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Contract

Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Community Self-harm Reduction support service

NHS Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Integrated Commissioning Board (LLR ICB)

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04c926

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Integrated Commissioning Board (LLR ICB)

Room G30, Pen Lloyd Building, County Hall, Glenfield

Leicester

LE3 8TB

Email

llricb-llr.contracting@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKF - East Midlands (England)

NHS Organisation Data Service

QK1

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://leicesterleicestershireandrutland.icb.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://leicesterleicestershireandrutland.icb.nhs.uk/>

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

Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Community Self-harm Reduction support service

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The service is commissioned to deliver self-harm service interventions.

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: £822,713

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF21 - Leicester
- UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Description of the services to be provided:

The service is commissioned to deliver self-harm service intervention and to support the LLR community by providing local access and evidence-based intervention for people who self-harm. The service aims to reduce the rate and severity of self-harm, promote health, hope and recovery of people of any age who are in psychological distress and do,

or are at risk of, self-harm. Qualified therapists will be trained to deliver a range of therapy approaches in line with national guidance for self-harm. The evidence-based model will include stabilisation sessions throughout the client's journey to ensure clients get immediate support for an acute presentation but also to ensure they get the best outcomes from subsequent therapy. This service will fit within a 'whole systems' integrated approach to respond to self-harm and the mental health and emotional wellbeing needs of the LLR population in line with the wider suicide prevention plan.

The lifetime value of the contract is £822,713 exclusive of VAT.

The dates between which the services are intended to be provided are from 1st September 2025 to 31st August 2027 plus an extension option of up to 24 months (to 31st August 2029).

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 standard / Weighting: 100

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.14) Additional information

There is an extension option of up to 24 months from 1st September 2027 to 31st August 2029

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 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 publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by the 2nd January 2025.

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

Contract No

25/29/QK1/HCIC

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 September 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

Harmless CIC

1 Beech Avenue, New Basford

Nottingham

NG7 7LJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

Companies House

07150904

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: £822,713

Total value of the contract/lot: £822,713

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. The standstill period starts the day after the publication of this notice. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by midnight of Thursday 2nd January 2025.

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Email address where written representations should be sent: llricb-llr.contracting@nhs.net

Details of the award decision-makers: NHS LLR ICB Strategic Commissioning Group

Any declared conflicts or potential conflicts of interest of individuals making the decision and how these were managed: No conflicts of interest were declared.

Relative importance and rationale for the relative importance of the key criteria, and the rationale for choosing the provider with reference to the key criteria:

The Contracting Authority has applied equal weighting to the key criteria. The Contracting Authority has assessed the provider's suitability and technical / professional ability to undertake this service based on their current activities and performance, against the key criteria and basic selection criteria when making a decision to award this contract. The provider's economic and financial standing has been considered in proportion to the contract value and terms. The assessment demonstrates that the provider has been, and is likely to continue to satisfy the requirements of the contract. The intention to award the contract is made on this basis.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NHS Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland ICB

Glenfield, Leicester

Country

United Kingdom