

**United Kingdom-Bolton: Psychology testing devices**  
**OJ S 210/2019 30/10/2019**  
**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: North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Postal address: Chorley New Road

Town: Bolton

NUTS code: UKD North West (England)

Postal code: BL1 5DD

Country: United Kingdom

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://www.nwas.nhs.uk/>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://nhssbs.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/39>

**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**

Provision of HR Testing and Assessments

Reference number: Nwas-TR-21-18

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

33156000 Psychology testing devices

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust is seeking to award a contract to design, provide and host a fully managed online system providing situational judgement tests (SJT's) and scenario based assessments to be used as part of Nwas's recruitment process.

**II.1.6.**

## **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 146 250,00 GBP

## **II.2. Description**

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

79414000 Human resources management consultancy services, 79600000 Recruitment services, 79635000 Assessment centre services for recruitment

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

NUTS code: UKD North West (England)

Main site or place of performance: Bolton.

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

The North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust is seeking to award a contract to design, provide and host a fully managed online system providing situational judgement tests (SJT's) and scenario based assessments to be used as part of NWAS's recruitment process.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical evaluation / Weighting: 60 %

Price - Weighting: 40 %

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

Notice number in the OJ S: [2019/S 111-272266](#)

#### **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

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

### Section V: Award of contract

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**Contract No:** 1

**Title:**

Provision of HR Testing and Assessments

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

#### V.2. Award of contract

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

15/10/2019

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

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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: 4

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

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

Official name: Podium UK

National registration number: 08123840

Postal address: 193 Ashmore Rd

Town: London

NUTS code: UKD North West (England)

Postal code: W9 3BD

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [carl.francis@podium365.com](mailto:carl.francis@podium365.com)

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 146 250,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 146 250,00 GBP

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

### Section VI: Complementary information

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#### VI.3. Additional information

Any United Kingdom Ambulance Trusts or successor organisations to the below list may at their own discretion choose to purchase through this contract during the agreement duration:

- North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust,
- North East Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,
- Yorkshire Ambulance Service NHS Trust,
- East Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Trust,

- West Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,
- South West Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,
- East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust,
- London Ambulance Service NHS Trust,
- South Central Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,
- South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,
- Scottish Ambulance Service,
- Welsh Ambulance Service NHS Trust,
- Northern Ireland Ambulance Service Trust.

<https://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/NHSTrustListing.aspx>

None of the Trusts listed have committed to use this contract at this time.

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

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

Official name: North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Town: Bolton

Postal code: BL1 5DD

Country: United Kingdom

##### **VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Official name: North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Town: Bolton

Postal code: BL1 5DD

Country: United Kingdom

##### **VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: North West Ambulance Service NHS Trust

Town: Bolton

Postal code: BL1 5DD

Country: United Kingdom

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

28/10/2019