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Contract

## **NHSE974 Mental Health Treatment Requirement Services for Cheshire & Merseyside**

NHS England North West Health and Justice

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-045a9a

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

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

NHS England North West Health and Justice

Liverpool

#### **Email**

[necsu.psrprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.psrprocurement@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKD - North West (England)

#### **Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Buyer's address

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/north-west/>

#### **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**

NHSE974 Mental Health Treatment Requirement Services for Cheshire & Merseyside

Reference number

NHSE974

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

- 85100000 - Health services

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

Services

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

This notice is an intention to award a contract under the PSR competitive process for Mental Health Treatment Requirement Services for Cheshire and Merseyside. Contract award is anticipated for 29 November 2024.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £5,199,976

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot No

1

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85100000 - Health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Cheshire and Merseyside

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

Mental Health Treatment Requirement Services for Cheshire and Merseyside.

This notice is an intention to award a contract under the PSR competitive process.

Approximate lifetime value of the contract - £5,199,976

This is an existing service with the incumbent provider following an open competitive process. The new contract, is for 5 years, with effect from 01 April 2025, with the option to extend for a further 3 years subject to satisfactory financial and contractual performance and at the discretion of the Relevant Authority.

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

Quality criterion - Name: PSR 5 Key Criteria / Weighting: 85

Cost criterion - Name: Value/Financial Risk in line with the 5 Key Criteria / Weighting: 15

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

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-026244](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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

### **Title**

NHSE974 MHTR Services Cheshire and Merseyside

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

14 November 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust

Prescot

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £5,199,976

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,199,976

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.3) Additional information**

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 working day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by midnight on 27 November 2024.

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

Any representations should be sent to [necsu.psrprocurement@nhs.net](mailto:necsu.psrprocurement@nhs.net).

NHS England - North West, Health and Justice (the Relevant Authority) Senior Leadership Team (SLT) and Direct Commissioning Committee (DCC) were the award decision-makers.

One bid was received. Conflicts of interest were managed throughout the process and no conflicts of interest were identified. Providers were asked to demonstrate and evidence, by responding to specific questions, how their proposed service delivery model will ensure that the relevant key criteria will be delivered for service users. The responses to specific questions will provide evidence under the relevant Key Criteria.

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

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

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom

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

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

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