

**United Kingdom-Wakefield: Ophthalmologist services**

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Contract notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS Wakefield CCG

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**Internet address(es):**Main address: [www.wakefieldccg.nhs.uk](http://www.wakefieldccg.nhs.uk)**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: [www.nhssourcing.co.uk](http://www.nhssourcing.co.uk)

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: [www.nhssourcing.co.uk](http://www.nhssourcing.co.uk)

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**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5. Main activity**

Health

**Section II: Object**

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**II.1. Scope of the procurement****II.1.1. Title**

NHS Wakefield CCG Ophthalmology Service Consultant-led (AQP)

Reference number: WCCGOS1

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

85121281 Ophthalmologist services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

NHS Wakefield Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) is seeking to procure the provision of a consultant-led ophthalmology service for the population of the Wakefield District offering a 3-year contract with the option to extend the contract term for a further 2 years.

This will be an out of hospital-based service and the service provider(s) will work with The Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust, primary care and medical eye care services to ensure the seamless transfer of patients, as required.

The procurement will be an any qualified provider (AQP) process.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 8 487 228,00 GBP

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

85100000 Health services

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKE45 Wakefield

Main site or place of performance: Practice population of NHS Wakefield CCG.

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

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Ophthalmology is a high risk specialty in the Wakefield area in terms of growing demand, due to the ageing population and those with long term conditions.

NHS Wakefield CCG currently commission consultant-led AQP non-urgent ophthalmology and cataract surgery services separately. The new model of care is centered on the integration of these services.

It should be noted that under the AQP model, there will be no guarantees of volume or payment in the contracts awarded.

Whilst the contract will have a 0 value budget, estimated costs associated with consultant-led service procurement, based on 3 years, is 8 487 228 GBP.

Below provides 3-year activity data for ophthalmology delivered by the consultant-led AQP providers.

Indicative activity

Cataract surgery:

2016/17 — 6023;

2017/18 — 7373;

2018/19 — 7182.

Non Urgent Ophthalmology:

2016/17 — 4681;

2017/18 — 5656;

2018/19 — 5834.

— activity for non-urgent ophthalmology has increased each year,

— activity for cataract surgery increased in 2017/18 and had a slight decrease in 2018/19. The above data does not include activity undertaken by The Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust, any other acute trust or independent sector provider.

Referrals for ophthalmology services remain high volume from GP practices and optometrists. The purpose of the service is to provide high-quality and safe effective consultant-led elective non-urgent ophthalmology and cataract surgical services and support the management of local ophthalmology services.

The service provider will be responsible for delivering an integrated pathway to include advice, outpatients, diagnostics, treatment, surgical procedures and long term conditions follow-up care as either a minor day case procedure or inpatient elective service for non-urgent ophthalmic conditions/complaints and cataract surgery defined by the commissioner's referral guidelines.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 8 487 228,00 GBP

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/07/2020 End: 30/06/2023

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

2 years.

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: yes

#### **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

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Description**

##### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open procedure

##### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **IV.2. Administrative information**

##### **IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 20/02/2020 Local time: 12:00

**IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

**IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**  
English

**IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 20/02/2020 Local time: 12:30

Place:

NHS Wakefield CCG

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Brenda Powell.

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.3. Additional information**

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: High Court of Justice

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**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

13/01/2020