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Tender

916/2021 - Mental Health and Learning Disability Employability, Welfare and Benefits Advice Services

Croydon Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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Buyer's address

<http://www.croydon.gov.uk>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

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

www.londontenders.org

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.londontenders.org

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to 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

916/2021 - Mental Health and Learning Disability Employability, Welfare and Benefits Advice Services

Reference number

DN522813

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 London Borough of Croydon wishes to establish four individual contracts for the provision of Mental Health and Learning Disability Employability, Welfare and Benefits Advice. The four contracts are:

Lot 1 – Mental Health High Intensity Support Service

Lot 2 – Mental Health Employment and Wellbeing Support Service

Lot 3 – Learning Disability Support Service

Lot 4 – Welfare and Benefits Advice and Casework Service

This tender process is being carried out in accordance with the Light Touch Open Procedure as set out in the Public Contracts Regulations (PCR) 2015.

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/2015/102/contents/made>

The full scope of the contract requirements are provided in the Service Specifications,

which forms part of the Tender Documents available via the London Tenders Portal (www.londontenders.org)..

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,118,000

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

Lot 1 – Mental Health High Intensity Support Service

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The London Borough of Croydon intends to commission a Mental Health High Intensity Service which supports adults aged 18 and over with an enduring/long term mental health need to improve their prospects of sustainable, paid employment in the open labour market or self-employment. Providers will be required to support individuals who also experience learning disability or autism in addition to their mental health diagnosis.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £150,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial term will be 12 months followed by a possible 12 month extension.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 – Mental Health Employment and Wellbeing Support Service

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The London Borough of Croydon intends to commission a Mental Health Employability and Wellbeing Support Service, to provide employment and wellbeing support for service users, aged 18 and over living in the London Borough of Croydon.

As part of the commissioning process, we are seeking to work with local providers with experience and expertise in providing employment and wellbeing support for residents with a mental health need. The service delivered will form part of an integrated approach to the delivery of an appropriate employment and welfare pathway which maximise the support offered to individuals with a mental health need.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £496,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial term will be 12 months followed by a possible 12 month extension.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 – Learning Disability Support Service

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The London Borough of Croydon intends to commission a Learning Disability Support Service for adults aged 18 and over with a learning disability who require support with accessing employment, training and volunteering opportunities and/or accessing welfare and benefits, and with accessing a range of social, leisure and cultural services in the borough.

The service delivered will form part of an integrated approach to the delivery of Croydon's Employment and Welfare service pathway, to maximise the support offered to those with a learning disability and/or autism need.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £150,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial term will be 12 months followed by a possible 12 month extension.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic

catalogue

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - Welfare and Benefits Advice and Casework Service

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The London Borough of Croydon intends to commission a Welfare Benefits Advice and Casework Service to provide support with Welfare and Benefits related matters to individual age 18 and over, with a mental health need living in the London Borough of Croydon. Providers will be required to support individuals who also experience learning disability or autism in addition to their mental health diagnosis.

The service delivered will form part of an integrated approach to the delivery of Croydon's Employment and Welfare service pathway, including Welfare and Benefit Advice, with the aim of maximise the support offered to those with a mental health need.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £322,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial term will be 12 months followed by a possible 12 month extension.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

4 March 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

4 March 2021

Local time

12:00pm

Place

www.londontenders.org

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

The Council has identified that the proposed service provision falls within the scope of 'social and other specific services' set out within Schedule 3 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (Regulations). Consequently, the so-called light touch regime will apply to this procurement.

The Council reserves the right, subject to the provisions of the Regulations to change without notice the basis of any part of the procurement process or to cancel the procurement at any time and not proceed with the award of any contract at any stage of the procurement process. In addition, the Council reserves the right to amend and re-issue/re-publish documentation as part of tender opportunity where the Council receives a poor or inadequate response from the market and economic operators operating in the market in relation to one or more Lots. In such circumstances the Council, reserves the right to amend and/or update any of the Specifications and/or other documentation and request fresh submissions from all applicants who have expressed an interest in the relevant Lot, as well as from any other economic operator. The Council will publish all relevant information where it is re-issuing documentation and inviting applicants to make fresh submissions.

If you wish to register an interest in this contract please register your company free of charge via <https://www.londontenders.org> (supplier area). All questions and queries regarding the procurement must be posted via the London tenders portal. Tender

responses may be submitted at any time before the closing date.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

HM Courts and Tribunal Service Tribunal Service

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

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United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Review procedures are as set out in the Public Contract Regulations 2015 and are time limited. Any

proceedings must be brought in the High Court of England and Wales

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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