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Contract

NHS2018 - Stroke Befriending Service 24-25

Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-039699

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04c5e4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

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Bodmin

Acute Trusts

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NHS2018 - Stroke Befriending Service 24-25

Reference number

NHS2108

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Stroke Befriending service will provide both peer and professional support to stroke survivors. Peer befrienders will be recruited, trained, and supported to meet legal and training standards. Service leads will manage the befriender roster to ensure adequate coverage. This service will benefit both stroke survivors and the Integrated Community Stroke Service by improving emotional well-being, increasing community access, boosting confidence, and reducing social isolation. The provider will collaborate with local organizations, such as the Stroke Association, to expand access to resources and offer flexible appointment options, including in-person and virtual meetings.

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: £38,221.04

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

Main site or place of performance

Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Cost criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient / Weighting: 100

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:

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Find a Tender service in the cases listed below

The contract falls outside the scope of application of the regulation

Explanation

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice under the Direct Award C procedure. 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.

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

Contract No

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Title

NHS2018 - Stroke Befriending Service 24-25

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

10 December 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

Volunteer Cornwall

Acorn House, Heron Way

Truro

TR1 3XN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

National registration number

3562830

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: £38,221.04

Total value of the contract/lot: £38,221.04

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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neelan.moodley1@nhs.net

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

Decision maker: CFT Stroke Improvement Board on the 10 July 2024

Conflicts of interests: CEO of Volunteer Cornwall also appointed Governor of CFT

Conflict Management: Managed in accordance with Regulation 21 and with CFTs COI policy e.g removal from meetings/discussions where conflict could occur

The key criteria were evaluated on a pass/fail basis with the provider currently satisfying (passing) all key criteria and it is expected that they will continue to do so in the new iteration of the contract.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

Bodmin

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NHS England

Skipton House

London

Country

United Kingdom