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Tender

## **Framework for Children with Medical Needs Support Services**

Leicestershire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html>

Buyer's address

<https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=49952b6e-3a71-eb11-8108-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

[www.eastmidstenders.org](http://www.eastmidstenders.org)

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Framework for Children with Medical Needs Support Services

Reference number

DN527633

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The Council is seeking organisations to provide Support Services for Children with Medical Needs across Leicestershire.

The requirement will be broken down into lots as described below:

Lot 1 - Virtual Group Tuition: Lot 1.1 Virtual Group Tuition – Academic subjects leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age) and Lot 1.2 Virtual Group Tuition – Academic subjects not leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

Lot 2 - Home Tuition: Lot 2.1: Home Tuition - Academic subjects leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age) and Lot 2.2: Home Tuition – Academic subjects not leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

A single provider will be awarded to each sub lot meaning a maximum of 4 providers will be awarded a place on the framework.

This framework is being tendered by Leicestershire County Council in accordance with the Light-Touch Regime requirements of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,760,000

### **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 No

1

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Lot 1 - Virtual Group Tuition – Short to midterm provision building/maintain a young person's confidence to engage in education with peers.

This lot is split into two sub lots;

Lot 1.1 Virtual Group Tuition – Academic subjects leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

Lot 1.2 Virtual Group Tuition – Academic subjects not leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £600,000

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

Start date

1 May 2021

End date

30 April 2023

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Further 24 months after initial contract term

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Home Tuition

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Lot 2 - Home Tuition - Direct Tuition in the home to support isolated students

This lot is split into two sub lots;

Lot 2.1: Home Tuition - Academic subjects leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

Lot 2.2: Home Tuition – Academic subjects not leading to qualifications (of Statutory School Age)

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,160,000

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

Start date

1 May 2021

End date

30 April 2023

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Further 24 months after initial contract term

### **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

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## **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 several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 4

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

years:

#### **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

23 March 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

##### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

23 March 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Tenderers should also note that final submissions must be made only via the 'East Midlands Tenders' E-tendering portal, no other submission route is permitted. Failure to follow this



path will result in the tender submission being disregarded. All documents pertaining to this opportunity will be available for download via the portal. Please ensure you are able to download all files after accessing the portal. If you have any query regarding the content or require further information, please use the discussion tools provided within the website. If you experience any problems with registration or expression of interest, please refer any queries on Portal operation to [ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com](mailto:ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com).

## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A

Country

United Kingdom

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Leicestershire County Council (LCC) will ensure information on the award of the contract is communicated to all tenderers. Tenderers who are unsuccessful shall be informed by LCC as soon as possible after the decision has been made as to the reasons why the applicant/tenderer was unsuccessful. If an appeal regarding the award of the contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by breach of the rules to take legal action. Any such action must be brought within the applicable limitation period. Where a contract has not been entered into the Court may order the setting aside of the award decision or order for any document to be amended.