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Contract

Invitation to Tender - Online Sexual Health - Postal Testing Kits

Wirral Community NHS Foundation Trust

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object**II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

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Reference number

DN728048

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

- Suppliers must have extensive experience in digital sexual health provision.
- Have a track record of innovation.
- Be registered with CQC.
- Use UKAS ISO 15189:2012 accredited laboratories.
- Adhere to BASHH, BHIVA, FSRH guidelines.
- Development plans with sexual health electronic patient management systems providers, and if not that you will enter one with regard to developing system and results integration, to facilitate a single patient sexual health record between sexual health provider and online platform.

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: £721,006

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD74 - Wirral

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Wirral Community Health & Care NHS Foundation Trust is looking to procure an outstanding digital sexual health offer for its local authority commissioned Integrated Sexual Health services. Additionally we intend use the successful provider for our existing and any future potential services which may be acquired through future tender bids.

The successful provider will deliver a robust sexual health digital offer, ensuring patient confidentiality, to increase access to information, diagnosis and support, improve patient experience and strengthen the impact of services. There will be a focus on self-managed care, empowering patients and reducing unnecessary clinic attendances.

Scope

The service went live on 1st July 2021 for the Wirral population of 321,000 and will finish on the 31st October 2024

Service Specification

- Suppliers must have extensive experience in digital sexual health provision
- Have a track record of innovation
- Be registered with CQC
- Use UKAS ISO 15189:2012 accredited laboratories
- Adhere to BASHH, BHIVA, FSRH guidelines
- Please indicate if you have any current relationships or development plans with sexual health electronic patient management systems providers, and if not that you will enter into one with regard to developing system and results integration, to facilitate a single patient sexual health record between sexual health provider and online platform.

The digital offer will include:-

Postal Testing

An extensive postal testing service for all STIs appropriate to patients' sexual health needs

- Self-sample Urine/swabs for chlamydia/gonorrhoea. With dual/triple site testing as elicited by registration
- Self-sample blood tests for HIV/Syphilis
- Safeguarding assessment for those