwlondonics.nhs.uk

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

Termination of Pregnancy Service

Reference number

C235888

II.1.2) Main CPV code

85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The service provides termination of pregnancy services.

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: £5,237,145

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

To cover the London boroughs of Brent, Ealing, Harrow, Hammersmith & Fulham, Hillingdon, Hounslow, Westminster and the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Due to the nature of the health care services the existing provider (Marie Stopes International) is the only

realistic capable provider for the relevant authority's specific requirements, therefore direct

award process A applies, and such service is designated as essential services and time essential in the NHS Standard Contract.

- An award has been made following Direct Award Process A
- The lifetime value is £5,237,145
- The length of the new contract is for 12 months, until 31st March 2025
- An award has also been made to National Unplanned Pregnancy Advisory Service (NUPAS). The related award notice is FTS-011753 (NUPAS).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

Award criteria (II.2.5) - No realistic alternative provider

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:

An award has been made following PSR 2023 Direct Award Process A, based on criterion 'No realistic alternative provider'.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

MARIE STOPES INTERNATIONAL

1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square

London

W1T 6LP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKI31 - Camden and City of London

National registration number

01102208

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £5,237,145

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,237,145

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

- This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice. This contract has been awarded under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations do not apply to this award.
- The NHS NWL ICB Governance/decision-making panel is making the award decision is NWL ICB
- No conflicts of interest have been identified

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of Justice for England and Wales

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom