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Contract

## **The Provision of Caretaking GP Services: Whitestone Surgery**

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

F20: Modification notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-041511

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-047b48

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board

Westgate House, Market Street

Warwick

CV34 4DE

#### **Contact**

Claire Pickard

#### **Email**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKG13 - Warwickshire

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.happyhealthylives.uk/integrated-care-board/>

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

The Provision of Caretaking GP Services: Whitestone Surgery

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

- 85121100 - General-practitioner services

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

Services

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKG13 - Warwickshire

Main site or place of performance

82 Bulkington Lane

Nuneaton

CV11 3SB

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:**

The contractor will be required to provide all Essential Services, Additional Services throughout core hours as determined in the NHS General Medical Services Regulations 2004 and subsequent amendments.

The Care Quality Commission (CQC) suspended registration for a period of 6 months with immediate effect (17th January 2024). The immediate impact was that the holder of the CQC registration was no longer able to perform regulated primary care services until at least the end of the 6-month period. Therefore, the ICB's responsibility was to commission care for the registered patients of Whitestone Surgery.

Due to the ongoing CQC regulatory process we are looking to extend this contract for a further 6 months.

Lifetime value of the contract is - £400,000 and the contract is being delivered between the following dates;

Original Contract - 29th January 2024 - 29th July 2024

Option to extend - 30th July 2024 - 31st January 2025

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

12

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-020676](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

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

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:**

29 January 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

Coventry & Rugby GP Alliance

Unit 1, The Boiler House, Electric Wharf, Sandy Lane

Coventry

CV1 4JU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG33 - Coventry

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)**

Total value of the procurement: £400,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

This contract has been awarded under the urgent circumstances provision of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR). This contract has been awarded under 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 justification to why the modification was made under urgent circumstances was due to CQC suspension of registration.

The decision makers were the following people from Coventry & Warwickshire Integrated Care Board;

Alison Cartwright - Chief Integration Officer

Tim Sacks - Director of Primary Care

Liz Flavell-Smith - ICB Director of Finance

No conflicts of interests declared of the individuals making the decision.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

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## **Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession**

### **VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications**

#### **VII.1.1) Main CPV code**

- 85121100 - General-practitioner services

#### **VII.1.3) Place of performance**

NUTS code

- UKG13 - Warwickshire

Main site or place of performance

82 Bulkington Lane

Nuneaton

CV11 3SB

#### **VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:**

The contractor will be required to provide all Essential Services, Additional Services throughout core hours as determined in the NHS General Medical Services Regulations 2004 and subsequent amendments.

#### **VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

6

#### **VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£250,000

#### **VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

Coventry & Rugby GP Alliance

Unit 1, The Boiler House, Electric Wharf, Sandy Lane

Coventry

CV1 4JU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG33 - Coventry

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

## **VII.2) Information about modifications**

### **VII.2.1) Description of the modifications**

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

The Care Quality Commission (CQC) suspended registration for a period of 6 months with immediate effect (17th January 2024). The immediate impact was that the holder of the CQC registration was no longer able to perform regulated primary care services.

Due to the ongoing CQC regulatory process which has not yet been concluded the Commissioner needs to extend this contract for another 6 months.

Lifetime value of the contract is - £750,000 and the contract is being delivered between the following dates;

Original Contract - 29th January 2024 - 29th July 2024

Previous Extension - 30th July 2024 - 31st January 2025

Modification Period - 1st February 2025 - 31st July 2025

### **VII.2.2) Reasons for modification**

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

The justification to why the modification was made under urgent circumstances was due to CQC suspension of registration.

### **VII.2.3) Increase in price**

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £750,000