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Contract Specialist Cardiac Consultant Services

MERSEY CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

F03: Contract award notice Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-032537 Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-054924 Published 16 June 2025, 11:52am

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKD7 - Merseyside

NHS Organisation Data Service

RW4

Internet address(es)

Main address

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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

Specialist Cardiac Consultant Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of specialist cardiac consultant services for patients and service users of MCFT Heart Failure services in North Sefton.

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: £10,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD7 - Merseyside

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust (MCFT) has awarded a contract to Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (LHCH), Thomas Drive, Liverpool, L14 3PE, for the provision of specialist cardiac consultant services for patients and service users of Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust heart failure service in North Sefton. The contract value is approximately £10,000. (RBQ)

MCFT is currently in contract with LHCH for these services. The contract commenced 01 April 2025 for a period of 12 months. The contract was awarded in accordance with the Provider Selection Regime Regulations under Direct Award Process A where there is an existing provider for the services and there is no realistic alternative to the current provider.

The Senior Leadership Team of Community Care Division has made the decision for the award of this contract. No conflicts of interest have been identified, and this has been recorded in line with Trust policy.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: No realistic alternative provider / patient choice / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 10000

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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) 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 2015 do not apply to this award.

The Senior Leadership Team of Community, Mental Health and Secure Divisions have made the decision for the award of this contract. No conflicts of interest have been identified and this has been recorded in line with Trust policy.

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 April 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

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKD7 - Merseyside

NHS Organisation Data Service

RBQ

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £10,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom