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Contract

Community Orthoptic Services

NHS NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Sir John Robinson House Sir John Robinson Way Arnold Nottingham

Nottingham

NG56DA

Email

nnicb-nn.prsupport@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKF16 - South Nottinghamshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://notts.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

Community Orthoptic Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Investigation and management of disorders of binocular vision (how the eyes work together as a pair) and defects of eye movement.

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: £183,418

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF14 - Nottingham
- UKF16 - South Nottinghamshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Description of the services to be provided: Investigation and management of disorders of binocular vision (how the eyes work together as a pair) and defects of eye movement.

The ICB is intending to award a contract to an existing provider following direct award process C.

The approximate lifetime value of the contract is £183,418.

The dates between which the services are intended to be provided are 1 April 2026 until 31 March 2027 to continue providing a Community Orthoptic Service whilst a review of future requirements is undertaken.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: The existing provider is satisfying the original contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Value / Weighting: 0

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

In line with the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023.

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 Procurement Act 2023 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 14 October 2025. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 September 2025

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

East Midlands Medical Services LTD

Nottingham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £183,418

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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Written representations should be sent to nnicb-nn.psrsupport@nhs.net.

The decision was made by the Strategic Planning and Integration Committee in line with the ICB's Scheme of Reservation and Delegation. There were no declared conflicts or potential conflicts of interest.

The contracting arrangements are not changing considerably and the existing provider is performing the contract to a sufficient standard taking into account the key criteria

The relative importance of the key criteria was weighted as equal.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board

Nottingham

Country

United Kingdom