

Reference: FOI 36423 OXF 10Q

Subject: Community Ultrasound and Echocardiography Service

I can confirm that the CCG does hold the information requested; please see responses below:

| QUESTION | RESPONSE |
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| <p>I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the contract below. Oxfordshire CCG Community Ultrasound and Echocardiography Service.</p> | |
| <p>1. Suppliers who applied for inclusion on each framework/contract and were successful & not successful at the PQQ & ITT stages</p> | <p>Ultrasound: We had applications from Bestcare, Curx, Diagnostic Healthcare, Global Diagnostics, Health Harmonie, Mediscan, Physiological Measurements and Surgimed. The tender was run using an “open” process meaning there weren’t separate PQQ and ITT stages so all providers submitted tenders. Diagnostics Healthcare’s bid was non-compliant and excluded without being scored, and Curx did not pass the financial evaluation meaning their bid was also excluded before being scored. Of the remaining tenders Physiological Measurements Ltd was the highest scoring bidder.</p> <p>Echocardio: We had four applications, from Harmonic, Inhealth, Oxford University Hospitals NHS Trust and Physiological Measurements. Harmonic’s bid was over the permitted budget and was excluded from consideration. Of the remaining three, Inhealth Ltd was the highest scoring bidder.</p> |
| <p>2. Actual contract values of each framework/contract (& any sub lots)</p> | <p>The contracts contain expected annual contract values which have been detailed below for the current year.</p> <p>Ultrasound: £493,824</p> <p>Echocardio: £248,240</p> |

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| 3. Start date & duration of framework | <p>Ultrasound: 3 years commencing on 1st February 2018</p> <p>Echocardio: 3 years commencing on 1st February 2018</p> |
| 4. Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension? | <p>Ultrasound: Yes, the option to extend by 2 years.</p> <p>Echocardio: Yes, the option to extend by 2 years.</p> |
| 5. Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed? | <p>Ultrasound: Oxfordshire CCG provided the required 6 months' notice of their intention to enact the extension on 30th July 2020.</p> <p>Echocardio: Oxfordshire CCG provided the required 6 months' notice of their intention to enact the extension on 30th July 2020.</p> |
| 6. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract? | <p>Diane Hedges, Chief Operating Officer and Deputy Chief Executive</p> |

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 1 September 2020, and has been authorised for release by Catherine Mountford, Director of Governance for NHS Oxfordshire CCG.