

**United Kingdom-Rotherham: Optician services**  
**OJ S 99/2019 23/05/2019**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NHS Rotherham CCG

Postal address: Oak House, Moorhead Way

Town: Rotherham

NUTS code: UKE31 Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

Postal code: S66 1YY

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [t.squires@nhs.net](mailto:t.squires@nhs.net)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.rotherhamccg.nhs.uk](http://www.rotherhamccg.nhs.uk)

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5. Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

NHS Rotherham CCG: Minor Eye Conditions Service

Reference number: SYPS/ROTH/PA/19/32

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

85160000 Optician services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The objectives of the service for 2019/20 are that the MEC service treats conditions which do not necessarily need specialist hospital examinations, in convenient locations for the patient, and is carried out by specially trained Optometrists. The service will provide a community based minor eye conditions service to patients who are registered with a Rotherham GP.

**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

**II.1.7.**

## **Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 134 676,00 GBP

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

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

NUTS code: UKE31 Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

Main site or place of performance: Rotherham, South Yorkshire.

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

Using the skills of primary care optometrists to triage, manage and prioritise patients presenting with an eye condition, patient care will be improved by:

- reduction in unnecessary referrals to eye casualty clinics thus supporting secondary care to manage ophthalmology capacity,
- more cost-effective care,
- speedier access to care,
- care closer to home in a more convenient setting,
- easier access for patients through self-referral,
- retention of patients in primary care where possible,
- reduction in antibiotic prescribing.

The contract will be for an initial term of one (1) year from the anticipated service commencement date of 1.7.2019, with the opportunity to extend for a further two (2) successive periods of one (1) year each, at the sole discretion of the Authority. The maximum term of contract is consequently three (3) years.

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

Price

#### **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: yes

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

##### **IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2019/S 032-072205](#)

##### **IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

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## **IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

### **Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** SYPS/ROTH/PA/19/32

**Title:**

NHS Rotherham CCG: Minor Eye Conditions Service (MECS)

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

#### **V.2. Award of contract**

##### **V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

22/04/2019

##### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

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

##### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Primary Eyecare (Services) Ltd

Postal address: 2 Woodbridge Street

Town: London

NUTS code: UKE31 Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

Postal code: EC1R 0DG

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: no

##### **V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Total value of the contract/lot: 134 676,00 GBP

##### **V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.3. Additional information**

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: NHS Improvement

Town: London

Country: United Kingdom

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

21/05/2019