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Tender

## **CWC24095 - Outreach Short Breaks Service for children and young people with SEND aged 2-18 years**

Wolverhampton City Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-006989

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e754

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

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

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG - West Midlands (England)

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.wolverhamptontenders.com>

**I.3) Communication**

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

[www.wolverhamptontenders.com](http://www.wolverhamptontenders.com)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

[www.wolverhamptontenders.com](http://www.wolverhamptontenders.com)

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

CWC24095 - Outreach Short Breaks Service for children and young people with SEND aged 2-18 years

Reference number

DN760858

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

The Outreach Short Breaks Service is a specialist provision providing home-based and community-based support to children and young people assessed as eligible by the SEND FHS. This service specification has two separate Lots.

Lot One: At home and/or community support

Provide care to a child or young person with medium or high needs at home, or to support with accessing community facilities.

Lot Two: Group based community activities

Provide group-based community activities for children and young people with medium or complex needs.

The procurement is for services which are considered Light Touch Regime (LTR) services under the Public Frameworks Regulations 2015, as specified in Schedule 3 of the Regulations (“Regulations”).

Accordingly, the Council is only bound by those parts of the Regulations detailed in Chapter 3 ‘Particular Procurement Regimes Section 7, Social and Other Specific Services’ 74 to 76 of the Public Frameworks Regulations 2015. The Council is not voluntarily following any other part of the Regulations. The procedure which the Council is following is set out within this ITT.

The agreement is based upon the basic principles of a framework agreement, and although there are some similar aspects, it does not fully operate in the same way as outlined in regulation 33 of the Public Contracts Regulations (2015).

The Local Authority will create a “pseudo framework agreement” (based on CCS guidance) and have set out clearly how we intend to operate the framework agreement

from the outset through the OJEU notice, Tender Document and Call-off Schedule, which also details the timeline for when it will be reopened. This meets the duty of transparency and equal treatment, which are the main guidelines to follow when setting up an LTR framework

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

At home and/or community support

Lot No

1

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

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

A service that provides care to a child or young person with medium or complex needs at home, or to support with accessing community facilities.

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,703,520

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract or the framework agreement**

Start date

1 June 2025

End date

31 May 2032

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Group based community activities

Lot No

2

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

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

A service that provides group-based community activities for children and young people with medium or complex needs.

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,532,930

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract or the framework agreement**

Start date

1 June 2025

End date

31 May 2032

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## **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

20 March 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English