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Tender

## **West Northamptonshire Council (WNC) - Oral Health Promotion Service**

West Northamptonshire Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

WNC00000598

### **Description**

West Northamptonshire Council (WNC) is inviting tenders for the delivery of a comprehensive Oral Health Promotion Service across West Northamptonshire.

The service will coordinate, facilitate and deliver evidence-based oral health improvement interventions aimed at improving oral health outcomes and reducing oral health inequalities for children, vulnerable adults and older people.

The scope of the service includes, but is not limited to:

- Delivery and expansion of a targeted Supervised Toothbrushing Programme in early years and school settings

- Oral health training, workforce development and championing for professionals and

volunteers

-Organisational support, policy development and accreditation schemes for early years, education and care settings

-Partnership working with the Council, NHS and voluntary and community sector organisations

-Targeted distribution of oral health packs to priority population groups

-Performance monitoring, reporting and continuous service improvement

The full requirements are set out in the Invitation to Tender and Service Specification, available via the Council's e-Procurement portal.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £500,000 excluding VAT
- £600,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract will be awarded for an initial period of two (2) years, with the option to extend for up to two further periods of one (1) year, subject to performance and funding availability, to a maximum contract term of four (4) years.

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

## **Contract locations**

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

27 February 2026, 5:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

9 March 2026, 12:00pm

## Submission address and any special instructions

Tenders must be submitted electronically via the West Northamptonshire Council e-procurement portal (In-Tend): <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/wnc>

Tender responses must be completed and submitted through the portal by the stated deadline. Submissions by email, post or other means will not be accepted.

## Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

## Languages that may be used for submission

English

## Award decision date (estimated)

16 March 2026

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## Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Quality (including Social Value)	Scoring criteria is detailed within the Tender documents.	Quality	80%
Price	Scoring criteria is detailed within the Tender documents.	Price	20%

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## Other information

### Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Documents

### Associated tender documents

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

Tender documents, including the Invitation to Tender, Service Specification, pricing schedule and draft framework agreement, are available via the West Northamptonshire Council e-procurement portal (In-Tend). Interested suppliers must register on the portal to access the documents and submit a response.

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

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## Contracting authority

### West Northamptonshire Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGDV-8944-CMBP

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Email: [procurement@westnorthants.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@westnorthants.gov.uk)

Website: <https://www.westnorthants.gov.uk/working-us/doing-business-council>

Region: UKF24 - West Northamptonshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government