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Contract

## **NCL ICB - SSA Star Care Ltd**

NHS North Central London Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-034691

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-055281

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

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

NHS North Central London Integrated Care Board

Laycock PDC, Laycock Street

London

N1 1TH

#### **Contact**

Complex Care Contracts Team

#### **Email**

[nclicb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net](mailto:nclicb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

Buyer's address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

**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**

NCL ICB - SSA Star Care Ltd

Reference number

C370424

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85323000 - Community health services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Contract renewed with existing supplier for the provision of Continuing Healthcare (CHC) for one or more existing service user placements.

Supplier delivers the following service: home care

Contract start date of 01 April 2025. Contract duration period is for 12 months. To note individual placements duration are not defined; dependent on eligibility of individual service user for Continuing Healthcare (CHC). Therefore placements can be shorter or longer than 12 months.

Contract total award: not applicable

Current weekly payments to provider: £1235.22

#### **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: £1,235.22

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

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Contract Authority intends to award a contract to an existing provider following direct award process C.

Continuing Healthcare (CHC) home care service is provided. Due to the nature of CHC eligibility, placement contract end date not defined, nor lifetime value of the placement. However the proposed NHS Standard Contract duration is 12 months.

Weekly value of the contract is £1235.22

Award Criteria: the existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard.

### **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

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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 standstill period begins on the day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by 25 April 2025. 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**

20 June 2025

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

SSA STAR CARE LTD

Office 7 Lumina Business Centre 32 Lumina Way, Lumina Park,32 Lumina way

Enfield

EN1 1FS

Telephone

+44 7796340377

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI54 - Enfield

National registration number

11945675

Internet address

<http://ssastar.co.uk>

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,235.22

Lowest offer: £1,235.22 / Highest offer: £1,235.22 taken into consideration

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

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This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

The Contract Authority prioritised patient choice and continuity of care as the key criteria for decision-making, recognising their critical role in ensuring patient satisfaction and seamless healthcare delivery.

The decision to award the contract was made by the Deputy Director of Complex Care - Strategic Commissioning. No declarations of actual, or potential interests by officers involved in this decision have been received

Written representations should be sent to [nclpcb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net](mailto:nclpcb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net) by deadline date.

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

NHS North Central London Integrated Care Board

Laycock PDC, Laycock Street

London

N1 1TH

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.nclhealthandcare.org.uk/icb/north-central-london-integrated-care-board>

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution

70 Fleet Street

London

EC4Y 1EU

Email

[info@cedr.com](mailto:info@cedr.com)

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.cedr.com/>

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The standstill period begins on the day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 08 July 2025.

Written representations should be sent to [nclimb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net](mailto:nclimb.cicprovidercontracts@nhs.net). Please include the FTS reference in the email subject header.

#### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

NHS North Central London ICB

Laycock PDC, Laycock Street

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N1 1TH

Email

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