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Award

Electronic database access and training

City of Bradford Metropolitan District Council

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Scope

Reference

EX1057

Description

This contract is for the provision of access to OpenAthens, along with associated training to facilitate its use. OpenAthens is the platform that provides access to electronic journals for the health and care sector. The current cost is for a limited number of users. Within the current funding window to 2027, if demand is there, we may wish to explore increasing the number of users in the future.

Contract 1. Electronic database access and training

Supplier

- Bradford District Care NHS Foundation Trust

Contract value

- £38,750 excluding VAT
- £46,500 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

11 December 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

11 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 11 December 2025 to 30 October 2027
- 1 year, 10 months, 20 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 72320000 - Database services
- 80000000 - Education and training services

Contract locations

- UKE41 - Bradford

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government