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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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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

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

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

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

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.

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.