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Planning

Independent counselling and support for those who have suffered abuse and trauma

WEST LOTHIAN COUNCIL

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-043d03

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UKM78 - West Lothian

Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00140

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

Independent counselling and support for those who have suffered abuse and trauma

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 overarching aim of the service is to provide specialist Counselling and Support services to survivors of trauma and/ or abuse, working with clients to improve their quality of life, build confidence and self-esteem and reduce harm.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £360,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85300000 Social work and related services
- 85310000 Social work services
- 85312300 Guidance and counselling services
- 85312320 Counselling services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM78 - West Lothian

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The overall objective of the service is to work with clients to build resilience, improve wellbeing, self-esteem, confidence and self-actualisation via the delivery of appropriately and timely personalised Counselling. To support clients to help them achieve their maximum potential, quality of life and prepare for the future. Support should be tailored towards the needs of the individual, and the circumstances that prevail at any given period of time.

The provider will be required to demonstrate positive outcomes for client's who have experienced domestic abuse.

II.2.14) Additional information

Further information regarding this opportunity may be obtained from Iain McLean (Business Support Officer) lain.McLean@westlothian.gov.uk

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

10 May 2024

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: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Mandatory requirements will be specified within the Service Specification, Contract Notice and Invitation to Tender.

A copy of the Service Specification from the previous contract is included for your purposes.

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