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Planning

## **Update to published Prior Information Notice SEP459802 Early market engagement (NOT a call for competition) – developing an alliance approach for the provision of early intervention family support services in Aberdeen.**

Aberdeen City Council

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Prior information only

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

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

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Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00231](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00231)

**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**

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

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Multi-agency public sector partners in Aberdeen City are working to develop a Family Support Model to ensure that the services being

delivered to children and families are effective, prioritise early intervention and are aligned to The Promise and UN Convention on the

Rights of the Child. The changing landscape in national policy, legislation and increasing demand on services due to Covid-19 requires a

more responsive and agile system to meet the needs of children and families.

As part of this wider transformation programme, partners want to change how services are commissioned from the third sector by moving

towards a collaborative approach with the aim of developing an alliance to develop and deliver early intervention family support services to

children and families in Aberdeen City.

Aberdeen City Council is now embarking on these first steps of engagement with the wider market to start developing the outcomes of the

alliance.

Subject to necessary committee approvals, Aberdeen City Council aims to work to the following high-level timetable:

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September/October 2023 – procurement of the new alliance

1st April 2024 – go live with new alliance

If you are interested in being part of developing the alliance or have experience of working in alliances and have the capacity to deliver

services in Aberdeen City then please contact Sarah Ward, Category Manager, Children's and Housing Services

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to receive further details nearer the time of the next engagement session to be held on 17th November 2022.

Following the publication of this notice on 30/09/2022 the Council has moved forward with the development of this alliance with a group of service providers who showed an interest in this notice and attended the engagement session on the 17th November 2022. If you did not respond to the notice in September but are interested in being part of developing the alliance and have the capacity to deliver services in Aberdeen City then please contact Sarah Ward, Category Manager, Children's and Housing Services [-sarward@aberdeencity.gov.uk](mailto:-sarward@aberdeencity.gov.uk) for details of the work undertaken so far and to receive further details nearer the time of the next wider engagement session to be held on 25th May 2023

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £7,500,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM5 - North Eastern Scotland

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

30 September 2023

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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: No

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Please note that the "noted interest function" has not been enabled. If you are interested then please contact Sarah Ward directly [sarward@aberdeencity.gov.uk](mailto:sarward@aberdeencity.gov.uk)

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