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# 427 - Emotional and Mental Health Service for Children in Care and Care Leavers

Wigan Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Region code

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#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.wigan.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

http://www.wigan.gov.uk/

## I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.duenorth.com/Advert/Index?advertId=5f9017e5-5cb4-ed11-811f-005056b64545

## 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

427 - Emotional and Mental Health Service for Children in Care and Care Leavers

Reference number

DN651804

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Wigan Council's requirements of an Emotional and Mental Health (EMH) Service for our Children in Care and our young people who have left our care; including children with neurodevelopmental / SEND / LD.

The service is to be a flexible and a responsive service for this cohort of children and young people who have in the vast majority of cases, suffered significant adverse childhood experiences often leading to long-lasting emotional trauma. Child and adolescent mental health provision currently does not meet this need. These children and their carers need a robust service to ensure the right support is provided at the right time in order to avoid an escalation of need and support stability within their home.

The service will complete emotional wellbeing assessments of all children who are new into our care. There will be the provision of weekly drop-in support to the Care Leavers Hub, provide specific support to social workers and the team around the child, offer comprehensive therapeutic training to our foster carers (supported lodgings hosts), group consultation and individual support to foster carers and fostering families in relation to the children they care for and one to one therapeutic support to a mutually agreed number of children a year.

#### 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
- 98000000 Other community, social and personal services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

This opportunity has been published via 'The Chest' procurement portal and is an 'open' procurement process.

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

## III.1) Conditions for participation

## III.1.5) Information about reserved contract

Participation in the procedure is reserved to organisations pursuing a public service mission

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

## IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

27 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom**