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National Framework Agreement for the provision of Mental Health and Wellbeing Services

COUNTESS OF CHESTER HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-060655

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-058b76

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

COUNTESS OF CHESTER HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

Liverpool Road

Chester

CH21UL

Email

info@coch-cps.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKD63 - Cheshire West and Chester

NHS Organisation Data Service

RJR

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.coch.nhs.uk/>

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

National Framework Agreement for the provision of Mental Health and Wellbeing Services

Reference number

F/102/MHWS/25/SB

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice.

The relevant Tender Notice was 2025/S 000-013977 with OCID ocids-h6vhtk-04ffb2.

The awarding of this framework agreement 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 and The Procurement Regulations 2024 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 midnight at the end of 2nd September 2025 to info@coch-cps.co.uk. This framework agreement has not yet been formally concluded; this notice serves as an intention to establish the framework agreement under the PSR.

The award decision makers were two Senior Commercial Procurement Specialists, the

Commercial Procurement Manager and the Director of Commercial Procurement Services.

The Key Criteria were:

- Social Value 10%
- Value - Commercial Questionnaire 10%
- Quality and Innovation 30%
- Integration, collaboration, and service sustainability 30%
- Improving access, reducing health inequalities, and facilitating choice 20%

The framework will be available to all Relevant Authorities (and any future successors to these organisations). "Relevant Authority" is defined in section 12ZB(7) of the National Health Service Act 2006 and in section 10A(9) of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006.

The overall aim of the Framework Agreement is to provide Mental Health and Wellbeing services for young people, adults or both. The Framework intends to cover a range of services that fall within the scope of Mental Health and Wellbeing services, delivered either virtually or in person.

In accordance with Regulation 17 of The Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 and Regulation 17 of The Health Services (Provider Selection Regime) (Wales) Regulations 2025, new Providers may be added to this Framework during the Term of the Framework. Award of a Framework Agreement does not guarantee or imply any commitment to award a Call-off Contract by any Relevant Authority.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: [2025/S 000-050237](#)

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.2) Other additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of establishment of a framework agreement. Framework agreements have been concluded under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 and The Health Services

(Provider Selection Regime) (Wales) Regulations 2025. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 and The Procurement Regulations 2024 do not apply to this award. Framework agreement have now been formally

concluded using the competitive process with the Providers listed below.

ABL HEALTH LIMITED - 09/09/2025

BARNARDO'S, BARNARDO HOUSE - 18/09/2025

EVERYONE HEALTH LIMITED - 09/09/2025

FOREMOST CARE UK LIMITED - 24/09/2025

HEALTH ASSURED - 10/09/2025

HealthHero Solutions Limited - 09/09/2025

Kooth Digital Health Limited - 09/09/2025

LIVA HEALTHCARE - 11/09/2025

MINDLER LTD - 09/09/2025

NOTTINGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSING ASSOCIATION - 09/09/2025

NXG ENTERPRISES - 09/09/2025

People Asset Management Limited - 09/09/2025

Physio4gps Ltd - 09/09/2025

The Owl Centre Limited - 09/09/2025

Therapy Centre Services Ltd - 09/09/2025

FOCUS COUNSELLING SERVICES (HULL) LIMITED - 09/09/2025

Framework agreements will run from the date of conclusion until 08/09/29

The approximate lifetime value of the entire framework is £135,000,000.00 but no commitment to award a Call-off Contract is implied or given.