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## **Public Health - Smokefree Lancashire Service**

Lancashire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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

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

Lancashire County Council

Fishergate

Preston

PR18XJ

#### **Contact**

Procurement Care-Health

#### **Email**

[caphprocurement@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:caphprocurement@lancashire.gov.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1772538206

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/business/tenders-and-procurement/tenders/lps-care-public-health-smokefree-lancashire-service-lcc15196/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to 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**

Public Health - Smokefree Lancashire Service

Reference number

LCC15196

#### **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 (LCC) is seeking tenders from suitably qualified providers to deliver the Smokefree Lancashire Service. The Service will be available to all tobacco and nicotine users resident in the LCC footprint age 12 and over. This will include those who are temporarily resident, and those who work in the LCC footprint but live outside the area. The service will offer a combination of behavioural support, nicotine replacement therapy and access to e-cigarettes. The addition of e-cigarettes to the service offer follows evidence from NICE (National Institute of Care Excellence) and OHID (Office for Health Improvement and Disparities) (Office for Health Improvement and Disparities) and service user consultation which suggests that they are an effective quit aid that are much safer than smoking and offer an opportunity to engage more smokers and achieve a higher number of quits.

The Service will deliver a specialist clinical service which will support the NHS CORE20PLUS5 and NHS Long Term plan agenda targets.

The successful provider will utilise the tobacco control agenda, reducing health inequalities by developing a clinical specialist stop smoking service that will deliver against five core strands:

Strand 1: Individuals - The Service will support individuals with a tobacco addiction to quit through a behaviour change and harm reduction model to reduce smoking prevalence in Lancashire. The successful provider will gather intelligence on smokers who access the service and those who don't. This will help to inform and shape the service model.

Strand 2: Communities - The Service will develop and deliver a community outreach model that focusses on reducing smoking prevalence, preventing uptake, highlighting the harms, de-normalising the use of tobacco and promoting Smokefree environments. This model will be available for all communities in Lancashire but will focus on those with high levels of need.

Strand 3: Strategic - The Service will build relationships with key partners to reduce inequalities in smoking related ill health. The successful provider will develop a systematic approach to achieving national and local strategic aims and ambitions.

Strand 4: Data -The Service will gather data of those who smoke and access services. The full range of data will be used to analyse and inform the tobacco control agenda in Lancashire.

Strand 5: Communications -The Service will adopt a consistent and targeted approach to communications and marketing in partnership with key stakeholders in Lancashire.

LCC is not mandating any core premises but requires the Provider to have a physical presence in each of the 12 districts.

The successful provider will be responsible for securing their own premises in suitable community venues.

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

Value excluding VAT: £16,526,979

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement

documents

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £16,526,979

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Authority in its absolute discretion may, by giving written notice to the Provider not less than 3 months prior to the Expiry Date extend this Contract by a further period of up to 24

months (the Initial Extension Period) and by a further period of up to 24 months (the Further Extension Period)

The provisions of the Contract shall apply subject to any variation agreed in writing between the parties throughout the Extension Period.

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Options: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The tender is advertised as being available to potential Tenderers through the Authority's electronic tendering (e-tendering) system, the Oracle Fusion Supplier Portal. Tenderers are required to submit their Tender through this same portal, via the Sourcing module within their account:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/fusion-supplier-portal>

The contact details for advice or assistance relating to the use of the e-tendering system are:

E-tendering Help Desk

Telephone Number: 01772 534966

Normal support line hours are between 9am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Date

18 May 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

18 May 2023

Local time

1:00pm



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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

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

Lancashire County Council

County Hall

Fishergate, Preston

PR1 8XJ

Country

United Kingdom