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Contract

Anglia Community Eyecare Services (ACES)

NHS BRISTOL, NORTH SOMERSET AND SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05aa9a

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

NHS BRISTOL, NORTH SOMERSET AND SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

Floor 2, North Wing, 100 Temple Street

Bristol

BS16AG

Email

bnssg.acutecontracting@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKK11 - Bristol, City of

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://bnssg.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

Anglia Community Eyecare Services (ACES)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85121281 - Ophthalmologist services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The service will provide routine elective secondary care services for patients in the following specialities

- Ophthalmology
- Potential for community Age-related Macular Degeneration/Glaucoma monitoring where specifically agreed in advance by the commissioner

- Diagnostics procedures forming part of an agreed pathway
- Direct access to diagnostics procedures, where this has been specifically agreed by the Commissioner

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: £0.01

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK1 - Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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- Ophthalmology
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The services will include, where appropriate;

- Pre-treatment e.g., referral processes; triage/clinical assessment; diagnostics; consultation; pre-treatment assessment and / or work up.
- Treatment e.g., outpatient/ambulatory/inpatient treatment; joint assessments.
- Discharge e.g., expected physical, self-care, psychological capabilities prior to discharge.

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• Follow up e.g., specialist support post discharge, referrals to other general or specialist services such as GP or District Nurse, self-care requirements for a period up to and including 14 days post discharge.

The award has been made following Direct Award Process B. The procurement has been conducted in line with Right To Choose requirements.

This is an activity-based contract with no guaranteed value.

The contract has been awarded for the period 01/04/2025 - 31/03/2026 with no provision for extension included

This procurement has been carried out by NHS South, Central and West Commissioning Support Unit (SCW) on behalf of the Commissioners.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: No realistic alternative provider' / 'Patient Choice / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: No realistic alternative provider' / 'Patient Choice / Weighting: 0

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Patient Choice

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:

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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

Contract No

BNSSG_C347657_ACES_2025-2026

Title

ACES

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 April 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Anglia Community Eye Service

Wisbech

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKJ - South East (England)

Companies House

05632363

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £0.01

Total value of the contract/lot: £0.01

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Niall Mitchell, Deputy head of Acute Contracts (Acute and Mental Health)

No conflicts of interest were identified or declared during the process

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) confirmation of contract award notice. 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.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom