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Tender

Open Framework Agreement - Provision for the Family Time Supervision

Bradford Children & Families Trust

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Scope

Reference

OP

Description

Bradford Children and Families Trust (the Trust) is dedicated to ensuring that children in care or subject to care proceedings have meaningful and appropriate opportunities for Family Time with their family members and other significant individuals in their lives. The Trust is seeking Providers to join the Open Framework to support the delivery and facilitate family time between children in care and their family members, with a focus on timely, cost-effective, safe, supportive, and child-centred interactions. The Open Framework will be divided into two Lots: Lot 1 'In District' and Lot 2 'Out of District'. Providers can apply to any Lot(s). It is anticipated that the Open Framework for each Lot will be for a fixed term of 8 years. The Open Framework will be re-opened in line with the requirements of the Procurement Act 2023, a minimum of once within three (3) years of its life; and at least every five years thereafter, and will last no more than 8 years in total.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £2,000,000 excluding VAT
- £2,400,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 July 2026 to 30 June 2034
- 8 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85300000 - Social work and related services
- 85310000 - Social work services

Contract locations

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - In District - Family Time Supervision

Description

Family Time Supervision sessions taking place in the Bradford District.

Lot value (estimated)

- £400,000 excluding VAT
- £480,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Out of District: Family Time Supervision

Description

Family Time Supervision sessions taking place out of the Bradford District and outside of the remit of the in-house provision.

Lot value (estimated)

- £1,600,000 excluding VAT
- £1,920,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

Unlimited

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Once a supplier has successfully passed the Pre?Selection Questionnaire (PSQ) stage, they must achieve a minimum of 50% of the total quality points available. The Trust also reserves the right to exclude suppliers who fail to achieve a score of “3” for the Service Delivery and Safeguarding, Risk Management, and Data Protection questions.

Award method when using the framework

Either with or without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Particular suitability

Lot LOT-0001. Lot 1 - In District - Family Time Supervision

Lot LOT-0002. Lot 2 - Out of District: Family Time Supervision

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

18 March 2026, 11:00am

Tender submission deadline

18 March 2026, 11:00am

Submission address and any special instructions

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlentrance_s.asp?PID=102681&TID100107895&B=

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

29 April 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality Criteria	Quality	70%
Price	Price	30%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Bradford Children & Families Trust

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