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## **Contract for Abatacept (Orencia) (Homecare)**

Northern Health and Social Care Trust

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04b1d2

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKN0 - Northern Ireland

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.northerntrust.hscni.net>

**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**

Contract for Abatacept (Orencia) (Homecare)

Reference number

DAC111/1024PM

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

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

Contract for supply of Abatacept (Orencia) (Homecare) for up to 3 years

#### **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: £1,400,000

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

Contract for supply of Abatacept (Orencia) (Homecare) for up to 3 years

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

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: 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:
  - protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

Explanation:

Regulation 32(2)(b)iii permits the award of a public contract by a negotiated procedure without prior publication where the works, supplies or services can only be supplied by a particular economic operator due to the protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights. The absence of competition is not the result of an artificial narrowing down of the parameters of the procurement.

The NHSCT requires the purchase of Abatacept which is subject to patent protection / Sole MA Holder and consequently no reasonable alternative or substitute exists.

#### 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

DAC111/1024PM

### Title

Contract for supply of Abatacept (Orencia) (Homecare)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 October 2024

**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**

Lloyds Pharmacy Clinical Homecare

Unit 4 Scimitar Park, Roydon Road

Harlow

CM19 5GU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

Companies House

02764914

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: £1,400,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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