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# **Home Care for Leicestershire**

Leicestershire County 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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#### **NUTS** code

UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html

Buyer's address

https://www.eastmidstenders.org/index.html

# I.3) Communication

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

https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=68f1e9e3-d37c-eb11-810a-005056b64545

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=68f1e9e3-d37c-eb11-810a-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

Home Care for Leicestershire

Reference number

DN529228

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Leicestershire County Council, East Leicestershire & Rutland CCG and West Leicestershire CCG are procuring a new Home Care for Leicestershire service.

The Council is committed to the delivery of high-quality adult social care services and health care services within Home Care for residents of Leicestershire who are assessed as requiring Home Care or those living outside Leicestershire but who have continuing health care needs that can supported by this service and are registered with a Leicestershire GP. The Council wishes to work in partnership with Home Care Providers, who can demonstrate and maintain quality standards in line with the Council's Service Specification, which has at its core the Care Quality Commission's Regulations, National Framework for NHS Continuing Healthcare & NHS-funded Nursing Care 2018 and is in line with the Care Act 2014.

Service Providers are required to deliver services which focus on the health, safety, enablement, progression and wellbeing of people who require such services. They must enable people to gain, maintain or regain skills to help them to live independently and recover from illness. The service, wherever possible, supports people to prevent unnecessary admission to hospital and residential care. The service should also support people to be discharged from hospital or move out of long or short term, building based care. Service Providers should provide a level of support to assist people to build on their current strengths and develop their abilities to look after themselves without becoming dependent on support.

The services people receive should maximise their independence and provide value for money. Home Care Services must be available for people with a variety of needs and/or conditions and the services must be able to adapt and meet the needs of people as their condition(s) develop.

It is anticipated that a range of service providers will be appointed to the framework and they will be able to indicate zones across the county of Leicestershire where they are able to provide services. These 14 zones are as below (further detail including maps are included in the ITT):

- Coalville and Ashby
- Charnwood North
- Charnwood South
- West Leicester
- Oadby and Wigston
- Hinckley
- Melton
- South Leicestershire
- Market Harborough
- Castle Donington
- Lutterworth
- Bottesford
- West Leicestershire
- Harborough

There is no limit in relation to the number of zones a bidder can apply to operate in.

In order to express an interest in this opportunity, obtain the Invitation to Tender documents and request further information, please see details below and please ensure you refer to instructions and guidance available:

- (a) Go to <u>www.eastmidstenders.org</u>
- (b) If not already registered, register your company by selecting the 'Register' box on the top of the home page;
- (c) Once registered, visit the home page select View Opportunities' then 'Search Latest Opportunities', from the 'Organisation' drop down box select 'Leicestershire County Council', click search (options) and select the appropriate opportunity 'Home Care for Leicestershire':
- (d) Express an interest by selecting the 'Register Interest' box. You will receive a email confirming your expression of interest;
- (e) Once fully registered, you should download all of the ITT documents from the website.

You will receive email notifications regarding your expression of interest or other important actions on the system. Email alerts may be blocked by your SPAM filter. Please ensure that emails from the domain "@due-north.com" are excluded from the SPAM filter "blocked addresses".

Please note that this Framework may be subject to reopening during its lifetime as outlined in the Framework Agreement.

Please note that two virtual Bidder's Events will be held on 19 & 22 April 2021. Please see the Invitation to Tender Document 1 for further details, including how to register.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

85312000 - Social work services without accommodation

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Please see II.1.4. Short description.

# II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £125,000,000

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

Start date

1 November 2021

End date

31 October 2024

# **Section IV. Procedure**

# **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Open procedure

### IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

# IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

21 May 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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

English