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## **Delivery of a Custody Intervention & CARA Programme for Domestic Abuse Perpetrators**

Cheshire Constabulary on behalf of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cheshire

F02: Contract notice

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

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

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKD6 - Cheshire

**National registration number**

N/A

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.cheshire.police.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/33132>

**I.3) Communication**

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

[https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=60245&B=BLUELIGHT](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=60245&B=BLUELIGHT)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Delivery of a Custody Intervention & CARA Programme for Domestic Abuse Perpetrators

Reference number

CPA/SPU/2057P

#### **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 Police and Crime Commissioner for Cheshire (PCC) is looking for a supplier to undertake:

1. Custody Intervention - provide specialist Domestic Abuse support within each of the 3 custody suites, 7 days a week.
2. CARA Delivery - provide resources to work with the Hampton Trust to deliver Project CARA across Cheshire as an intervention for domestic abuse offenders.

The PCC has submitted a grant application to the Home Office to secure funds to deliver this programme. The submission deadline for the application is 17th February 2023. In the event we are not successful in our grant application for funding, a contract will not be awarded as a result of this procurement process.

The proposed budget for the initial programme (3-year term) is £1.45m.

It is expected that the PCC will be able to put a further grant application in for a continuation of the funding after the 3 years. Therefore, a further 3 x 12-month extension periods are available in the total term.

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,900,000

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 85300000 - Social work and related services
- 85310000 - Social work services
- 85320000 - Social services
- 85322000 - Community action programme
- 85323000 - Community health services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD6 - Cheshire

Main site or place of performance

Cheshire. CW7 2UA

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

This process is to identify a specialist provider to work with the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cheshire (PCC) to undertake two areas of work:

1. Custody Intervention - provide specialist Domestic Abuse support within each of the 3 custody suites, 7 days a week, for as reasonable a period as the funding allows. These workers will support front line police officers in decision making (upskilling) around Domestic Abuse perpetrators.
2. CARA Delivery - provide resources to work with the Hampton Trust to deliver Project CARA across Cheshire as an intervention for domestic abuse offenders, both male and female who have received a Conditional Caution (soon to be Diversionary Caution).

The PCC has submitted a grant application to the Home Office to secure funds to deliver

this programme in Cheshire. The submission deadline for the application is 17th February 2023. It is expected a decision on the application will be made by 31st March 2023. In the event we are not successful in our grant application for funding, a contract will not be awarded as a result of this procurement process.

Due to the sensitive nature of this work, inherent risks working with perpetrators of domestic abuse and the requirement to have appropriately trained and skilled staff available in short timescales, we expect the successful bidder will have some existing links to the Cheshire and North West area. We would also expect they have extensive experience in this area; in safeguarding requirements and will have a proven track record in delivering successful outcomes.

The proposed budget for this initial programme (3-year term) is £1.45m.

It is expected that the PCC will be able to put a further grant application into the Home Office for a continuation of the funding after the 3 years. Therefore, a further 3 x 12-month extension periods are available in the total term.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Evaluation Question 1 - Ability to Deliver / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Evaluation Question 2 – Delivery Team / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Evaluation Question 3 – Partnership Engagement / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Evaluation Question 4 - Value for Money / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Evaluation Question 5 - Legacy/Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 0

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,900,000

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

Start date

12 April 2023

End date

11 April 2025

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

4 x 12 month extension periods are available subject to funding

#### **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: Yes

Identification of the project

4 x 12 month extension periods are available subject to funding

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

As set out in the tender documents

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria

As set out in the tender documents

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

As set out in the tender documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria

As set out in the tender documents

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

As set out in the tender documents

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## **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

20 March 2023

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**

Tender must be valid until: 13 September 2023

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

Date

20 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

Place

Tenders will be opened electronically in the Bluelight e-tendering system

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure

Tenders will be opened electronically in the Bluelight e-tendering system



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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

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

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

High Court

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom