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## **Supported Living Framework Market Information Event**

Dudley MBC

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-008483

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044963

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

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

Dudley MBC

Dudley

#### **Email**

[CICommissioning@dudley.gov.uk](mailto:CICommissioning@dudley.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKG36 - Dudley

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/blackcountryportal/aspix>

### **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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Supported Living Framework Market Information Event

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85320000 - Social services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKG36 - Dudley

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

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## **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

20 September 2024

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## **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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The Contracting Authority is issuing this Prior Information Notice (PIN) to engage with the market and to gather information. The information gathered from this exercise will help shape future proposals including any potential tendering process and associated service specification. For the avoidance of doubt, this stage of the project is not part of a formal procurement process and the Council is not committing, at this stage, to carrying out such a process. Participation or non-participation in the pre-procurement market engagement process shall not prevent any supplier participating in a potential future procurement, nor is it intended that any information supplied as part of the pre-procurement process shall place any supplier at an advantage in a potential procurement process. Participation in the pre-procurement market engagement procurement process will be at each supplier's own cost. No expense in responding to this process will be reimbursed by the Council. This is not a call for competition.