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Tender

0-19 Public Health Nursing & Healthy Child Programme

North Somerset Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

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

0-19 Public Health Nursing & Healthy Child Programme

Reference number

DN493254

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

- Health Visiting Services – delivering the Healthy Child Programme 0-5 and 5 universal mandated health visiting reviews.
- School Nursing (5-19) Services – delivering the Healthy Child programme 5-19 and National Child Measurement Programme.
- Specialist Breastfeeding and Parental Adult Mental Health Nursing Services (integrated within the Health Visiting Service).
- Children's Looked After Nursing Services.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £25,042,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Main site or place of performance

North Somerset Council

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

North Somerset Council is looking to recommission its 0-19 public health nursing services for service delivery from 1st April 2022.

The service will run for five years (60 months) until March 2027, with option of an additional two-year (24 month) extension until March 2029.

It will be a fixed price contract with 100% quality scoring criteria applied to the tender evaluation. Estimated at £3,577,359 per year, the maximum total value of the contract is £25,042,000 over seven years.

The national Healthy Child Programme (HCP) 0-19 was set out in 2009 and is an evidence-based universal programme available to all children and aims to ensure that every child gets the good start they need to lay the foundations of a healthy life.

The 0-5 element of the HCP is led by health visiting services and the 5-19 element is led by school nursing services, with input from other partners as appropriate. The universal reach of the HCP provides an invaluable opportunity from early in a child's life to identify families that are in need of additional support and children who are at risk of poor outcomes.

The Health and Social Care Act 2012 sets out a local authority's statutory responsibility for delivering and commissioning public health services for children and young people aged 5-19 years. This also includes the requirement to provide for the weighing and measuring of certain children through the National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP).

Responsibility for children's public health commissioning for 0-5 year olds, specifically health visiting, transferred from NHS England to local authorities in October 2015. Regulation requires that all families with babies receive five health visitor checks before their child reaches 2 and a half years old.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £24,500,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option of an additional two-year (24 month) extension.

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Competitive procedure with negotiation

IV.1.5) Information about negotiation

The contracting authority reserves the right to award the contract on the basis of the initial tenders without conducting negotiations

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

29 April 2021

Local time

1:00pm

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

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

North Somerset Council

Weston-Super-Mare

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

North Somerset Council

Weston-Super-Mare

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/>

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

N/A

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

North Somerset Council

Weston-Super-Mare

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/>