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Contract

P1 staffing capacity Exeter

NHS DEVON INTEGRATED CARE BOARD

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05acd3

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKK4 - Devon

NHS Organisation Data Service

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://onedevon.org.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

P1 staffing capacity Exeter

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Devon has sought to procure urgent provision of short term staffing support for P1 discharges from RDUH in Exeter

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: £50,400

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK43 - Devon CC

Main site or place of performance

Discharges from Exeter

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Due to lack of capacity in local authority provision during initial winter demand surge, NHS Devon urgently required additional peripatetic support for P1 work with patients being discharged from hospital in Exeter.

A provider was available who had previously supported this area of work, performing well. Due to the urgency of the need the decision was taken to award a very short direct award to this provider.

The award is for provision of 3 members staff, 7 days a week for 12.5 hours per day; 175 - 200 hours per week.

The contract period is for 6 weeks, anticipated to start 27/10/25.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: CQC Good/ no concerns / Weighting: 50%

Cost criterion - Name: Competitive local price / Weighting: 50%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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 below threshold direct award for a very short term contract

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

10 October 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

Network Healthcare

Meriden Hall

Warwickshire

CV7 7PT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG1 - Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Warwickshire

Companies House

13916743

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £50,400

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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