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Tender

Independent Domestic Violence Adviser Service (IDVA)

Liverpool City Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-031347

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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.liverpool.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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com>

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

Independent Domestic Violence Adviser Service (IDVA)

Reference number

DN592497

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Service Objectives: • A key worker approach, providing a single point of contact for high-risk victims

- Short term safety and support interventions to high-risk victims of domestic violence and abuse (aged 16 and over) to reduce risk and maintain safety
- Advocacy and co-ordination of risk management with statutory authorities including police and other relevant agencies
- Holistic advice, advocacy, and support with the aim of increasing the ability of the service user to live safely in the community
- Information, support, referral and signposting to enable service users to access a range of services and engage proactively in multi-agency work, increasing support networks and opportunities
- Support to existing services such as safe accommodation, housing providers, money advice etc. to increase safety for service users and children
- Signposting and participation in multi-agency work to enable support for associated children and perpetrators

The service will be flexible to ensure sustainability and development in line with possible

budget changes throughout the contract term. The IDVA Service received almost 2,000 referrals in 2020-21, over 1250 clients accepted some form of support. The level of service provision to clients would therefore need to be flexed in line with any budget changes.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £4,410,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD7 - Merseyside

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This Single Provider Framework Agreement is being procured subject to the 'Light Touch Regime' as set out in regulations 74-77 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 it is not subject to the full obligations of the procurement regulations but are nonetheless subject to the general obligations of transparency, equal treatment and non-discrimination using the 'Open' procedure.

Full service requirements are detailed in the Service Specifications that are included in the tender pack.

The confirmed budget is £100k per annum for this framework agreement with the potential funding from various sources to the maximum amount of £630k per annum although this is not guaranteed.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

Duration in months

84

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

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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 2022

Local time

4:00pm

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

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Royal Court of Justice

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