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# Home Care including carers home based respite services in Staffordshire

Staffordshire County Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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The closing date and time has been changed to:

5 March 2021, 12:00pm

See the change notice.

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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# Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

# Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/business/procurement

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Home Care including carers home based respite services in Staffordshire

Reference number

IA2063

# II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

# II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

# II.1.4) Short description

The Council are commissioning Care in the home services including a Carers home and community respite service across Staffordshire for Carers who have been assessed as having support needs. Respite Care and support enables Carers to take a break from their caring role and evidence suggests that this can help to achieve positive health, wellbeing and quality of life outcomes for Carers. Fewer Carers experienced mental health problems if they had taken a break since beginning their caring role.

The purpose of Care in the home and Carers home and community respite Services are to enable Service Users to remain in their own homes, living as independently as possible and to achieve and maintain their autonomy, independence, personal identity and assessed outcomes.

This Procurement is a 'flexible Platform Agreement' which will be commissioned under the Light Touch Regime (implemented through Regulations 74-77 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015).

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £506,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

# II.2) Description

# II.2.1) Title

A1 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 1 East Staffordshire

Lot No

1

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

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UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

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A1a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 1 East Staffordshire

Lot No

2

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

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A2 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 2 Tamworth

Lot No

3

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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Lot No

4

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

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#### **NUTS** codes

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A3 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 3 Lichfield

Lot No

5

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

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Lot No

6

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A4 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 4 Moorlands North

Lot No

7

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- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

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A5 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

Lot No

9

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- 85300000 Social work and related services

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

A5a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

Lot No

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

A6 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

Lot No

11

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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A6a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

Lot No

12

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- 85300000 Social work and related services

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

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Staffordshire

# II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.1) Title

A7 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 7 Newcastle North

Lot No

13

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

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Lot No

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

A8 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 8 Stafford

Lot No

15

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

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#### II.2.1) Title

A8a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 8 Stafford

Lot No

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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## II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

A9 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

Lot No

17

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot A9 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

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A9a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

Lot No

18

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

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# II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

A10 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

Lot No

19

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot A10 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

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#### II.2.1) Title

A10a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

Lot No

20

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

A11 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 11 Cannock South

Lot No

21

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

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A11a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 11 Cannock South

Lot No

22

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- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

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#### II.2.1) Title

A12 Standard Home Care Contract Zone 12 Cannock North

Lot No

23

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

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A12a Standard Home Care Pre Purchase Rota Contract Zone 12 Cannock North

Lot No

24

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

B1 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 1 East Staffordshire

Lot No

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

B2 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 2 Tamworth

Lot No

26

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

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- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

B3 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 3 Lichfield

Lot No

27

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

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#### II.2.1) Title

B4 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 4 Moorlands North

Lot No

28

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

Lot B4 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 4 Moorlands North

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

B5 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

Lot No

29

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

Lot B5 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

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# II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

B6 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

Lot No

30

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

Lot B6 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

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### II.2.1) Title

B7 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 7 Newcastle North

Lot No

31

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

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- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

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#### II.2.1) Title

B8 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 8 Stafford

Lot No

32

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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# II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

B9 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

Lot No

33

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

B10 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

Lot No

34

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

#### Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.1) Title

B11 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 11 Cannock South

Lot No

35

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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## II.2.1) Title

B12 Non Standard Home Care Contract Zone 12 Cannock North

Lot No

36

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

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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The Services procured under this flexible Platform Agreement fall under the Light Touch Regime of the Procurement Contract Regulations 2015 and therefore a hybrid approach to ensure flexibility of Suppliers to help manage demand fluctuations within Care in the Home will be used. Following the initial closing of the flexible Platform Agreement and award of Suppliers to each Platform Lot and sub lots, the Council will reopen the Platform Agreement from time to time. This is to give prospective Suppliers from across the UK/EU the opportunity to apply to join the Platform Agreement. The Council reserves the right to reopen the Platform Agreement and sub lots at other times to help meet demand.

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In the event the Platform Agreement is extended the extension shall be on the same Terms and Conditions of Contract as the original Platform Agreement period and will ultimately be at the County Council's sole discretion

# II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

C1 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 1 East Staffordshire

Lot No

37

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

Lot C1 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 1 East Staffordshire

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#### II.2.1) Title

C2 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 2 Tamworth

Lot No

38

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C2 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 2 Tamworth

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## II.2.1) Title

C3 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 3 Lichfield

Lot No

39

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C3 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 3 Lichfield

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#### II.2.1) Title

C4 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 4 Moorlands North

Lot No

40

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C4 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 4 Moorlands North

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#### II.2.1) Title

C5 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

Lot No

41

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

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

Lot C5 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 5 Moorlands South

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#### II.2.1) Title

C6 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

Lot No

42

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C6 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 6 Newcastle

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#### II.2.1) Title

C7 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 7 Newcastle North

Lot No

43

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C7 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 7 Newcastle North

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#### II.2.1) Title

C8 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 8 Stafford

Lot No

44

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C8 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 8 Stafford

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#### II.2.1) Title

C9 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

Lot No

45

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C9 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 9 South Staffordshire North

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#### II.2.1) Title

C10 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

Lot No

46

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C10 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 10 South Staffordshire

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#### II.2.1) Title

C11 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 11 Cannock South

Lot No

47

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C11 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 11 Cannock South

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#### II.2.1) Title

C12 Home Based Respite & Sitting Service Contract Zone 12 Cannock North

Lot No

48

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85100000 Health services
- 85300000 Social work and related services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.4) Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria

Please refer to ITT Questionnaire for minimum requirements.

# III.2) Conditions related to the contract

# III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

The Supplier must be registered with CQC. Please refer to ITT Questionnaire for minimum requirements

# Section IV. Procedure

IV.1)	Desc	cription
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IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

IV.2) Administrative information		
IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate		
Originally published as:		
Date		
26 February 2021		
Local time		
12:00pm		
Changed to:		
Date		
5 March 2021		
Local time		
12:00pm		

See the change notice.

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

English

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic payment will be used

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Staffordshire County Council

Staffordshire Place 2

Stafford

ST16 2DH

Country

**United Kingdom** 

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Staffordshire County Council

Staffordshire Place 2

Stafford

ST16 2DH

Country

**United Kingdom** 

## VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Contracting Authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period (or 15 days where non electronic or fax methods are used) at the point that an award decision notice is communicated to tenderers.

The award decision process will specify the criteria for the award of the

contract/framework agreement, the reasons for the decision, including the characteristics and relative advantages, the name and score of the successful tender(s), and will specify when the standstill period is expected to end or the date before which

the Contracting Authority will not conclude the contract. If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland). Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months). The Court may order the setting

aside of the award decision or may order the Contracting Authority to amend any document and may award damages. If an agreement has been entered into the Court may make a declaration of ineffectiveness or may order that the duration of any relevant specific contract be shortened and additionally may award damages.

The time limit for seeking such a declaration is generally 30 days from notification of the award (either by award decision notification or contract award notice depending upon the circumstances) or otherwise 6 months