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Contract

The Provision of a Sefton Council Young People and Families Substance use Service

Sefton Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

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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

The Provision of a Sefton Council Young People and Families Substance use Service

Reference number

DN632801

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Sefton Public Health are seeking to commission an integrated model of young people's and families substance use service , combining universal, targeted and specialist substance use treatment for young people aligned with family focused interventions where parental substance use is a factor. The service is an important part of the local substance use treatment system providing support to some of the Boroughs most vulnerable young people and families.

The specialist integrated substance use service for young people and families will support the ambition within the 2021 national 10-year drug strategy – From Harm to Hope, for 50% more young people to receive specialist substance use interventions, preventing longer term use into adulthood.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Lowest offer: £1,746,208 / Highest offer: £26,000,000 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The pattern of substance use among young people is changing, both in terms of reported prevalence and complexity of the problems faced by the young people who use services. While recent years Sefton has seen a decline in the number of young people recorded as entering specialist substance use services, substance use continues to be an issue for young people with cannabis and alcohol remaining the most commonly reported substances for under 18-year-olds in Sefton

Young people who have substance use problems often have complex needs. This often involves poor mental health and self-harm, and sometimes experience of criminal or sexual exploitation. These young people need a combination of specialist substance use service and wider health and support services.

Building resilience within an age-appropriate model of young people and family substance use service delivery is central to enabling young people to develop the confidence and social capital that are protective factors against vulnerability to substances and involvement in criminal activity.

Substance use can also have a devastating impact on families. Families can support and aid recovery, but they also often have their own support needs. Specific support is also required for families with parental substance misuse treatment needs, this must be integrated and co-ordinated at a local level.

Intergenerational substance use is a pattern of substance use passed on within families – a pattern which can be hard to break without support and interventions. Evidence from family intervention programmes demonstrates that the lives of children and young people can be significantly improved where substance using parents are provided with targeted interventions and specialist service support that considers the needs of the whole family.

Universal prevention is also an important part of addressing local substance use. Providing school based education and wider substance use interventions plus awareness raising activity and information for young people and parents is important in developing an understanding of substance use and attendant risks and accessing help and support.

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1st April 2023 to 31st March 2028 with the option for 2 further extensions, each of 1 year.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

1st April 2023 to 31st March 2028 with the option for 2 further extensions, each of 1 year.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2022/S 000-025925](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

DN632801

Title

The Provision of a Sefton Council Young People and Families Substance use Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 November 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Change Grow Live Services Ltd

Brighton

BN1 1YR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,600,000

Lowest offer: £1,746,208 / Highest offer: £2,600,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sefton Council

Bootle

Country

United Kingdom