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## **Confidential Staff Liaison and Freedom to Speak Up Services**

Oxleas NHS Foundation Trust

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

C348821

### **Description**

Provision of Confidential Staff Liaison and Freedom To Speak Up Services.

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## **Contract 1. Confidential Staff Liaison and Freedom to Speak Up Service**

## **Supplier**

- [The Guardian Service](#)

## **Contract value**

- £562,768 excluding VAT
- £675,321.60 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Award decision date**

25 September 2025

## **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

25 September 2025

## **Standstill period**

- End: 6 October 2025
- 8 working days

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

9 October 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 10 October 2025 to 9 October 2028
- Possible extension to 9 October 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

2 x 12 Month extensions permitted

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 79530000 - Translation services

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## **Information about tenders**

- 3 tenders received
  - 3 tenders assessed in the final stage:
    - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
    - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
  - 1 supplier awarded contracts
  - 2 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Supplier

### The Guardian Service

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London

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United Kingdom

Email: [contact@theguardianservice.co.uk](mailto:contact@theguardianservice.co.uk)

Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Associated people/organisations:

N/A

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## Contracting authority

### **Oxleas NHS Foundation Trust**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMGB-6764-GLGQ

Pinewood House Pinewood Place

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Region: UKJ43 - Kent Thames Gateway

Organisation type: Public authority - central government