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Contract

General Acute Services for Essex

NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board NHS North East Essex ICB NHS West Essex Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05d6c0

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKH3 - Essex

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www.midandsouthessex.ics.nhs.uk

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.1) Name and addresses

NHS West Essex Integrated Care Board

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https://www.hertsandwestessex.ics.nhs.uk/

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

In the case of joint procurement involving different countries, state applicable national procurement law

N/A

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

General Acute Services for Essex

Reference number

ACE-0853-2025-MSE

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85110000 - Hospital and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The delivery of Essex Care & Treatment Reviews with PSG will collaborate with the Engager to arrange the notified CTRs for over 18s, as well as provide administration and panel members to assist the Engager in fulfilling their obligation to complete CTRs in accordance with National DSR policy. It is anticipated that between 15 and 20 reviews will be provided each month throughout the contract period.

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: £140,516.13

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Mid and South Essex Health Economy

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Contracting Authority NHS Mid and South Essex Integrated Care Board, coordinating commissioner, on behalf of NHS North East Essex Integrated Care Board (SNEE ICB) and NHS West Essex Integrated Care Board (HWE ICB), has awarded a one year contract via Direct Award Process A to Positive Support Group (PSG).

The contract commenced on 20th October 2025 and will expire on the 31st March 2026 with an estimated aggregate contract value of £140,516.13.

II.2.5) Award criteria

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

Price - Weighting: 100

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: 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 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.

NHS Provider Selection Regime Direct Award Process A.

Decision makers are: - Finance and Investment Committee and Main ICB Board.

Conflicts of interest identified among committee: [0], None Declared. The non-conflicted members have assessed the nature and risk of this conflict, and have decided which steps to take to avoid or manage it. Recused from that agenda item where the conflict existed. COI is managed using the ICB COI process along with NHSE COI guidance and the PSR Regulation 21 and guidance.

Contract value is £140,516.13 for a period of 6 months.

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

Title

Essex Care & Treatment Reviews

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

24 October 2024

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

Positive Support Group

6 Warwick Street,

London, United Kingdom,

W1B 5LX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £140,516.13

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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NHS Provider Selection Regime Direct Award Process A.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom