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## **NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

NHS West Yorkshire ICB

2nd Floor, Norwich Union House, Market Street

Huddersfield

HD1 2LR

#### **Contact**

Ben Pursey

#### **Email**

[ben.purse@nhs.net](mailto:ben.purse@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.westyorkshire.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**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85323000 - Community health services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

As identified in the NHS Long Term Plan, NHS 2023/24 Priorities, Operational Planning Guidance and the Delivery Plan for Recovering Urgent and Emergency Care Services there is a national expectation for all Integrated Care System's to have an Urgent Community Response service. Kirklees Urgent Community Response is comprised of four contracts, one with each of an alliance of providers and delivers urgent community-based services to the population of Kirklees.

**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: £16,822,460

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

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

The four contracts with alliance members for Kirklees Urgent Community Response cover the national expectation for all Integrated Care Systems to have such a service that, at a minimum, operates 8:00 – 20:00, seven days a week. The primary objectives for Urgent Community Response are to deliver an integrated 0-2 hour health and social care urgent community response, with scope to support 0-2 day social care reablement. It is expected that these are achieved aligned to system service demand. The primary key performance indicator associated with Urgent Community Response nationally is that 70% of all crisis cases should be handled within two hours.

Following a review of the services within the scope of the contract and an assessment of the incumbent provider's past and current performance and capability and capacity to provide the services required over the intended contract period, the commissioner is clear that the overall contract is capable of being provided only by this alliance of providers.

This is a VEAT notice for the direct award of contract of 3 years (with an option to extend for a further 2 years) to the incumbent providers.

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

Cost criterion - Name: N/A / Weighting: N/A

#### **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

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

Commissioners are confident that an award of a new contract to a single provider without advertisement is justified and are satisfied that the overall contract is capable of being provided only by that provider. The Commissioner's guiding principles being:

- the requirement to commission services from those providers that are most capable of securing the needs of health care service users and improving the quality and efficiency of services, and that provide the best value for money in doing so.
- the requirement to consider appropriate means of improving NHS health care services.

The Commissioner has carried out a detailed review of the provision of particular services in its local area in order to understand how those services can be improved and, as part of that review, identified the most capable provider or providers of those services. The review has included an assessment to determine past and current performance, capability and capacity for the provider to deliver the future requirements of the contract.

In the context of the review undertaken and the recommendations derived from a collaborative approach to what needs to change, the Commissioner has been able to identify with reasonable certainty that it is the incumbent provider that is capable of providing the contract (or that is capable of developing the capacity/infrastructure to do so) and to determine the incumbent provider is most capable of securing the needs of health care service users and of improving services, and represent best value for money for the contract period required from 1st April 2024.

#### 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/concession**

### **Contract No**

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### **Title**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 November 2023

#### **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**

Locala Community Partnerships CIC

1st Floor, Beckside Court, Bradford Road

Batley

WF175PW

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Telephone

+44 0300304555

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Internet address

<https://www.locala.org.uk/>

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: £7,644,849

#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

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

### **Contract No**

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### **Title**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 November 2023

#### **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**

Curo Health Limited

Dewsbury District Hospital, Woodkirk House, Halifax Road

Dewsbury

WF13 4HS

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Telephone

+44 1924431903

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Internet address

<https://www.curohealthcare.co.uk>

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: £1,153,445

#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

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

### **Contract No**

3

### **Title**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 November 2023

#### **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**

Kirklees Council

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Huddersfield

HD1 2EY

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Telephone

+44 1484210000

Country

United Kingdom



NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Internet address

[www.Kirklees.gov.uk](http://www.Kirklees.gov.uk)

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: £2,270,562

#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

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

### **Contract No**

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### **Title**

NHS West Yorkshire ICB - Kirklees - Provision of Urgent Community Response Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 November 2023

#### **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**

Local Care Direct

Sheridan Teal House, Unit 2 Longbow Close, Pennine Business Park, Bradley

Huddersfield

HD2 1GQ

Email

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Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Internet address

<https://www.localcaredirect.org/>

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: £5,753,604

#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Royal Courts of Justice

Strand, Holborn

London

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