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Not applicable

National Framework Agreement for the provision of Secure Patient Transport Services

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

All Relevant Authorities as defined in section 12ZB(7) of the National Health Service Act 2006 (and any successor bodies) shall be eligible users of this framework.

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-067457

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04869f

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool Road

Chester

CH2 1UL

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/>

I.1) Name and addresses

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UK

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

National Framework Agreement for the provision of Secure Patient Transport Services

Reference number

F/094/SPTS/24/MH

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust wishes to establish a Framework Agreement under the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023 (and as amended) (the PSR) for use by 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. It means a combined authority, an integrated care board, a local authority in England, NHS England, an NHS foundation trust or an NHS trust established under section 25 of that Act.

For the avoidance of doubt, any successor bodies of any of the above entities shall be entitled to place Orders and shall be deemed Relevant Authorities for the purposes of this Framework Agreement.

This framework agreement aims to support mental health patient requirements through the provision of secure patient transport services.

This framework will run for a term of 2 years with options to extend for up to a further 2 years in annual increments.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: [2024/S 000-034236](#)

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

Section number

V.2

Read

Text

Contract No

10

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

16 October 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 15

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor360 Ambulance Service Ltd

Unit 4, Healey Row

Burnley

BB11 2HG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD4 - Lancashire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

VII.2) Other additional information

This notice is supplementary to the previous F14 corrigendum notices published to confirm a decision under the Provider Selection Regime (reference 2024/S 000-038263).

This F14 corrigendum notice is being published to confirm the place of a further supplier, following receipt of requested information. This modification notice is being published to add an additional supplier to the framework. No other details of the previous notices (Intent to

Award 2024/S 000-034236, Confirmation of Decision 2024/S 000-038263 and previous F14 Corrigendum Notices 2024/S 000-040706, 2025/S 000-004518 and 2025/S 000-005034) have changed.