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Planning

SCC AW - Income Maximisation service for unpaid carers in Surrey

Surrey County Council

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

SCC AW - Income Maximisation service for unpaid carers in Surrey

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Market Engagement Event for Providers – Income Maximisation service for unpaid carers in Surrey

LOCATION: Virtual (MS Teams)

About the event

Surrey County Council seeks to commission an Income Maximisation service for carers and invites potential Providers to join our virtual market engagement session.

The purpose of this event will be:

• To share carer feedback and our vision for the Income Maximisation service for unpaid carers in Surrey

- To outline our requirements and the services required in this commission.
- Provide an indicative procurement timeframe.
- Answer any questions you may have.

Our context

The financial burden of caring is recognised as a priority for unpaid carers and has been reported nationally. The Surrey Carers strategy 2021 – 2024 (extended to 2026) set out our commitment to address Income maximisation for unpaid carers in Surrey.

Information on the strategy can be found in the link below:

https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/adults/professionals/information-andresources/commissioning-strategies/carers-strategy

Surrey Carers Strategy 2021 to 2024 (extended to 2026) - Surrey County Council

The Carers Innovation Fund 2022-2023 funded several pilots improving carer access to benefits advice. These one-year pilots delivered excellent outcomes, prompting our decision to commission an Income Maximisation service supporting carers countywide.

Carers have provided valuable feedback which has helped to shape the service delivery model. We will be sharing the carer feedback and model of service during the session.

Registration Details

Registration details:

Providers wishing to attend should reply via the Proactis portal under the project "xxx" or via email to <u>ania.wroblewska@surreycc.gov.uk</u> by 29th January 2025. The event will be held on 3rd February 2024 at 10am. This event will be delivered virtually via Microsoft Teams.

If you wish to attend, please reply by providing following information:

- Name of attendee(s)
- Job title of attendee(s)
- Organisation details, including address and contact details, including your email.

Please note that attendance will be limited to 3 attendees per organisation.

We will be providing more information, including the session agenda and meeting invites on or before 30th January 2025.

We look forward to receiving your response and hearing your thoughts and ideas at the event.

Surrey Joint Carers Team

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II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

23 February 2025

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No