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Contract

Tobacco Dependency Outreach Service - PSR

Gloucestershire County Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0554ad

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Gloucestershire County Council

Shire Hall, Westgate Street

Gloucester

GL12TG

Contact

Rhiannon Wardle

Email

rhiannon.wardle@gloucestershire.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK13 - Gloucestershire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.goucestershire.gov.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Tobacco Dependency Outreach Service - PSR

Reference number

DN771819

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Intention to Award - The outreach service will enhance tobacco dependency services across Gloucestershire, by working with targeted cohorts with high smoking prevalence

rates. Target cohorts include those who are homeless, or living in supported accommodation, those with substance misuse issues, Polish and the LGBTQ+ community.

Contract Period: 1st November 2025 - 31st October 2027 with the option to extend the term for a period of not more than one-year and five-months at the end of the initial contract period (as further set out in clause 2.2 in Appendix 2: Contract Terms & Conditions).

Contract Value:

Year 1 (1st November 2025 - 31st October 2026) - £229,810

Year 2 (1st November 2026 - 31st October 2027) - £229,810

Total Maximum Capped Price (Initial contract term - excluding possible extension period) - £459,620

Year 3 (1st November 2027 - 31st October 2028) - £229,810

Year 4 (1st November 2028 - 31st March 2029) - £95,755

Total Maximum Capped Price (including possible extension period) - £785,185.

Please note the figures have been rounded up to the nearest pound £.

Please note for the II.1.7. Total value of the procurement we have included the possible extension periods.

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: £785,185

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The outreach service will enhance tobacco dependency services across Gloucestershire, by working with targeted cohorts with high smoking prevalence rates. Target cohorts include those who are homeless, or living in supported accommodation, those with substance misuse issues, Polish and the LGBTQ +community.

This notice is an intention to award a contract under a Competitive Process under Providers Selection Regime (2023).

The approximate lifetime value of the contract including possible extension is £785,185.

This is a new service with an existing provider.

Initial term 1st November 2025 to 31st October 2027, possible extension period 1st November 2027 to 31st March 2029.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 57

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 28

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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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

18 September 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ABL Health Ltd

71 Redgate Way, Farnworth

Bolton, Greater Manchester

BL4 0JL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

Companies House

07074944

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £785,185

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 the relevant authority by Wednesday 1st October (midnight). This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award a contract under the competitive process of the PSR. Representations should be made to Claire.procter@gloucestershire.gov.uk.

Decision makers Director of Public Health (Siobhan Famer) in consultation with the Cabinet Lead for Public Health, Communities and Fire (Cllr Paul Hodgkinson), following evaluation of the tenders by a panel comprising: Gloucestershire County Council (GCC) Public Health officers, GCC finance officer, and representatives from NHS Gloucestershire Integrated Care Board and Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

All involved in evaluation were issued with conflict of Interest declarations, no conflicts identified.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Gloucestershire County Council

Gloucester

Country

United Kingdom