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Contract

Urgent Patient Transport Service

NHS Dorset Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-039248

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04c296

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Dorset Integrated Care Board

Vespasian House, Barrack Road

Dorchester

DT1 1TG

Email

customer.careteam@nhsdorset.nhs.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.nhsdorset.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.customer.careteam@nhsdorset.nhs.uk>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

NHS body

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Urgent Patient Transport Service

Reference number

C318347/QVV/8KL31/PTS/FL/PSRC/24

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85143000 - Ambulance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The contract has been awarded using Provider Selection Regime (PSR) direct award process C. The services to be provided include Urgent Patient Transport Services. The current value of the contract is £772,044. The contract term is from 29/07/2024 to 28/01/2026, with an option to extend for 3 months until 24/04/2026. The contract is for an existing service, with an existing provider.

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: £772,044

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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

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 contract was awarded using Provider Selection Regime (PSR) Direct Award Process C.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

29 July 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Enhanced Care Services Ltd

UNIT H9, ADANAC PARK, ADANAC DRIVE, NURSLING, HAMPSHIRE

Southampton

SO16 0BT

Telephone

+2 380201561

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

National registration number

09717413

Internet address

www.enhancedcareservices.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: £772,044

Total value of the contract/lot: £772,044

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 day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 17th December 2024. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Representations should be sent to: performanceandplanning@nhsdorset.nhs.uk

This award was approved by relevant decision makers in the NHS Dorset Senior Leadership Team. No conflicts of interests have been identified in this process.

As ECS is an existing provider, NHS Dorset were able to make assessment, against the key criteria, of quality, value, collaboration, social value, and health inequalities. Through our previous working relationship, and by assessing against the service required, which is a reduction on the existing service, we have confidence that ECS will meet the key criteria.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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London

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