

Country	UK
Purchaser	Croydon Health Authority
Provider	Marie Stopes International
Type of Service	
Government administration	
Physical plant development and capital investment	
Hospital (general and specialized)	
Basic primary care and preventive services	
Diagnostic services	
Extended care	Termination of Pregnancy Services including: Pregnancy diagnosis, counseling and medical assessment, surgical and medical procedure, post-operative aftercare and contraceptive provision
Ambulance and transportation services	
Pharmaceuticals, medical supplies and equipment	
Human resources, education and training	
Knowledge management	
Purchasing options	
Public-public partnership	
<i>Government service delivery</i>	
<i>Project agreements</i>	
<i>Direct subventions</i>	
<i>Autonomization</i>	
<i>Corporatization</i>	
Public – private partnership	
<i>Service contract</i>	
<i>Contract in</i>	
<i>Contract out</i>	
<i>Leasing</i>	
<i>Concession</i>	
<i>Social Franchising</i>	MSI have developed specialist daycare centers in London, Essex, Leeds and Manchester. They are licensed under the terms of 1984 Nursing Homes Act and approved under the 1967 Abortion Act to perform termination of pregnancy procedures.
<i>Divestiture</i>	
Basic Content of Contract	
Preamble	Yes
Total amount of payment	Not available. The contract prices are attached as schedule 1
Authorized persons and signature	Yes
Contract period	Two years (1 st February 1999 to 31 January 2001)
Summary content	No
Levels of services	Confirmation of pregnancy and determination of gestation; information, medical assessment and counseling to woman, termination of pregnancy service. (See schedule 3: service specification for women requiring a termination of pregnancy)
Targeted population	Any patients registered with a Croyden general practitioner
Quality standards to be achieved	Yes. The provider has primary responsibility for ensuring the quality of services and report on performance routinely via quarterly reports. The purchaser will monitoring a limited range of key indicators. (Section 2: Service Quality)
Payment mechanisms	
<i>Capitation</i>	
<i>Fee-for-service</i>	Yes. The provider will invoice the Purchaser on a monthly basis for activity purchased on a cost per case basis. (schedule 2: Billing and Payment Terms)
<i>Block contracts</i>	
<i>Labor and materials</i>	
<i>Cost-and-volume contracts</i>	
<i>Set price</i>	
<i>Prepayment</i>	
<i>Indemnification</i>	
Variations to the agreement	Any variation must have the prior agreement , in writing, of both the purchaser and the provider.
Best endeavours	Contract managers will have the right to require Chief Executives and charity boards to consider the problem if necessary.
Arbitration	N/A
Statutory regulations	This contract for services operates under National Health Service legislation generally, and specifically under the terms of the NHS and Community Care Act 1990.
Confidentiality	Client confidentiality is assured at all times.
Information requirements and reporting formats	The provider will supply quarterly monitoring reports on activity, contract activity monitoring data
What do contracts manage?	Input (Type of services) Output (Volume, service time, waiting time, patients charter)
Does the provider have discretion	N/A
<i>To hire and fire staff?</i>	N/A
<i>To set wages?</i>	N/A
<i>To decide services provided within the contract?</i>	N/A
<i>To decide services provided outside the contract?</i>	N/A
<i>To set prices of services covered by the contract?</i>	N/A
<i>To set other prices?</i>	N/A
Is this a performance-based contract?	No
Performance goals and indicators	
Evaluation of Project	N/A
Links to contract	Copy of Contract
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