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Award

Rapid Response Service to support Section 136 Observations

CHESHIRE AND WIRRAL PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

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Scope

Description

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 decision makers by 7th July 2025 to cwp.contracts@nhs.net. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

ISL has been providing this service since 2022 when funding was made available by the ICB to respond to the increase in demand for mental health 136 observations and support across the CWP footprint.

There has been no substantial change to the nature or cost of the service delivered.

There are plans in place to go out to tender for this service within this financial year. As this procurement exercise will take time there is a need to extend this contract so there is no break in service.

01/04/25 to 31/12/25 £723,884

Contract 1. Rapid Response Service to support Section 136 Observations

Supplier

- Independence Support Ltd

Contract value

- £723,884 excluding VAT
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Below the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

8 July 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 8 July 2025 to 31 December 2025
- 5 months, 24 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85100000 - Health services

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

Independence Support Ltd

Bayshill Road

Gloucestershire

GL50 3AT

United Kingdom

Email: info@isl-uk.org

Region: UKK13 - Gloucestershire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

CHESHIRE AND WIRRAL PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

- NHS Organisation Data Service: RXA
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGZV-5874-HRZD

Countess of Chester, Health Park, Liverpool Road

Chester

CH2 1BQ

United Kingdom

Email: cwp.contracts@nhs.net

Website: <https://www.cwp.nhs.uk/>

Region: UKD63 - Cheshire West and Chester

Organisation type: Public authority - central government