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Planning

Foster Carer Allegation Support Service

Essex County Council

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04359e

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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.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

Foster Carer Allegation Support Service

Reference number

DN709087

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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We will be hosting a virtual engagement event in February 2024 to book a place on this event please contact Craig.Forster@essex.gov.uk.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKH3 - Essex

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 June 2024

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