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Contract

## **CSW - Post-mortem Toxicology Services for HM Coroner for Warwickshire and Coventry**

Warwickshire County Council  
Coventry City Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-037248

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03ec07

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

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

Warwickshire County Council

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG13 - Warwickshire

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/csw-jets.aspx/Home>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Coventry City Council

Coventry

**Email**

[rob.amor@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:rob.amor@coventry.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG - West Midlands (England)

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

CSW - Post-mortem Toxicology Services for HM Coroner for Warwickshire and Coventry

Reference number

CSW - 15889

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

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

Services

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

Post-mortem Toxicology Services for HM Coroner for Warwickshire and Coventry.

### **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: £800,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

The Council (on behalf of HM Coroner for Warwickshire) requires Forensic Toxicology Services to analyse and report on samples such as blood, urine, vitreous humour, occasionally liver tissue and others. A standard screen (which is the most common request) is for alcohol, prescription drugs and recreational drugs.

On occasion the Coroner will ask to test for a specific substance such as carbon monoxide, ketones or a particular drug or substance.

These lab reports provide essential expert evidence to support the Coroner in the discharge of his / her duties.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-022317](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust

Birmingham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £800,000