

United Kingdom-Bristol: Health and social work services
OJ S 141/2019 24/07/2019
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group

Postal address: South Plaza, Marlborough Street

Town: Bristol

NUTS code: UKK South West (England)

Postal code: BS1 3NX

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Katie Luscombe

E-mail: katie.luscombe@nhs.net

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://bnssgccg.nhs.uk/>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/scwcsu.aspx/Home>

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

Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) Service across Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Reference number: PR002096

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85000000 Health and social work services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group (BNSSG CCG) sought to commission an Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) service across Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire. The Commissioner is taking an innovative and positive new approach that locates the mandated clinical IAPT interventions within the wider socio-economic context. It is expected that this will maximize the

effectiveness of the clinical IAPT interventions and improve service user outcomes. The contract duration will be for 10 years from 1.9.2019, with a break clause after 3 years. This procurement was carried out by NHS South, Central and West Commissioning Support Unit (SCW) on behalf of the commissioner.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 77 574 133,36 GBP

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

85000000 Health and social work services, 85000000 Health and social work services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKK South West (England)

Main site or place of performance:

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 96 %

Cost criterion - Name: Finance and value for money (VFM) narrative / Weighting: 4 %

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

The services are healthcare services falling within Schedule 3 to the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (the Regulations) which are not subject to the full regime of the Regulations, but is instead governed by the light touch regime contained within Chapter 3, Section 7 of the Regulations (Regulations 74 to 77).

Section IV: Procedure

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: [2018/S 216-494236](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

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

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: PR002096

Lot No: N/A

Title:

Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) Service across Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

12/07/2019

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Physiotherapy Solutions Ltd t/a Vita Health

National registration number: 03829618

Postal address: Suffolk House, 7 Angel Hill, Bury St Edmunds

Town: Suffolk

NUTS code: UKH14 Suffolk

Postal code: IP33 1UZ

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 82 400 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 77 574 133,36 GBP

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Value excluding VAT: 1 939 353,33 GBP Proportion: 2 % Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted:

Proportion to be subcontracted approximately 2.5 % Bluebell Care Trust – Support to specific areas of the IAPT pathway Windmill Hill City Farm – Support to specific areas of the IAPT pathway

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

The services are healthcare services falling within Schedule 3 to the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (the Regulations) which are not subject to the full regime of the Regulations, but is instead governed by the light touch regime contained within Chapter 3, Section 7 of the Regulations (Regulations 74 to 77). The tendering process has been conducted in accordance with the requirements and flexibilities provided by Articles 74 to 76 of the Directive, and Regulations 74 to 76 of the Regulations. The authority ran a transparent tender process, treating all bidders equally. For the avoidance of doubt, the authority will not be bound by the Regulations or the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union or any other regulations or legislation except for the specific parts or circumstances that apply to the procurement of these services. Neither the inclusion of a selection stage, nor the use of any language or terms found in the Directive or Regulations, nor the description of the procedure voluntarily adopted by the authority (open, restricted, competitive procedure with negotiation, competitive dialogue or any other description), nor any other indication, shall be taken to mean that the authority intends to hold itself bound by the Directive or Regulations, save by the provisions applicable to services coming within the scope of Annex XIV of the Directive/Schedule 3 of the Regulations. The Contracting Authority has voluntarily observed the award decision notices provisions and held a 10 day standstill period as described in Regulation 86 of the Regulations. Deadline for lodging of appeals should be in accordance with Regulation 87 and Regulation 91 of the Regulations.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group (BNSSG CCG)

Postal address: South Plaza, Marlborough Street

Town: Bristol

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Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: <https://bnssgccg.nhs.uk/>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

As described in VI.3, deadline for lodging of appeals should be in accordance with Regulation 87 and Regulation 91 of the 2015 Regulations.

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

23/07/2019

