**Tower Hamlets CCG Autism and Diagnostic Service Services Response Document**

**ANNEX 1: PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE WITHOUT CALL FOR COMPETITION:**

Interested parties are invited to express their interest in this engagement by emailing nelcsu.welcpod-procurement@nhs.net providing an answer to all of these questions.

In the expression of interest please state:

1. Experience of providing similar services to a high quality;

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1. Experience of providing high quality services to similarly diverse populations Experience of managing sub-contracts with voluntary sector partners;

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1. Track record of service user involvement in service design and delivery;

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1. Track record of setting up and supporting peer support networks and user-led groups;

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1. Experience of working within an integrated provider partnership to develop strategic partnership approaches to delivering health and care within a local community;

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1. Established links with local health and care providers

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1. Established links with local third sector employment support service providers;

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A response to this invitation to engage with the CCG and to express your interest will not have any bearing on any potential future proposal or bid that you may or may not be invited to submit in the future, however the responses received will be used by the CCG as evidence to support a decision as to whether to competitively tender for these primary care enhanced services or not.

For the avoidance of doubt the receipt of expressions of interest to this notice shall not commit the CCG to carry out any further tender process nor shall this notice constitute a formal call for competition under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or the National Health Service (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) Regulations (No.2) 2013.