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Tender

North Northamptonshire Council for the Provision of Early Parenting and Child-Parent Relationship Pilot Services

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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

UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.northnorthants.gov.uk

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc/asp/Home>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc/asp/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc>

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

North Northamptonshire Council for the Provision of Early Parenting and Child-Parent Relationship Pilot Services

Reference number

NNC00000400

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

North Northampton Council (NNC) will procure a two-year pilot project working with providers to develop and deliver parenting support models in community settings.

The Council is setting up a Framework Agreement for the provision of Early Parenting and Child-Parent Relationship Pilot Services.

This Framework Agreement is for two (2) years.

Lot 1: Parenting Support

Lot 2: Perinatal Mental Health and Parent-Infant Relationships

The Early Parenting and Child-Parent Relationship Pilot (The Pilot) will be commissioned as two lots. The Pilot will take a population-based approach offering universal parenting support and targeted interventions to support families in need, e.g., those with mild-moderate mental health issues and parent-infant relationship difficulties.

The Pilot will provide early parenting and child-parent relationship support for mothers, fathers, and co-parents with children under two years old.

The Pilot will provide support through evidence-based parenting programmes, antenatal classes, targeted parent-infant interventions, and peer support.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £223,075

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

Lot 1: Parenting Support

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The 'transition to parenthood' refers to a period of normal psychological and social changes associated with pregnancy and the arrival of a new baby, which may be stressful.

All parents, but first-time parents, should be offered the opportunity to attend antenatal education classes that include modules aimed at preparing parents for these psychological and role changes.

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

Start date

1 July 2023

End date

30 June 2025

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2: Perinatal Mental Health and Parent-Infant Relationships

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Evidence of the benefits of Perinatal Mental Health and Child-Parent Relationship Support.

The pandemic has contributed to increased rates of mental illness among pregnant and new mothers in the UK. The lack of support during the intrapartum period due to changes to service provision are associated with increased stress, depression, and anxiety. This includes service changes such as the introduction of digital healthcare and attendance of antenatal appointments without partners or loved ones.

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

Start date

1 July 2023

End date

30 June 2025

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

IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

17 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English