

United Kingdom-Southend on Sea: Health services
OJ S 156/2018 16/08/2018
Contract notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Southend Clinical Commissioning Group

Postal address: Floor 6, Victoria Avenue

Town: Southend on Sea

NUTS code: UKH3 Essex

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Country: United Kingdom

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Main address: <http://www.southend.nhs.uk/>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://attain.force.com/s/>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://attain.force.com/s/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5. Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Enhanced Primary Care for Southend Evening, Weekend and Bank Holiday Provision

Reference number: ACE0344-2018-Sthd

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85100000 Health services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

This service will provide pre-bookable appointments between the hours of 18:30 and 20:00 (as a minimum) Monday to Friday, and during the day on Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays (including Christmas and Easter) from 1.4.2019 for patients registered with a Southend CCG GP practice, or resident within the borough, Clinical staff must include a GP who can be accompanied by another clinician such as ANPs, Practice nurses, ECPs, Pharmacists, Mental health link workers, Healthcare assistants etc. A receptionist will also be required throughout at both sites. The service must deliver a total of 74 hours per week (excluding weeks with a bank holiday). This should be split across 2 sites, details of which may be found in the tender documentation.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 2 000 000,00 GBP

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKH3 Essex

Main site or place of performance: Within the boundaries of Southend Clinical Commissioning Group

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The CCG needs to commission an additional 95 hours of clinical time per week for the borough in order to meet NHS England Enhanced Access target. A portion of this time will be provided during core hours and therefore not part of this contract. This contract only relates to additional provision during weekday evenings, Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays. This service will provide pre-bookable appointments between the hours of 18:30 and 20:00 (as a minimum) Monday to Friday, and during the day on Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays (including Christmas and Easter) from 1.4.2019 for patients registered with a Southend CCG GP practice, or resident within the borough, Clinical staff must include a GP who can be accompanied by another clinician such as ANPs, Practice nurses, ECPs, Pharmacists, Mental health link workers, Healthcare assistants etc. A receptionist will also be required throughout at both sites. The service must deliver a total of 74 hours per week (excluding weeks with a bank holiday). This should be split across 2 sites, full details can be found in the tender documentation. The service aims to:

- Ensure a greater availability of same day GP / PN appointments for patients with urgent clinical need within practices and across the locality, supporting wider system resilience,
- There should be effective cross-system working with:
 - — EPUT Community Services including care co-ordination,
 - — SUHFT – GP streaming and front door model
- Improve patient experience and perception of access, regardless of ethnicity, age, disability, sex, gender reassignment, religion/belief or sexual orientation, and to include access to appropriate translation services,
- Improve patient choice by offering a range of appropriate health professionals during service hours, ensuring a joined-up service between primary care, urgent care and social care where appropriate,
- Increase patient and carer understanding of self-limiting illness and steps to minimise the impact of illness,
- Improve staff satisfaction by introducing new ways of working,

— Reduce and prevent acute care unplanned emergency attendances and emergency admissions.

Full details of the Contracting Authority requirements are set out the Specification available within the Procurement pack. All procurement documents relating to this opportunity are available at link: <https://attain.force.com/s/> A supplier guide for responding to online tenders using the Atamis eTendering portal has been made available as an attachment to this notice. Further guidance can be accessed via the link above. Please note that the submission deadline is 17:00 on 14.9.2018.

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: 2 000 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

There is an option to extend for up to 2 years until 31.3.2024.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

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

See section VI.3

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Restricted 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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 14/09/2018 Local time: 17:00

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

Date: 15/08/2018

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

English

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 14/03/2019

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

14/08/2018