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Contract

## **Provider list for Break Time, Home Care and Short Breaks Services for children and young people with disabilities**

Lancashire County Council

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/business/tenders-and-procurement/>

**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**

Provider list for Break Time, Home Care and Short Breaks Services for children and young people with disabilities

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

Lancashire County Council (the Authority) wishes to establish an open Provider List of Break Time and Short Breaks Providers who are suitable, capable and experienced to deliver the required services. This will greatly improve choice and the ability to meet the needs of children and young people with appropriate services.

Short Breaks Services ("the Services") are essential for children with disabilities, their parents and their carers, to ensure better outcomes and to prevent escalation of their needs, where possible.

The term 'short breaks' describes services that help adult parent/carers to more effectively provide care for their disabled child by providing them regular breaks

The Services commissioned from the Provider List are listed below and will support the Authority in fulfilling its statutory duty to provide a full range of Short Break Services to children/young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities ("SEND") which is sufficient to assist their primary carers to continue to provide care or to do so more effectively.

The Lots have been developed to cover the range of Services available and have been grouped to align to the service area types and Service User's needs.

Applicants are invited to apply for all or any of the following Lots and there is no restrictions for the number of lots they can successful in:

Lot 1a Break Time

Lot 1b Break Time Plus

Lot 2a Day Time Short Breaks

Lot 2b Day Time Personal Care

Lot 3 Night Time Overnight Short Breaks

Lot 4 Intensive Positive Behaviour Support

It is intended that the Provider List will remain effect for 5 years, with option to extend on one or more occasions, save that the length of this Provider List Agreement shall not exceed a maximum of 7 years. Service Contracts can be awarded as call-off contracts as detailed within the ITP.

This procurement procedure is considered to be subject to the Light Touch Regime under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

The Provider List is an open list: Applicants can apply to join during its term if the Applicant satisfies the selection, quality and price requirements and is able to deliver the Service as described in the Service Specifications. Evaluations of new Applications will take place annually as detailed in the ITP. The Authority reserves the right to evaluate sooner. Exact Application Evaluation deadlines dates will be communicated via the Sourcing portal as an online discussion or any other format which the Authority stipulates. It is the Authority's intention to evaluate new Applications annually or once 10 new Applications are received, whichever occurs sooner. All instructions on how to participate and apply to join the Flexible Agreement, evaluation criteria, terms and conditions and documents to be returned can be found on following webpage:  
<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/business/tenders-and-procurement/tenders/provider-list-for-break-time-home-care-and-short-breaks-services-for-children-and-young-people-with-disabilities/>.

All aspects (documents/attachments/responses) of the application can and must be submitted via the iSupplier portal. The Authority will not accept email or hard copy/paper applications in relation to this process and you must submit your application electronically via the iSupplier portal.

Estimated values are based on current spend, the value provided is estimated over the entire Provider List Agreement Term, Please note, there is no guarantee for the level of Service to be offered via this

Provider List Agreement and this information is to be used as a guide only.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £30,800,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 1a Break Time

Lot No

1

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

ot 1a Break Time

Group-based social, leisure and sports activities which can include evening activities such as youth groups, weekend activities and school holiday clubs.

For children with disabilities with an unassessed need.

It is not possible at this stage to know the exact requirements of the service volumes each year, it will be variable and dependent upon uptake of the Service by parent carers, Service Provider capacity and availability of funding from the Authority.

However, Services for Lot 1a Break Time under this arrangement are intended to be awarded in one of five Call Off methods, but it is anticipated that ordinarily the Services will be arranged via the Annual Block Booking process. Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement document Appendix 9) for more details of how Services will be commissioned.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that the length of this Provider List Agreement shall not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 1b Break Time Plus

Lot No

2

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

- 850000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

Group-based social, leisure and sports activities which can include evening activities such as youth groups, weekend activities and school holiday clubs.

For children with disabilities who have an assessed need .It is proposed that

commissioning activity for Break Time Plus will start once Break Time

Services are established, but it is anticipated that Break Time Plus commissioning will start by 1 September 2022 (unless otherwise advised by the Authority). This will be once Service

Providers are established and the Authority's commissioning needs are assessed.

Services in this Lot will be commissioned following an assessment of a child's needs, parent/carers may also wish to access the list of Service Providers to spend their Direct Payment for services, however this will be a private arrangement between the Service Provider and parent/carer. Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement document Appendix 10) for more details of how Services will be commissioned.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that

the length of this Provider List Agreement shall

not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 2a Day Time Short Breaks

Lot No

3

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

1:1 (or 2:1, where assessed as such) individualised support for children and young people with disabilities, to enable them to get out and about in the community, try new activities and learn skills for life. For children with disabilities who have an assessed need.

Services in this Lot will be commissioned following an assessment of a child's needs and will be requested via the call off process as and when a need arises.

Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement document Appendix 10) for more details of how Services will be commissioned.

Individual packages of support are subject to change based on the individual needs of the child or young person.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that

the length of this Provider List Agreement shall

not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 2b Day Time Personal Care



Lot No

4

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

Lot 2b Day Time Personal Care

Provision of support in the home for children with disabilities, where parents/carers are present, to provide general assistance with washing, dressing and feeding as well as support through the night, to permit carers to carry out other tasks, or take a break from caring. For children with disabilities who have an assessed need.

Services in this Lot will be commissioned following an assessment of a child's needs and will be requested via the call off process as and when a need arises.

Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement

document Appendix 10) for more details of how Services will be commissioned.

Individual packages of support are subject to change based on the individual needs of the child or young person.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that

the length of this Provider List Agreement shall not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 3 Night Time Overnight Short Breaks

Lot No

5

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

Lot 3 Night Time Overnight Short Breaks

Provision of overnight short breaks outside the home, in a specialist overnight short breaks setting (or other venue agreed in advance by the commissioner) for children with disabilities.

For children with disabilities who have an assessed need.

The Service is to be available every day of the week, 52 weeks per annum.

These Services may be commissioned on a one off or a regular basis and are for short periods of time. Overnight respite care is usually arranged on a planned basis but may be required quickly in an emergency situation.

Services in this Lot will be commissioned following an assessment of a child's needs and will be requested via the call off process as and when a need arises.

Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement document Appendix 10) for more details of how Services will be commissioned.

## **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that

the length of this Provider List Agreement shall

not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 4 Intensive Positive Behaviour Support

Lot No

6

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

Lot 4 Intensive Positive Behaviour Support

Provision of intensive support to deliver bespoke evidence-based interventions for children with complex disabilities to reduce behaviour that challenges / harmful behaviours where a child is on the edge of care or a family is in crisis. For children with disabilities who have an assessed need.

It is proposed that commissioning activity for Intensive Positive Behaviour Support will not commence straight away. This will be once Service Providers are established and the Authority's commissioning needs are assessed. Services in this Lot will be commissioned following an assessment of a child's needs and will be requested via the call off process as and when a need arises.

Please see call off procedure within the Provider List Agreement (see procurement document Appendix 10) for more details of how Services will be commissioned

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

option to extend this

Agreement on one or more occasions, save that

the length of this Provider List Agreement shall

not exceed a maximum of 7 years.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-003005](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Action on ASD

Burnley

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

BARNARDO SERVICES LTD

essex

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £500,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

CHORLEY YOUTH ZONE T/A INSPIRE

chorley

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000



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16 February 2022

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Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

IT'S SLIME FOR FUN

Bacup

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,500,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

PIP (PLAY INCLUSION PROJECT)

Fleetwood

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

RAINBOW HUB NW LTD

Mawdsley

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

UNIQUE KIDZ & CO

Morecambe

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

MY LIFE - MY CHOICE LTD

Accrington

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,000,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 February 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 13

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

AFFINITY TRUST

Oxfordshire

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ - South East (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £150,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

All Values stated in the notice is estimated, it is not known at the stage the exact value of services to be commissioned with each provider 'call off'.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts of Justice - The High Court London

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom