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**Planning** 

# NAC-5141 - Provision of a Counselling Service for Survivors of Childhood Rape and Sexual Abuse to North and East Ayrshire Council

North Ayrshire Council

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

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**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM93 - East Ayrshire and North Ayrshire mainland

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.north-ayrshire.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00337

### 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

NAC-5141 - Provision of a Counselling Service for Survivors of Childhood Rape and Sexual Abuse to North and East Ayrshire Council

Reference number

NAC-5141

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

North Ayrshire Council ("NAC") on behalf of North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership (NAHSCP) are looking to engage with the market in regards to a potential future contract opportunity for a single provider for, a counselling service for individuals from 13 years who are survivors of childhood rape and/or sexual abuse – The service is jointly funded and delivered as a collaboration between North and East Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnerships. North Ayrshire is the lead commissioner and holds responsibility for procuring the service.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £576,900

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM93 - East Ayrshire and North Ayrshire mainland

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

The tender will deliver a single provider to provide professional counselling services to survivors of childhood rape and/or sexual abuse across North Ayrshire and East Ayrshire. The service will be delivered by appropriately qualified counsellors who comply with the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP) Ethical Framework for Good Practice in Counselling and Psychotherapy. The service will support users from age 13 upwards, including adults.

#### II.2.14) Additional information

NAC welcomes expressions of interest from service providers, by completing the questionnaire attached and returning to <a href="mailto:Andrewkerr@north-ayrshire.gov.uk">Andrewkerr@north-ayrshire.gov.uk</a> before close of business 7th March 2023.

### II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 June 2023

#### 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

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

### VI.3) Additional information

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